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District No. 3—George Holler, Granite Falls

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Bradshaw, M. A. _____ Hudson
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Brooks, J. C. _____ Granite Falls
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Burnett, R. B. _____ Rt. 2, Lenoir
Caudle, Zeb _____ Lenoir
Colvard, C. W. _____ Hudson

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Cook, W. J. ---------- Rt. 1, Boone
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Eller, A. W. ---------- Rt. 1, Wilkesboro
Fletcher, Philip D. ---------- Granite Falls
Fox, J. W. ---------- Lenoir
Greer, J. W. ---------- Granite Falls
Hass, L. P. ---------- Granite Falls
Lyons, W. W. ---------- Lenoir
Mangum, O. R. ---------- Lenoir
Matney, James ---------- Blowing Rock
Mayberry, R. F. ---------- Rhodhiss
Miller, Grant Jr. ---------- Granite Falls
Miller, L. A. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
Payne, J. B. ---------- Whitnel
Prestwood, R. L. ---------- Rt. 2, Lenoir
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Shore, R. H. ---------- Blowing Rock
Silvers, J. S. ---------- Rt. 4, Lenoir
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Stroup, S. A. ---------- Granite Falls
Stroupe, S. M. ---------- Alexis
Smith, Henry ---------- Deep Gap
Watts, A. E. ---------- Taylorsville

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Baker, R. Zeb ---------- Lenoir
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Bumgarner, Alpha ---------- Granite Falls
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Coffey, G. G. ---------- Lenoir
Coffey, W. E. ---------- Buffalo Cove
Dellinger, O. C. ---------- Collettsville
Driver, J. E. ---------- Lenoir

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Hagaman, J. P. _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir
Hass, L. P. _____ Rhodhiss
Hice, W. H. _____ Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Johnson, Bruce _____ Rt. __, Lenoir
Miller, D. L. _____ Rt. 1, Hudson
Payne, T. E. _____ Hudson
Moss, W. R. _____ Lenoir
Payne, T. E. _____ Hudson
Penley, E. G. _____ Matilla, Florida
Philyaw, P. D. _____ Collettsville
Secrest, David _____ Lenoir
Shoemaker, T. P. _____ Lenoir
Wilson, Paul _____ Morganton

For Pastors See Church Directories (Page 4)

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BETHEL—Mrs. J. A. McCall, Mrs. G. W. Watkins, G. W. Watkins

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CONCORD—S. A. Stroup, pastor, Mrs. S. A. Stroup, Mrs. Will Barlow, Fay Ried.

CONWAY'S CHAPEL—Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Mrs. J. C. Braswell.

EDGEMONT—Not represented.

DUDLEY SHOALS—C. A. Bowman, Fred G. Bowman.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Mrs. J. H. Richards, Mrs. D. S. Richards, Mrs. D. D. Richard, Mrs. L. A. Hoffman.

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LONGFORD—A. A. Watson.

LOWER CREEK—S. L. Austin, W. R. Moss, J. R. Swanson, J. S. Hass, G. G. Steel, Zeb Caudel, pastor, Edith Steele, Mrs. J. N. Moore, Mrs. C. W. Pennell, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. Zeb Caudle.

MAPLE GROVE—Leanard Philyaw.

MILLER HILL—Mrs. Glenn Story, Glenn Story, Mrs. Ruth Holman.

MULBERRY—H. C. Bolick, Mrs. H. C. Bolick.

MULVALE—Mrs. John W. Phillips, Mrs. R. B. Glass.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—Mrs. A. Lee Pearson, Mrs. J. L. Greene, Mrs. B. B. Beane.

MT. ZION—Mrs. Frank Fox, Mrs. G. F. Woods, Mrs. Will Carter, Mrs. D. D. Minton, J. M. Bumgarner, Mrs. Robert Holden.

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OAK GROVE—L. C. Bolick, H. L. Richards, Mrs. Roy Bolick.

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ROCKEY SPRINGS—Mrs. C. L. Rader, C. L. Rader, Mrs. Lela Spencer, M. C. Estes.

RUFUS—J. A. Laxton, Mrs. J. A. Laxton.

SARDIS—Mrs. C. T. Smith, Mae Smith, C. F. Smith, Mrs. C. A. Keller, Mrs. R. B. Burnett, Mrs. Clyde Smith.

UNION—W. W. Lynes, pastor, Mrs. R. L. Downs, R. L. Downs.

UNION GROVE—F. E. Smith, O. L. Gibson, W. H. Hice, C. F. Cook, R. B. Beach.

WHITNEL—J. B. Payne, Antha Honeycutt, Valeria Jenkins, M. C. Braswell.

YADKIN—J. L. Miller, Mrs. Lawrence Hamby, Mrs. John Suddreth, Lenard M. Green, Mrs. N. J. Bentley, N. J. Bentley.

YADKIN VALLEY—Mrs. Vernon Palmer, Mrs. Luther Miller, C. S. Ford, D. H. Burriss, P. C. Barrett.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES

1. We believe in only one true and living God and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testaments—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to

live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism taught in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every Church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

CONSTITUTION

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the Churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty mmbers or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's Kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective Church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose by a ballot a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association, and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years to have them bound in book form for the use of the Associa-

tion, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moderator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or grievances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Associations requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, nor any of her Churches and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Assocation to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This Association shall in all matters, except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association, in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless

otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator, or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other cases he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

Order of Business for the
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
which met with the
YADKIN BAPTIST CHURCH
September 25th and 26th, 1941
(Eastern Standard Time)

First Day—Morning Session

10:00—Devotional ..... L. E. Snipes
10:10—Enrollment, Appointment of Committees, Recognition of Visitors and Announcements
10:25—Religious Literature ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
10:50—Hospital ..... Philip D. Fletcher
11:15—Miscellaneous
11:20—Special Music
11:25—Annual Sermon ..... O. R. Mangum
12:00—Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:30—Devotional ..... Jack Payne
1:40—State Missions ..... R. F. Mayberry
1:55—Home Missions ..... S. A. Stroup
2:10—Foreign Missions ..... S. M. Stroupe
2:25—Report of Associational Worker ..... Miss Ruth Keller
2:40—Cooperative Program ..... Clinnard Brooks
2:55—Mission Address ..... Rep. of State Mission Board
3:45—Miscellaneous Business; Adjournment

Second Day—Morning Session

9:30—Devotional ..... J. H. Nelson
9:40—Woman's Work ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:00—Ministers Relief and Retirement ..... Grant Miller
10:20—Orphanage ..... J. H. Crisp
10:40—Christian Education ..... O. R. Mangum
11:00—Sunday Schools ..... Willard Jenkins
11:20—Baptist Training Union ..... Miss Pearl Keller
11:40—Election of Officers
11:55—Miscellaneous Business
12:00—Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:00—Devotional ..... Lawrence Miller
1:10—Evangelism ..... H. S. Benfield
1:25—Memorials ..... R. B. Burnett
1:35—Public Morals and Law Enforcements ..... T. E. Payne
1:55—Report of Committees
1—Executive ..... H. S. Benfield
2—Treasurer ..... H. S. Benfield
3—Associational Mission Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
4—Trustees of Associational Property
5—To Negotiate Sale of Property and Purchase Ridgecrest Property ..... C. M. Abernathy
6—Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Preachers ..... O. R. Mangum
7—Resolutions
8—Historian's Report ..... J. R. Swanson
9—Time, Place, Preacher
Adjournment

PROCEEDINGS
of the
FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
held with
YADKIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Patterson, N. C.
SEPTEMBER 25 And 26, 1941

FIRST DAY

1. Missionary Baptist of Caldwell convened in Fifty-Seventh annual session on September 25, 1941, with the Yadkin Baptist Church, Patterson, at 10:00 o'clock S. A. Stroup led the association in singing of "Crown Him Lord of All" and "We're Marching to Zion."
2. Words of Welcome were extended at this time in behalf of the Yadkin Church by N. J. Bentley.
3. Luther Snipes led in Devotion reading from the third chapter of Phil. and leading in prayer.
4 Moderator, Zeb Caudle, appointed the following committees:

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT 1942

Cooperative Program—(State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement) ..... S. M. Stroup
Woman's Work ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Rt., Granite Falls
Sunday School ..... Miss Ruth Keller, Rt., Granite Falls
Baptist Training Union ..... Miss Pearl Keller, Rt., Granite Falls
Orphanage ..... R. B. Burnett, Rt., Lenoir
Evangelism ..... R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss
Religious Literature ..... Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls
Memorials ..... W. W. Lynes, Lenoir
Public Morals and Law Improvement ..... D. E. Couch, Lenoir
Association Brotherhood ..... None

5. Visitors recognized and welcomed during the association: E. C. Shoe, Taylorsville; J. A. McMillian, Thomasville; E. M. Walker, South Mountain Assoc.; J. C. Pipes, Buncomb Association; W. R. Bradshaw, South Fork

Assoc.; A. W. Eller, Brushy Mountain Assoc.; Boyd Cannon, Mitchell Assoc.; W. W. Rimmer, Green River Assoc.; M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill College; W. C. Laney, South Fork Assoc.; M. L. Lewis, Carolina Assoc.; Charles E. Parker, Baptist Hospital; A. C. Payne, Alexander Association; Mrs. A. C. Payne, Alexander Association; Fred Green, Alexander Association; M. A. Adams, South Yadkin Association.

6. New pastors recognized and welcomed by moderator:
   Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls 1st church.
   A. W. Eller, Long Ford.
   C. R. Shew, Grandview Park
   J. B. Payne, Whitnel.
   D. E. Couch, Central.
   R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss.
7. On motion the program as prepared by the committee was tentatively adopted.
8. Mrs. J. A. Boldin read the report on religious literature. Report was discussed by J. C. Pipes and Arch McMillian, Pastor of Baptist Orphanage, Thomasville. Report adopted.

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

Presenting "Literature Lady," Dressed in Covers of Baptist Publications.

This is "Miss Religious Literature", whom we are very anxious for you to meet,
And all who desire a Baptist Periodical, she will be glad to personally greet.
She will take your name and address and, if the right amount to her you'll pay,
You will soon be getting twice your money's worth, but be sure you do it today.

We know that all People, everywhere, desire to be well-fed and well-dressed,
Then for our minds, also, should we not always try to find the very best?
And only in true Religious Literature can this best mind-food be found,
For every man, woman, and child, though we should hunt the world around.

If on this journey of life, the right way we would always be sure to go,
We must carry the "Lamp for our feet", and the "Light our pathway to show".
"His World we must hide in our hearts", if we would be kept from the power of sin,
Or be able to help others know how they, too, may over evil the victory win.

The best known Baptist Literature, which should be used by every one of you,
Is our Sunday School Board's Publications for the Sunday School and the B. T. U.
Then all of us love our "Orphan Children", and want to help clothe and feed,
But unless we read "Charity and Children", how can we ever know their need?

"A non-cooperating Baptist is not much of a Baptist", so Dr. Dodd once said,
How can one know enough to co-operate if the Biblical Recorder he has not read?
It brings news of Baptist activity in our State, and elsewhere, from week to week;
Its editorials and fine articles inspire to nobler living, if its pages we will seek.

If we are to witness in our "Samaria", we must know the needs of our South-land.
And "Southern Baptist Home Missions" will give us this information first-hand.
While "The Commission", our great Foreign Journal, will take us around the World,
We'll learn of thrilling achievements and needs where Christ's banner must be unfurled.

"Royal Service" is known as the "Woman's Magazine", and it is certainly fine for them,
But we urge pastors and laymen to read and see if it isn't just as good for men.
Every Baptist Young Woman should "See the World" through "The Window of Y. W. A."
"World Comrades" will delight the heart and bless the life of Sunbeam, R. A. and G. A.

We have often been told that "The night has a thousand eyes and the day but one".

But when clouds arise all these eyes are closed and nature seems to have none.
We, too, will be blind if, through the "eyes" of wonderful books, we fail to look,
For who can estimate the power contained in the pages of even one good Book?

Impure and degrading literature is flooding and poisoning the youth of our land,
False propaganda and publicity is being used by the forces of evil on every hand,
To combat this, all Baptists must give fuller support to the Denominational press
Upon the use of our wonderful publications, pastors and leaders lay more stress.

When more real religious literature shall be found in every Baptist Home;
Then, intelligently, we will work, and pray, and give that His Kingdom may come.
And so we plead today with every member of the Caldwell Baptist Association,
That you will get and READ, at least some, of the Literature of our Denomination.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. A. BOLDIN.

9. Report on Hospitals was read by Philip D. Fletcher and discussed by C. W. Parker, Pastor of Hospital and W. W. Rimmer. Report adopted.

REPORT ON BAPTIST HOSPITALS

The Baptist Hospital is just now completing additions to its plant that increases its bed capacity from 108 to 300. This will enable the hospital to treat 10,000 patients each year. Of this number, we may expect 3,300 of them will be service patients; that is, not able to pay a hospital bill. 3,300 will be mothers who have waiting for their return home, 10,000 children. If the present rate is maintained, 200 will be preachers for whom no charge has been made for the last two years or more.

The hospital has a staff of 100 doctors; these are all specialists in the many fields of medicine and surgery.

The hospital runs a well-equipped standard Training School for Nurses. These are taken from as nearly every section of the state as possible. A class of about 50 will be taken each year, making a school of 150.

The Medical Building of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College is now completed and the school opened the first of September of this year. While the Medical School and the Hospital will be closely related and mutually helpful in every department, they will remain separate institutions, controlled by separate Boards of Directors and supported from different sources.

Everything contributed to the hospital goes to the support of the hospital exclusively. The Mother's Day offering by the churches is used entirely for the service of patients not financially able to pay for treatment.

The spiritual side of the hospital's service is stressed always. The Hospital has a fulltime pastor supplied by the generous donation of Mr. C. M. Scott of High Point. This pastor, Rev. Charles E. Parker, in addition to his many activities with the patients and their families and friends, teaches a course in Bible in the Nurses Training School.

The various organizations of our women and young people are rendering a vast service to the hospital in supplying linens of all kinds—such as sheets, pillow cases, towels, washcloths, etc.

Our vastly enlarged program, of course, will require increased support.

Matthew says "Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people" (9:35). Healing was as necessary to round out the ministry of Jesus as was teaching or preaching. He came to save all men and all of man. He was the master teacher; He was the premier preacher, and he was the incomparable healer. In his ministry Jesus reached the mind, the soul, and the body of men; and bodily healing constituted a large part of His ministry. Of his thirty-six recorded miracles, twenty-nine are of bodily healing in one form or another.

"Being moved with compassion, he healed them," says the evangelist; and his compassion embraced the whole of man.

According to the latest available figures, Southern Baptists have twenty-nine hospitals. These hospitals report property whose aggregate value is $15,000,000.

Our Hospital at New Orleans last year admitted:

14,356 patients

989 babies were born

1,508 persons treated in emergency room

1920 patients given 13,435 days of free treatment at a cost of $70,487.13.

19 Foreign Missionaries were given 167 days at a cost of $813 10.

12 Home Missionaries and 43 inmates of Woman's Emergency

Home were given 585 days at a cost of $3,083.65.

Other help was given for Baptist Bible Institute and State Board workers and other religious agencies.

Surely in this phase of our work Southern Baptists have the opportunity to go about doing good.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP D. FLETCHER.

10. On request of Rev. Cook, Pastor of Antioch, a letter of dismission was granted Antioch Church to unite with Catawba River Association.
11. Song: "I Love To Tell the Story."
12. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir, preached the annual sermon using as his theme "The Bible, Our Guide in Faith and Practice," Scripture, Psalms 119:105. Prayer, D. E. Couch, On motion, the sermon will be sent to the Biblical Recorder for publication.
    Adjourned for Lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

13. Songs: "How Firm a Foundation," "Amazing Grace." Devotion led by J. B. Payne, reading and commenting on some verses from Acts 17 and leading in prayer.
14. The Committee on Petionary letters reported applications of three churches and recommended their reception: Central, Rufus, and Mulvale. They were unanimously received into the body, and in behalf of the association the moderator gave them the right hand of fellowship.
15. Reports were read as follows:
    State Missions by R. F. Mayberry.
    Home Missions by S. A. Stroup.
    Foreign Missions by S. M. Stroup.
    Reports adopted.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

Our Bible teaches missions and for the sake of convenience we divide the mission program of Jesus into Foreign, Home, and State Missions. The spirit of all is the same. For more than one hundred years the primary purpose of State Missions is to promote the program of Jesus, which is to seek and to save that which was lost. In studying the Constitution of the State Baptist Convention one will observe that the object is five-fold: To promote Missions,

Education, Social Service, the distribution and study of the Bible and sound Religious Literature, and to co-operate with the Southern Baptist Convention in its work.

The Ministry of Church Development, of Teaching and Training

1.—General Missionaries: M. O. Alexander and J. C. Pipes for some years have been giving the major portion of their time to the development of all the churches they can reach through the teaching of stewardship and missions.

2.—Sunday Schools: It is believed that nearly two hundred thousand church members do not attend with any regularity any Sunday School, and it is believed also that there are at least three-quarters of a million prospects for Baptist Sunday Schools in North Carolina now. If we would fully meet the task of teaching our people already in the churches and those outside who ought to be in there would be an average attendance of perhaps a million people in our Sunday Schools each Sunday. As it is, the average attendance is hardly more than two hundred thousand.

To meet this situation Mr. L. L. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Lane and a few approved workers are busy during the year. Their task is to seek to stimulate increased attendance, discover new teachers, and work for an organization which will the more effectitvely get the teaching done.

3.—Baptist Training Union—Rev. Nathan C. Brooks, Jr., and his assistants, Miss Josephine Turner and Miss Maxine Slaughter, are giving themselves with enthusiasm to the great task which we have set forth.

4.—Student Work: Enrolled in the higher institutions of learning in our State, including our Baptist schools, are seven to eight thousand students. Through the Student Department, of which Mr. John B. Lawrence is secretary, we are seeking in the best way possible to turn the minds and hearts of these young people to the churches for worship and to the activities of the churches.

5.—Schools for Pastors: In these schools we are seeking to develop the churches through helping to develop their pastors. This is done through pastors' conferences and particularly through two schools which are held each year, one at Meredith and the other at Mars Hill.

6.—Ministry to Other Races: While North Carolina is largely Anglo-Saxon ,there are in our midst about a million Negroes and a few thousand Indians. Our aid to the Negroes consists in paying a part of the salary of the secretary of their convention and the secretary of Sunday School and B. T. U. work. We have made a good start in helping them but much remains to be done.

Respectfully submitted,

R. F. MAYBERRY.

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

Jesus said to preach the Gospel to every creature. We have our different Mission Boards for the purpose of carrying out this command.

Last year the total receipts of the Home Mission Board was $560,168.09. Number of missionaries, 391. New Mission Stations, 71. Number of Churches and Mission Stations, 915. Number of people making profession of faith, 5,375. Number of Bibles and Testaments distributed, 4,443. Number of tracts distributed, 724,505.

Rev. Jacob Gartenhouse, our missionary to the Jews, says He has witnessed the greatest awakening on the part of the Jews than in any previous year.

Last year the Caldwell Association contributed to Home Missions through the co-operative program $277.89 and designated gifts in amounts to $150.02, which makes a total of $427.91 to home missions.

Out of 47 churches we had 15 that contributed to Home Missions through the co-operative program, and seven contributed designating their gifts, leaving 25 churches that gave nothing to Home Missions.

Respectfully submitted,
S. A. STROUP.

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention had its beginning in Augusta, Georgia, on May 8, 1845. The past year was one of the best of its long history of 96 years.

Through its 457 active missionaries and nearly 3,000 native workers the Board has been doing the work of teaching and preaching and healing in 16 countries of Africa, Asia, Europe and South America. 35,291 students have been taught, 136,994 patients have been mininstered to and innumerable thousands have had the Gospel preached to them. The membership of the churches was increased 18,542 who came by baptism.

When Dr. Maddry assumed the duties of secretaryship, the Board was in debt $1,110,000.00. At the present time the indebtedness is $205,000.00. Since the last report was written, $40,000.00 has been applied to debt reduction. It is confidently expected that the Foreign Mission Board will be a debtless institution when its 100th anniversary is observed in 1945.

Vitally related to the achievements mention herein are the women of the Southern Baptist Convention. Year by year their Lottie Moon gifts have increased until last year they reached the highest mark in all the history of Woman's Missionary Union, the total sum given in this sacrificial offering last year was $363,743.30. With the Board's share of this amount, Missionaries have been sent

to the lands of their hearts' desires, homes have been built for these messengers of light and schools and churches and hospitals have been made possible to those who desperately needed them.

The Commission, the Board's monthly magazine, has a circulation of 23,190 and the number of subscribers is steadily increasing. It is hoped that pastors, superintendents, teachers, and all who are filling places of leadership will seek to get this excellent publication into every home. The price is only 50¢ per year. This publication had its beginning in 1938, and it offers to Christian workers throughout our Southern Baptist Convention fresh information concerning our successes, our needs and our opportunities in all our Foreign Mission lands.

Great opportunities knock at our doors in Africa. Only once before have Southern Baptists had more missionaries under appointmentt for the "Dark Continent" than at present. That was a year ago when 58 were reported under orders. Because it was difficult at that time to secure African passage some of the recruits for that continent were transferred to other areas. At the present time there are 57 missionaries who have been commissiond for work in Africa.

In China the servants of God are deeply appreciated. At the present time there are about 110 Chinese Missionaries at work in China and the Philippines. It is expected that Missionaries will be sent, within a few months, to unoccupied China and funds are in our treasury for the support of work there. In the meantime the starving are being fed, broken bodies are being healed, and multitudes are hearing and heeding the Gospel.

The door in Japan seems to be closing. Only one of our missionaries remain in that country—Dr. Maxfield Garrott.

Our European and Near Eastern missionaries have wrought well under trying circumstances. Despite war and revolution and earthquake people are finding and following Christ.

Dr. John R. Mott returned a few months ago from South America to say that God had placed these countries at our doors to the end that we might share the good news of God with them.

The number of non-Christian people now living in the countries in which the Board is promoting work is 621,420,335. The Board now needs a minimum of 600 missionaries. This would supply only one missionary for each 1,000,000 unsaved people. To do this an income of $2,000,000 is needed.

The very souls of our missionaries are being tried now by tragic conditions in the world, especially in the Orient and parts of Europe. The fields are white unto harvest, the laborers are few, let us work, pray, and give with an eye single to the glory of our Lord and Master.

Respectfully submitted,

S. M. STROUPE,

16. Miss Ruth Keller, associational worker, made an interesting report of her work in the association.

The roll of churches was called and an amount named by the pastor delegates of the churches to be given per month in order to continue the work of Miss Keller in the association.

Mr. Huggins states that the State Mission Board will cooperate in supporting the work.

17. On motion by R. F. Mayberry the association voted to raise Miss Keller's salary from $50.00 to $75.00 per month.

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL WORKER

Training Schools:

For Sunday Schools	7
For Training Unions	7
Vacation Bible Schools	9
Woman's Missionary Courses	5

40 special talks; 16 general meetings; travelled 1,752 miles; visited 167 homes.

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH KELLER.

18. Report on Cooperative Program, written by Clinard J. Brooks, was read by the Clerk and discussed by M. A. Huggins and M. L. Lewis. Report adopted.

REPORT ON COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

The full acceptance of the Lordship of Jesus is a primal need in Baptist churches today, and a great advance to preach the glad tidings impossible without it. The Lordship of Jesus is meaningless unless it results in stewardship, and the most specific expression of stewardship is the bringing of tithes and offerings by the steward to the altar of the Lord.

We must, therefore, co-operate if we are to carry out Christ's program in our day. And that is what Baptists are trying to do. We have a program; it was begun by Jesus Himself: And it demands a co-operative effort. That is why it is called a Co-operative Program.

The Co-operative Program is scriptural; it includes all the causes in the Great Commission and those only. We do not give to the program, but through the program. Our state convention determines the percentage each cause shall receive out of co-operative funds contributed in North Carolina. The table below gives the division of the funds to various objects:

DIVISION OF FUNDS IN NORTH CAROLINA, 1941

State Objects 60%

State Missions	13.05%
Education Debt Service	37 %
Hospital	4 %
Ministerial Education	1 %
Ministers Retirement Fund	2.05%
Payment on Building	2 %
Total	60 %

Southwide Objects 40%

Foreign Missions	20 %
Home Missions	9.33%
Relief & Annuity Board	4.14%
Seminaries & W. M. U. Training School	6.65%
Southern Baptist Hospital	.88%
Total	40 %

For the sake of our churches, our people, our causes, and our Lord, we recommend:

1.—That every church promote continuously Bible study, evangelism, Christian stewardship, and missions.

2.—That the Every Member Canvas be put on in every church during November and December unless for special reason some other time seems better.

3.—That each church help in the realization of "a debtless denomination by 1945" either by providing for it the budget or by special effort.

4.—That all denominational funds be remitted promptly and properly marked each montth to General Secretary, H. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.

Respectfully submitted,
J. CLINNARD BROOKS.

19. The Enrollment Committee reported for the initial meeting 150 delegates representing 38 churches and 18 visitors. A total during the meeting—175 delegates and 48 churches and 18 visitors.
20. Report of Committee on Time, Place and Preacher: Time—Thursday and Friday before the fourth Sunday in September; Place—Blairs Fork Church; Preacher—J. B. Payne.
21. C. M. Abernathy read the report of Committee on the Sale of property belonging to the association and the purchase

of property for the association at Ridgecrest. Report adopted.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES FOR CALDWELL BAPTIST PROPERTY
FROM FEB. 1st TO SEPT. 22nd, 1941

Cash received from H. F. Crump for 31 weeks at $3.50	$108.50
Cash received from Miss Mabel Martin for seven months at $15.00 per month	105.00
Note from H. F. Crump for back rent	100.00
Cash from Calvin Cannon for barn rent	5.00
Cash from a Mr. Griffin for three weeks rent in the old Academy	3.00
Locust posts and lumber sold to Sam Forney	11.00
Check from Mr. George Steele	3.29
Total	$335.89

CASH PAID OUT

Mutual B. & L. back dues	$ 96.46
Mutual B. & L., 31 weeks at $5.12	158.72
Insurance policy—Allen & Brenard	27.00
Paint and brushes—McGowan Hardware Co.	26.80
Lenoir Manufacturing Co.—Molding, Lumber, etc.	9.52
Balance in bank	17.39
Total	$335.89

On September 22, 1941, the Trustees and the Committee, Mr. C. M. Abernathy, Mr. Zeb Caudle, and Mr. C. T. Smith, appointed by the Association at the last session sold the property in three tracts:

One to Bush & Goforth for the sum of	$2,900.00
One to R. L. Bush for the sum of	1,266.34
One to L. B. Martin for the sum of	200.00
Total	$4,366.34

Sold for cash except to Mr. Martin for a note for $150.00 for 4 months at 6%

This amount added to balance in bank	$ 17.39
Total	$4,383.73

Amount paid out since sale of property:

Mutual B. & L. Association, balance		$ 932.72
R. L. Steele Note	$350.00	392.00
Interest two years	42.00	
Total	$392.00	

Revenue Stamps for Bush & Goforth Deed	3.30
Revenue Stamps for R. L. Bush Deed	2.00
Revenue Stamps for L. B. Martin	1.00
Mr. B. F. Williams, Att'y., for making 3 Deeds	7.50
Mr. Jim Isabel, Surveyor, surveying and drawing maps of the property	20.00
Total	$1,358.52

Deducting this amount from $4,383.73 leaves a balance of $3,025.21.

In addition to this will say we have $17.00 for rent yet due, $7.00 due this coming Saturday and $10.00 October 1, 1941. Total $17.00.

Taxes are not included in this report as we do not know just what they will be.

Respectfully submitted,
E. B. CRISP,
Secretary and Treasurer.

J. A. BOLDIN,
GEO. STEELE,
E. B. CRISP,
Trustees.

REPORT OF CALDWELL BAPTIST PROPERTY

Receipts

Sept. 18, 1940, Balance in Union National Bank	$ 12.37
Rents from H. F. Crump	75.00
Rents from Mable Martin	52.06
Total	$139.43

Disbursements

Building & Loan dues paid	$112.64
November 16—C. M. Abernathy, for land option at Ridgecrest	10.00
March 26—Lenoir News-Topic, advertising property for sale	13.50
September 22—E. B. Crisp, to clear up Union National Bank account	3.29
Total	$139.43

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. STEELE,
J. A. BOLDIN,
E. B. CRISP,
Trustees.

22. Trustees report of property was read by Bernard Crisp. Report adopted.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Caldwell County Baptist Association:

We, the committee appointed by the Caldwell County Baptist Association to dispose of the Baptist property on High Street in Lenoir and to purchase property for the Association at Ridgecrest, submit the following report:

We first called a meeting witht the trustees of the said property in order to learn the amount of indebtedness against it.

For the past year these two committees have worked together in a most cooperative and harmonious manner in every action taken, and final disposition of the property has been made and final transaction completed only yesterday.

The property was sold as follows:

Greater part of land to R. L. Bush	$1,266.34
Two houses & lots to Bush and Goforth	2,900.00
Lot immediately behind L. B. Martin property to L. B. Martin	200.00
Total Proceeds	$4,366.34

Cash has been received for the same for the sale with the exception of $150.00 to be paid by L. B. Martin, for which a note is in our possession to be paid within the next one hundred and twenty days.

Since we were unable to dispose of the property in Lenoir until recently, we have been unable to make a definite purchase of property at Ridgecrest, but several propositions have been, and are now under consideration.

Respectfully yours,
C. M. ABERNETHY, Chairman,
REV. ZEB CAUDLE,
C. T. SMITH.
Committee.

23. On motion of S. A. Stroup the committee of sale and purchase of property is continued until purchase is completed.

24. O. R. Mangum moved that the present committee on the purchase of property at Ridgecrest be continued as committee on reservations for use of Cabin during the assembly. Motion adopted.

25. R. F. Mayberry was appointed as representative of the Lord's Acre Plan.
26. The association adjourned to meet again Friday morning at 9:30 a. m. Closing prayer.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

27. At 9:30 the association reconvened after singing "Come Thou Fount." The devotional was led by John Nelson reading from Acts 17 and leading in prayer.
28. Minutes of the preceding day read by the clerk and approved by the association.
29. Moderator introduced Elder W. R. Moss to the association.
30. Report on Woman's work was read by Mrs. C. A. Bowman and discussed by Mrs. Bowman, R. F. Mayberry and O. R. Mangum. Report adopted.

WOMAN'S WORK

Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of Him that sent me, and to finish his work.

Say not ye, there are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? Behold, I say unto you, lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest.

And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal, that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.

When Jesus left this earth he placed this work in the hands of his Disciples. That thy way may be known upon earth, thy salvation among all nations.

The defense program is of great importance, but how much more of greater importance is God's Kingdom work in the earth, and willing laborers in His vineyard.

We are grateful that Jesus included women in his mission work. It was a woman, Mary Magdalene first at the tomb, and first to behold our risen Lord. A woman that appreciated Jesus and His goodness that she anointed His feet with the precious ointment and wiped them with her hair.

The woman's work is going forward in our association. Seven points toward the standard of excellence was reached last year, only lacking three points of meeting the standard of excellence in our association for women's work.

With 23 churches organized in W. M. U. work and 30 Young People's organizations that the societies are fostering so faithfully,

we feel that the women in our Baptist Associations are doing a noble piece of mission work, both at home and abroad. Offerings are being increased along with better organization of work as a whole.

Much is being done in personal service work, through W. M. U. organizations, binding up the broken hearted and administering to the needy, which is doing the will of the Master as he commanded us to do good unto all men, especially of the household of faith.

So let us not weary in well-doing for we will reap if we faint not.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. C. A. BOWMAN.

31. Grant Miller read and discussed report on Ministerial relief and retirement. Report adopted.

REPORT ON MINISTER RELIEF AND RETIREMENT

The Ministers' and Church Employees' Retirement plan for pastors and full time church employees is now in its second year of operation in North Carolina.

On July 1, 1941, about 325 pastors and employees have become members, with around 300 of these with payments made up to date. As of January, 1941, a few pastors of sixty-five and beyond, retired and are now receiving monthly an age annuity. One is receiving around $35.00 a month as a disability benefit and another is in the process of being approved for such disability.

The whole plan is merely a common sense way of creating a fund in advance so that when a pastor becomes disabled or reaches the retirement age, which is sixty-five, he may retire knowing that an annuity has been built up for him. The plan is not so much designed to lay up money against a rainy day as it is to lay up something against that certain day that every man and woman must come to, the age of sixty-five.

To be sure it cost something to build up such a fund. We cannot take out something we do not put in. The plan is after all very simple. A pastor or church employee pays into the fund 4% of the salary received from church or churches; or he may enter the plan and pay 3% or 2%, receiving, of course, a reduced benefit. Then the church or churches served, pays into the fund an amount equivalent to the amount paid by the pastor. This money is invested, begins to draw interest, and thus the fund is increased.

The Baptist State Convention, through agencies and committees, spent much time in trying to work out the plan which in all respects is safe and sound. It only remains for pastors and churches to take advantage of this remarkably fine opportunity now offered. It is really the first time Baptists have undertaken to meet in an

adequatee way the situation of caring for our aged ministers. As pastors and churches, will we continue to let this offer pass unnoticed or what will we do about it?

Respectfully submitted,
GRANT R. MILLER, JR.

32. The report on Orphanage, written by J. H. Crisp was read by clerk and discussed by S. A. Stroup and George Steel. Report adopted.

BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

The Baptist Orphanage is doing a wonderful work for the orphan children of North Carolina. Year after year hundreds of orphan children are cared for, educated, and taught to share the duties and responsibilities of life. North Carolina Baptists have an orphanage to really be proud of.

As the children leave the orphanage to take their places in life, most of them make good. We find many of these children taking active parts in civic, religious, and educational activities in communities throughout North Carolina.

The only way this great work can move on is by the support of the Baptist people of North Carolina. As the cost of living advances each day, it is going to take more to keep up the orphanage. Let us remember this and make our offerings this year even more liberal than they have ever been before. "For as much as ye did it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye did it unto me."

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. CRISP.

33. O. R. Mangum read the report on Christian Education. After discussion by O. R. Mangum, S. M. Stroup, W. W. Rimmer and W. H. Kendall, report adopted.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The history of mankind has been the history of inquiry. Man has ever been out on a great quest—the quest of learning. The first thing the child does on the margin of life is to ask a question and that tis the last thing age does as it faces the great unknown. But it is reverence which gives inquiry its quality. It is the purpose behind the question which makes it fruitful or barren.

Education is the process of learning. It is reverence which gives learning its quality and force. Here is the field of the Christian college. It should give men a passion for truth. That truth should be taught with reverence. To besure we have no Christian mathematics, chemistry or astronomy. But to have those subjects

taught by a Christian instead of a pagan is Christian education. Baptists are not afraid of truth. Instead we demand it. The kingdom of God cannot be advanced by covering up truth in any realm. Jesus said, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

To this end we would magnify our Christian colleges—Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Campbell, Wingate, Boiling Springs and Chowan. We believe Baptists should patronize them loyally.

We would commend the movement to erect a chapel at Wake Forest as our present direst need.

Respectfully submitted,
O. R. MANGUM.

34. Report on Sunday School was read and discussed by Willard Jenkins. Report adopted.

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday School as we have it today is an outgrowth of an institution originating in England more than one hundred and fifty years ago. The first Sunday School was begun for the purpose of teaching the three "R's", now the Bible is the only textbook. The first Sunday School was for underprivileged boys, now anyone may enroll.

The Sunday School, no more an independent organization but the teaching agency of the church, has as its chief objective the teaching of the Holy Scriptures; however, the teaching of the Bible has a three-fold purpose, viz., to win the pupils to Christ, to lead them to church membership, and to develop in them traits of Christian character. Our local Sunday Schools are accomplishing this purpose.

In view of the fact that our local Sunday School membership is only 7,857 compared with 9,133 church members there is before us a definite challenge to "launch out" in our efforts for enlargement. Let us face these facts—in North Carolina Baptists have two prospects for every member already enrolled. If you consider the average attendance there are three persons absent each Sunday for every one we have present. It all comes down to this one thing—we need to find all of our prospects; to provide a place for them in our buildings and in our organizations; to secure enough men and women and train them to reach the entire group and then *Go After All of Them.*

Respectfully submitted,
WILLARD L. JENKINS.

35. Miss Pearl Keller read the report on Baptist Training Union. Representatives from several churches gave reports and aims of the Training Union in their respective churches. Report adopted.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

The theme for the Baptist Training Union for the year has been "Following the Living Christ" and how it thrills our souls to know that we are following the right! What joy it brings us to visualize the Training Union of our land, with the little ones, the youth, the middle age and the old marching together in one grand procession to Zion, making up a mighty cavalcade to the beautiful City of God.

This march has been in progress for a number of years. The organization has grown in numbers and influence. It is a thing of beauty because old age is beautiful, it is a thing of splendor because youth has splendid possibilities, it is magnificent for in a child there is hope.

There is a group of about 22 Training Unions of the churches in Caldwell Baptist Association marching in this great throng. Several new organizations have joined since last September but some have grown faint and dropped out.

District meetings have been held monthly in the Granite Falls and Hudson Districts. In March an association meeting was held at South Lenoir Church. Rev. Perry Crouch of Raleigh was in charge of part of the service. Goals were set for the year and plans are being made now for an associational meeting in November at First Church at Lenoir in which some state workers will again have a part.

The following officers are now serving:

Director ..... *Pearl Keller*
Associate Director ..... *Rev. Grant Miller*
Secretary & Treasurer ..... *Billie Winkler*
Chorister ..... *W. C. Stevenson*
Pianist ..... *Mrs. W. C. Stevenson*
Pastor Advisor ..... *Rev. Zeb Caudle*
District Leaders .....
..... *G. G. Steele*
..... *C. A. Keller*
..... *George Hollar*

The Baptist Training Union is a living organization because its leader is alive. Christ, the captain of this band, is a living Christ. If your union is dying or growing slack then you need more of Christ in it for in Him there is life.

Yesterday the organization was B. Y. P. U. for young people

only but today it includes all ages. You have heard the saying "You can't teach an old dog new tricks", then also "You never grow too old to learn". A happy Christian is a learning, growing Christian through study and service.

I would apeal to the parents to attend the training Union. We need more of them because they give us a greater sense of security and more zeal for our tasks.

Those churches which have no part in this march of training, I challenge to join the host and become better soldiers for the master. Let the little ones, the youth, the middle age, and the old come and join us as we travel through Emmanuel's ground to fairer worlds on high.

The Son of God goes forth to war,
A kingly crown to gain;
His blood-red banner streams afar,
Who follows in His train?
Who best can drink his cup of woe,
Triumphant over pain,
Who patient bears his cross below,
He follows in His train.

A glorious band, the chosen few
On whom the Spirit came,
Twelve valiant saints, their hopes they knew,
And mocked the cross and flame.
They met the tyrant's brandished steel,
The lion's gory mane;
They bowed their necks the death to feel;
Who follows in their train?

A noble army, men and boys,
The matron and the maid,
Around the Savior's throne rejoice,
In robes of light arrayed:
They climb the steep ascent of Heaven
Thro' peril, toil and pain;
O God, to us may grace be given
To follow in their train.

Respectfully submitted,
PEARL KELLER.

36. Election of Officers: The Nominating Committee nominated for: Moderator—Zebulon Caudle; Vice Moderator—S. A. Stroup; Clerk and Treasurer—H. S. Benfield. On

motion, and vote of the association, the clerk cast the vote for the association for the moderator and vice-moderator and S. M. Stroup, chairman of the nominating committee, cast the vote of the Association for the clerk.

37. Executive Committee: The following were nominated by the committee and elected by the association. (See Directory, page 3, for names of Executive Committee.)

On motion of R. B. Burnett all elective officers are made members of the executive committee.

38. S. M. Stroup was appointed delegate to the Southern Baptist Convetion and R. F. Mayberry delegate to Baptist State Convention.

39. On motion of S. A. Stroup, the names of committee on Ordination of Ministers and organization of churches are to be kept printed in the minutes each year. (See Directory for names.)

40. On motion, report of G. G. Steel for trustees and Bernard Crisp and C. M. Abernathy, committee on Property are to combine their reports into one report. (This report has not been received and all reports are printed in the minutes.)

Adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

41. At. 1:30 the association reassembled. After singing, "On Christ the solid Rock," and "How Firm a Foundation," W. R. Moss led in prayer.

42. The report on Evangelism was read and discussed by H. S. Benfield. Report adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

In the year 1939 Southern Baptists had the greatest year of evangelism in our history. But, alas, 1940 reports revealed the sad fact of a great falling off. In the State of North Carolina we baptized in 1940 21,330, a decrease of 4,074 compared with 1939. 573 churches in the state reported no baptisms in 1940. This is 94 more than in 1939.

In the 18 Southern states, there were 23,655 less baptisms in 1940 than 1939. Fourteen of the 18 states and the District of Columbia reported losses in baptism in 1940.

In our own association we baptized 732 in 1939, and 403 in 1940, a loss of 329, and three churches reported no baptisms in 1939 and nine churches reported no baptisms in 1940. These facts are appalling.

If ever there was a crying need of evangelism it surely is now. We have in our Southern Baptist territory 15 million people ten years of age and above who are wholly unchurched, and nine million who will soon come to conversion age.

The harvest truly is plenteous but the laborers are few. "Pray ye therefore that the Lord of the harvest will send forth laborers unto His harvest."

In view of the above facts, and whereas: the salvation of souls, the advancement of the Kingdom, and the life of our Baptist denomination depends on sane, scriptural, spiritual, soul searching evangelism, be it resolved:

First, that every church put on an evangelistic program that will include the following:

1.—A revival meeting.

2.—Winning souls and baptism.

3.—A soul winning study course.

4.—Evangelistic efforts toward and through the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, and W. M. U., and

Second, that we endeavor to win and baptize a minimum of one for every ten members, and

Third, that the pastors and executive committee consider in the near future the advisability of appointing an evangelistic committee for the purpose of promotion of evangelism in this association.

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. BENFIELD.

43. R. B. Burnett read the report on Memorials after which the association stood in silence in honor of our dead. See list of our deceased.

44. The subject of public morals and law improvement was discussed by M. A. Adams. An offering was taken for the dry forces and $6.57 received and turned over to M. A. Adams. The writer of report did not sent report to clerk.

45. The following resolutions were read by P. D. Fletcher, Chairman of Committee on Resolution:

RESOLUTIONS

1.—That we express our apreciation to the Yadkin Church for their gracious hospitality to us.

2.—That we, as Baptists, cooperate in every possible way with our law enforcement agencies, particularly in reference to the

menace of speeding our cars on the highways and the drinking of intoxicating liquors.

3.—That we seek to have a revival in every church and community this associational year.

4.—That we approve the committee named by the Pastor's Conference to aid churches in securing a pastor, and pastors in securing churches.

5.—That we go slowly in ordainning ministers until they have proved themselves, and then only when they have been called as a regular pastor of a church. And that we cooperate with the committee on establishing churches and ordaining ministers.

6.—That we as citizens of this county and especially as Baptist be found absolutely loyal to our government in this international crisis.

7.—That the editorial in Charity and Children recently on *"The Self-Invited Evangelist"*, be included in this report with our entire approval:

SELF-INVITED EVANGELIST

Be it far from the editor of this paper to say anything against evangelism or against the true evangelist. He, like the great majority of Christians of the past generation, found his Lord during an evangelistic meeting. But every good and worth while thing has its cheap copy. In this case it is the so-called evangelist who invites himself into a community, sets up his tent and starts out to preach, if his rantings by any flight of the imagination can be called preachinng. His type is familiar and he is well known throughout the land. He invites himself into a community or gets some soft-hearted church member to invite him. He proceeds to call upon all pastors of the community to come and cooperate with the Lord, as if the Lord had anything to do with his coming. The pastor who does not fall in line will be run out of his pastorate if the ranter can get up enough excitement. He abuses the good church members and the pastors long and loud and the poor people say "Amen". One of the discouraging things is to see how gullible people are. So many of them are ready to turn their backs on their pastor who day in and day out, month in and month out has visited their sick, married their young people, baptized the saved and buried their dead. They will turn against him and follow this braying stranger who is working them for all they are worth. His collections all go into his spacious pockets and not one thin dime is used for others. People talk about what a powerful preacher he is. A jackass has a stronger bray than a mule but when it comes to work he is not there. We are not at all afraid of him for he has never taken an offering for any orphanage and never will and that goes for all objects except that aforementioned spacious pocket.

46. H. S. Benfield read the report of the Executive Committee.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Moderator G. C. Teague, called the Executive Committee together Nov. 14, 1940, at the First Baptist Church, Lenoir, to consider the resignation of Willard Jenkins as the association representative of the Baptist Orphanage.

His resignation was accepted and Brother George Steel was elected to succeed him.

SECOND MEETING

The Executive Committee of the Caldwell Association was called together by the moderator, G. C. Teague, January 23, 1941, at the First Baptist Church, Lenoir.

The meeting was opened by prayer, led by R. B. Burnett.

On motion, Brother Zeb Caudel was elected to fill the vacancies left by Brother H. E. Rodgers who accepted a call to another field outside the association.

The vacancies were: Member of the Advisory Committee on Ordination of Ministers and organization of churches.

By unanimous vote of the Executive Committee on Purchase of Ridgecrest property and sale of real estate owned by the association to use their best judgment in selling the real estate owned by the association in Lenoir.

A letter from M. A. Huggins was read by Zeb Caudle, stating that the State Missions Board would give $240.00 toward the salary of a worker for the Association. On motion duly made a committee was appointed to formulate some plans by which a worker might be secured for the Association.

The following committee was appointed: R. B. Burnett, Grant Miller, George Steel, Willard Jenkins, O. R. Mangum and R. L. Palmer.

After prayer the Executive Committee adjourned to meet again at First Baptist Church, Lenoir, January 30, 1941.

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. BURNETT, Secretary.

THIRD MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee met in its third session January 30, 1941.

At the request of the moderator, G. C. Teague, O. R. Mangum presided at this meeting.

The committee appointed at last meeting to make recommendation concerning the employing of an associational worker, made the following report: We recommend first that the association employ Miss Ruth Keller for the months beginning March 1, 1941, at a salary of $50.00 per month; second, that all pastors pres-

ent at this meeting name the amount that they will try to lead their church to give to this cause. The amount named by the pastors of 13 churches present ranged from $1.00 to $5.00 per month; third, that the pastors get busy and plan work so that Miss Keller may have a line up of work March 1st.

The recommendation was adopted.

The Executive Committee requests churches making donations to this work send their contributions the first of each month beginning with March, to R. L. Palmer, who was elected treasurer of association funds.

A committee consisting of C. M. Abernathy, R. F. Mayberry and Zeb Caudle was appointed to compose a letter to all churches informing them of what had been done. Grant Miller was appointed to inform Miss Keller of the action of the Executive Committee.

After prayer, adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. BENFIELD, Secretary.

47. Treasurers report.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance in Treasury from 1939	$ 3.47
Receipts from Churches, 1940	151.15
Total Receipts	$154.62

Disbursements

For Printing Minutes	$107.35
Cut Dr. Carroll	1.80
Postage, Envelopes	4.50
Telegram to Record Publishing Co.	.60
Clerk Fee	25.00
Postage, Sending Blanks, Letters and Programs	2.07
	$141.32
Balance in Treasury	13.30
Total	$154.62

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. BENFIELD.

48. Treasurer of Associational Mission Fund was made by R. L. Palmer and discussed by O. R. Mangum and S. A. Stroup.

REPORT OF CALDWELL BAPTISTS' MISSION FUND

Receipts:

From Twenty of our churches	$284.50	
From Baptist State Convention	144.00	$428.50

Disbursements:

Checks to Miss Ruth Keller, covering March to September, inclusive	$350.00	
Balance in Union National Bank	78.50	$428.50

R. L. PALMER, Treasurer.

The above resolutions and reports were all adopted.

Philip D. Fletcher read report on associational meetings. Report adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY PASTORS' CONFERENCE ON ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

We recommend that our Associational leaders plan their meetings according to schedule suggested by our Southwide and State workers, i. e., that we set aside one month of each quarter for the various phases of our work, as January for Sunday School emphasis, February for W. M. U. and Laymen's work, and March for B. T. U. work, etc.

For instance the yearly schedule for B. T. U. would be as follows:

January—Program and executive committee meeting.
February—Meeting of Associational officers and church Training Union officers and leaders.
March—Associational meeting.
April—Program and executive committee meeting.
May—Meeting of Associational officers and Church Training Union officers and leaders.
June—Associational Meeting (or Group Meetings if preferred).
July—Program and executive committee meeting.
August—Meeting of Associational officers and Church Training Union officers and leaders.
September—Associational Meeting.
October—Program and executive committee meeting.
November—Meeting of Associational officers and Church Training Union officers and leaders.
December—Associational Meeting (or Group Meetings if preferred).
Sunday School Months—January, April, July and October.
Woman's Work and Layman's Work—February, May, August, and November.
Baptist Training Union—March, June, September and December.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP D. FLETCHER.

49. O. R. Mangum made report of committee on ordination of ministers and organization of churches. He reported that the Committee had recommended the organization of one church during the year, the church Mulvale.
50. In behalf of the association the clerk expresses the appreciation and thanks of the association to the trustees and committee on sale of the associational property and purchase of property at Ridgecrest for their faithful service.
51. J. R. Swanson read report of Historian. Report adopted.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

The Yadkin Church, with which the 57th session of the Caldwell Association is being held, has the distinction of being the oldest Church in the Association, being, according to the best information, organized between 1760 and 1775 (first record being lost), and it perhaps belonged to the Mountain Association, afterwards to the Catawba, River Lower Creek, Three Forks, and Brushy Mountain; In 1885 it was one of the charter members of the Caldwell.

Kings Creek is the next in age, being organized in A. D. 1779, by the following presbytery: W. M. Dodson, Moses Stansburg (or Stansbury), and John Carlton; next, Union Church, which was an arm of Kings Creek, was organized on the 2nd day of June, 1814, by the same Presbytery, and on March 4th, 1826, Lower Creek came into existence, charter members coming from Yadkin, Kings. Creek, and Union Churches. Sardis, which was first called Gunpowder, was organized Sept. 7, 1831, it being the outgrowth of Union and Lower Creek. Antioch, in Alexander County, was an arm of Union Church, as was Dover Church. Dudley Shoals was also an outgrowth of Union Church. Love Lady was from Union and Sardis Churches, and was organized Feb. 21, 1880.

In 1859 the Lewis Fork, the Lower Creek, and the Taylorsville Associations united under the name of the United Baptist Association. In 1872 a convention was held at Three Forks Church, Alexander County, and they all united under the name of the Bushy Mountain Association, which is still living, working, and knowing the Master's name. From that Association came seven of the churches that formed the Caldwell County Association.

In 1856 the Lower Creek Association met with Yadkin Church, and it then had only 20 members. In 1892 the Caldwell Association met with it. Then it numbered 54 members. In 1925 the Association again met with it and its membership was 117. And now, quoting 1940 figures, the membership reaches 301. The first house of worship was a large log house standing on the bank of the river,

about one mile south of the present site, which was replaced by a frame structure, and this being badly damaged by the flood waters of 1916 the organization then bought the present house of worship from the Presbyterians, and have since enlarged it, which adds much to the facilities for doing the Master's work, and we feel that the Yadkin Church is destined to yet become one of our most progressive churches of our Association.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. SWANSON, Historian.

52. On suggestion of the Moderator and on motion of O. R. Mangum, the Cooperative program, including Foreign, Home, State missions and Christian Education are to be written in one report. S. M. Stroupe was appointed to write this report.
53. S. A. Stroup expressed the sentiment of all the pastors, who have attended the conferences, when he spoke words of appreciation to O. R. Mangum, pastor of the First Church of Lenoir, and to the Church for their entertainment of the pastors at their monthly conferences. Brother Mangum is teaching the Bible at these conferences.
54. Moderator Zebulon Caudle made an inspiring and helpful talk at the close of the meeting. He called the pastors to the front and O. R. Mangum led the closing prayer after singing by the congregation, "Blest Be the Tie."

The association adjourned, thus ending its fifty-seventh annual session at 4:30 p. m., September 26, 1941, to meet on Thursday and Friday before the fourth Sunday in September, 1942.

ZEBULON CAUDLE, Moderator
H. S. BENFIELD, Clerk

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW CHURCHES

First Meeting — Feb. 25, 1941

The Associational Committee on the constitution of new churches met at the home of Mr. Robert Glass with a group of brethren and sisters, previously dismissed from Rocky Springs Baptist Church by letter, for the purpose of conferring with them on the advisability of constituting a new church.

Through a chosen spokesman of the group the committee heard their statements and request that they be constituted into a new

church. After private and careful consideration the committee decided to defer action until it had opportunity to hear this matter presented from the viewpoint of the original Church; whereupon the meeting was adjourned to meet jointly with Rocky Springs Church at the school building in Collettsville on Tuesday evening, March 4, 1941.

Second Meeting—March 4, 1941

The committee met with the two groups: Rocky Springs Baptist Church and those having withdrawn their membership from said Church by letter, and after hearing the Church the committee gave its unanimous approval for the constitution of a new church to those desiring such a move.

After securing the sanction of the Associational Committee, those present with their letters from Rocky Springs Church asked the committee to form a presbytery and proceed to organize them into a church. The presbytery was organized as follows:

Pastor Zeb Caudle, Moderator — Pastor G. C. Teague
Pastor R. B. Burnett, clerk — Pastor S. A. Stroup

The meeting was called to order by the moderator, and the Articles of Faith and the Church Covenant, by Hiscox, were read and accepted by the 26 persons who were present, having their letters from Rocky Springs Baptist Church; whereupon the presbytery declared them sufficiently united to proceed with the organization of their church.

In regular order a church clerk, treasurer, three deacons and three trustees were elected, after which the presbytery declared them a duly organized Missionary Baptist Church and adjourned sine die.

ZEB CAUDLE, Moderator
R. B. BURNETT, Clerk.

DIGEST OF LETTERS

	1940	1941
S. S. Enrollment	7857	8169
Church Membership	9138	9293
Baptisms	403	315
Losses or Gains: Loss—88		
Total B. T. U. Organizations	8	75
Total Enrollment of Members	1139	1151
Total W. M. U. Organizations	54	44
Total Enrollment of Members	837	797
Total Gifts by W. M. U. and All Its Organizations	2,781.70	2,726.56
Gifts for Local Church Work	46,974.22	63,634.27
Gifts for Cooperative Program	7,745.66	5,170.61
Gifts to Orphanage	1,909.83	2,126.28

Annual Session of Woman's Missionary Union

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH

MAY 22, 1941

MORNING SESSION

Hymn _____ "Jesus Saves"
Devotional _____ Psalm 67:2—Rev. S. A. Stroupe
Greetings _____ Mrs. H. D. Travis
Response _____ Mrs. S. M. Stroupe
Recognition of Pastors and Visitors, and Appointment of Committees
Superintendent's Message _____ Mrs. C. A. Bowmen
Continuing Through the Local Society ____ Local Presidents
Report of Young People's Leader _____ Mrs. Allen Laxton
Special Music ____ Miss Ruth Keller and Miss Martha Stroupe
Report of Stewardship _____ Miss Pearl Keller
Cooperative Program _____ Mrs. Frank Smith
Hundred Thousand Club _____ Mrs. Nora Annas
Mission Study Report _____ Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Report of Personal Service _____ Mrs. C. L. Wilson
Report of Librarian _____ Miss Ella Dickson
Report of Literature _____ Mrs. C. T. Smith
Report of Treasurer _____ Mrs. Fred Bowman
Training School _____ Miss Ruth Keller
The Margaret Fund _____ Mrs. Phil Fletcher
Hymn _____ "Throw Out the Life Line"
Address _____ Mrs. W. D. Briggs
Announcements and Benediction
Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

Hymn _____ "There Shall Be Showers of Blessings"
Devotional _____ Mrs. Andrew Triplet
Talk _____ Miss Ruth Keller
I Went to Greensboro _____ Mrs. O .R. Mangum
Open Conference Conducted by State Worker
Report of Committees
Playlet _____ Concord W. M. U.
Adjourn

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Twenty-two W. M. S. organizations; 5 new W. M. S. organized; 11 societies visited; 458 miles traveled; 93 letters written; 62 cards written; 2 meetings held.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. C. A. BOWMAN

We wish to thank Mrs. C. M. Abernathy for her kindness in mimeographing our program. We are also grateful to Concord church for their generous hospitality.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. C. A. BOWMAN
MRS. FRED BOWMAN

REPORT OF FINANCES

	W.M.S.	Y.W.A.	G.A.	R. A.	S.B.
Blairs Fork	24.50				
Concord	7.00				
Dudley Shoals	11.50				
First Lenoir	748.13	65.22	43.46	33.46	4.90
Grandin	12.65				
Granite Falls	96.90		5.60		
Lower Creek	515.35	133.70	27.23	19.05	11.58
Nelson's Chapel	17.25				
Poovey's Grove	4.50				
Rhodhiss	105.26	4.25	.55		
South Lenoir	227.50	39.00	9.70	11.65	7.70
Sardis	38.76				
Whitnel					
Whitnel Central	1.25				
Yadkin					
Mt. Zion	8.50				
Piney Grove	13.00				
Kings Creek	19.20				
Union	1.00				
Totals	1852.25	242.17	86.54	64.16	24.18

Grand Total $2269.30

Amount spent for postage 5.00
Postage on hand 1.00

ANNUAL REPORT OF MISSION STUDY OF CALDWELL ASSO.

1940

No. Mission Study Classes 36
No. Record Cards 54
No. Certificates 49
No. Reading Cards 4

No. Reading Stamps	4
No. Small Seals	277
No. Honor Certificates	1
No. Honor Seals	2
No. Official Seals	25
No. Enrolled in Societies	429
No. Engaged in Study	303
No. Receiving Awards	241

OFFICE REPORT

No. Books ordered for Associational Library	11
No. Examination Papers graded	12
No. Letters and Postals Written	70
No. Telephone Calls	30

SUGGESTED AIMS FOR 1941

1. An ACTIVE Mission Study Chairman in EVERY Church.

2. Still more Classes in our Woman's Missionary Societies with renewed effort to enlist ALL of our Women in REAL Mission Study.

3. More real sponsoring of our Young People's Organizations in an effort to see that Classes are conducted in every Y. W. A., G. A., R. A., and Sunbeam Band.

4. Earnest Prayer for enlarged Vision, as well as increased knowledge, that as we KNOW, we may GROW and GO.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. A. Boldin, Mis. Study Sec.

REPORT ON LITERATURE

Biblical Recorder	75
Royal Service	82
World Comrades	22
Windows	12

Respectfully,
MRS. C. T. SMITH.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Superintendent	Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Assistant Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary and Treasurer	Mrs. Fred Bowman
Mission Study	Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Stewardship	Mrs. Z. E. Adams
Personal Service	Miss Annie Belle Steele
Librarian	Miss Ella Dickson
Young People's Leader	Mrs. Allen Laxton

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. F. F. NIFONG,
MRS. ROBERT SMITH,
MRS. J. N. MOORE.

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

In behalf of the W. M. U. women of the Caldwell Association, we wish to express:

1. Our appreciation to the Concord Baptist Church, and the women of the W. M. U. Society, and pastor for their hospitality.
2. To express to Mrs. Bowman for her faithful leadership and most inspiring program.
3. To express our grateful appreciation to each one who has contributed to the program.
4. To the pastors for their cooperation with the women.
5. That we gratefully recognize Mrs. Briggs by stand, for her most inspiring address and discussion.
6. That as we go from this place, our convictions are renewed that only as we lift Him up from the earth will the people of the world be drawn to Him, and will His way be made known unto the world.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. NELLIE CARSON
MRS. C. A. KELLAR

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RECOMMENDATIONS

In view of the conditions of the world today, we recommend:

1—That we put God first in all things, deepening our prayer lives by our petitions for the Kingdom work and universal peace.

2—That we strive to increase all phases of W. M. U. work; that every society secure membership in the Hundred Thousand Club, and that individual membership be urged; and to accept the apportionment given us by the state.

3—That we stress the missionary education of our young people by sponsoring their organizations.

4—That we stress all the special programs sponsored by the W. M. U.

Respectfully submitted,
MISS RUTH KELLER,
MRS. A. F. SHARPE,
MRS. W. D. BRIGGS.

REPORTS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ORGANIZATIONS

REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEADER

5 Y. W. A. Organizations.
6 G. A. Organizations.
4 R. A. Organizations
4 S. B. Organizations.
Total amount of gifts, $416.48.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. ALLEN LAXTON.

REPORT OF PERSONAL SERVICE

Our assigned personal service begins by showing Christian fellowship with all groups and communities and ends when they have been won to Christ and led into his service.

Societies engaged in Personal Service	10
Personal Service Committees	8
Definite Soul Winning	7
Mission Study Schools	1
Cottage Prayer Meetings	4
Work for Underprivileged Children	3
Work for Negroes	2
Holding Services in Prison Camps	2
Daily Vacation Bible School	3

Let us keep this thought ever before us: "Whensoever ye will you may do them good." Mark 14:7.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. C. L. WILSON

REPORT OF TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church of Lenoir invites the W. M. U. Association to meet with them in 1942.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. O. L. GRICE
MRS. RAY HOLSCLAW
MRS. W. F. KIRBY

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Books Loaned	57
Books Returned	65
Books Purchased	11
Books Donated	11
Books Now in Library	250

Respectfully submitted,
MISS ELLA DICKSON

ROLL CALL OF CHURCHES

Those holding membership with the women's work of the Caldwell Association are:

Blairs Fork	3	Sardis	5
Concord	25	Whitnel	0
Dudley Shoals	4	Whitnel Central	0
Lenoir First	13	Yadkin	0
Lenoir South	2	Mt. Zion	0
Grandin	0	Piney Grove	0
Granite Falls	7	Kings Creek	4
Lower Creek	11	Union	0
Nelson's Chapel	4	Center Grove	7
Rhodhiss	5	Long Ford	0
Poovey's Grove	4	Harris Chapel	0

Our Honored Dead

BETHEL—
Mr. John Whisenant (Deacon)

BUFFALO COVE—
Mr. S. E. Turnmire
Mr. John F. Robbins

CENTRAL—
Mrs. W. B. Oxford

CLARK'S CHAPEL—
Mrs. Ella Cosby

CONCORD—
Mrs. Billie Butler
Mr. Ivey Bryant

DUDLEY SHOALS—
Miss Reva Austin
Mrs. Emma Deal

GRANITE FALLS FIRST—
Mr. J. S. Johnson
Mr. O. S. Johnson

KINGS CREEK—
Mr. Hamp Kirby
Mr. W. L. Wells
Mrs. W. L. Wells
Mr. J. K. Barlow
Mr. H. G. Barlow
Mrs. M. H. Laney
Mrs. T. D. Earnest

LENOIR FIRST—
Mr. S. Q. Myers
Mr. C. H. Runion
Mr. S. A. Smith
Mrs. G. R. Clark
Mrs. D. N. Hicks
Mrs. Y. D. Moore

LENOIR SOUTH—
Mr. Adolphus Price
Mr. R. E. Campbell

LOWER CREEK—
Miss Stella Puett
Mr. Edward Barlow
Mr. Steel Barlow

LONGFORD—
Mr. Burton Hartley

MAPLE GROVE—
Mrs. Sarah Tolbert
Mrs. Ida Beam

MILLER HILL—
Miss Georgie Jenkins

MOUNTAIN GROVE—
Mrs. Mary Blane

MT. ZION—
Mrs. Ida Smith
Mr. P. G. Turnmire
Mr. Ralph Gurnes

MULVALE—
Mr. R. B. Glass
Mrs. Sabie Puett

NELSON CHAPEL—
Mrs. Maggie Knight

OAK GROVE—
Mr. J. F. Richard (Deacon)
Mr. Hubert Day (Deacon)

PISGAH—
Mr. Charlie Calvis

POOVEY'S GROVE—
Mr. J. E. Byers

RHODHISS—
Mr. J. C. Harrill
Mr. J. H. Jolly
Mr. G. W. Stroup

SARDIS—
Mr. B. S. Cloer

UNION—
Mrs. Avery West
Mrs. J. L. McLeod

UNION GROVE—
Mr. G. W. Smith

WINKLER'S GROVE—
Mr. W. S. Winkler

WHITNEL—
Miss Lucy Prestwood

YADKIN—
Mrs. J. R. Farthering

THERE IS NO DEATH

There is no death! The stars go down
To rise upon some other shore,
And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown
They shine forevermore.

There is no death! An angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread;
He bears our best loved ones away,
And then we call them "dead."

He leaves our hearts all desolate;
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers;
Transplanted into bliss, they now
Adorn immortal bowers.

—John L. McCreery.

Jesus said: "I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth in me, though he die, yet shall he live." John 11:25.

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. BURNETT.

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION B. T. U. DIRECTORS AND W. M. S. PRESIDENTS

	B. T. U. DIRECTORS	W. M. U. PRESIDENTS
....		....
Bethel.....	E. R. White, Morganton	
Concord.....	Howard Curtis, Granite Falls	Mrs. Jessie Kale, Granite Falls
Clark Chapel....	Mrs. George Craig, R.3, Lenoir	....
Center Grove....	S. G. Philips, Hudson	C. W. Colvard, Hudson
Granite.....	Darrel Kirby, Granite Falls	....
Central.....	....	Mrs. D. C. Bradford, Lenoir
Dudley Shoals...	....	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls
Granite Falls....	....	Mrs. E. Car Cline, Granite Falls
Grandin.....	....	Mrs. Bill Howell, R.1, Lenoir
Kings Creek.....	Colon Keller, R.1, Lenoir	Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, Kings Creek
Lower Creek....	Miss Annie Belle Steel, Lenoir	Mrs. C. W. Pennell, R.1, Lenoir
Lenoir First.....	Noah J. Roberts, Lenoir	Mrs. Frank L. Smith, Lenoir
Lenoir South....	Miss Billie Winkler, Lenoir	Mrs. Andrew Triplett, Lenoir
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Ruth Green, Granite Falls	Mrs. B. B. Bean, Granite Falls
Mt. Zion.....	G. F. Woods, R.1, Hudson	Mrs. J. L. Julian, Hudson
Piney Grove....	....	Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Yadkin Valley
Poovey's Grove.	Pearl Keller, R.2, Granite Falls	Mrs. Vergie M. Cooke, R.2, Gr'te Falls
Rhodhiss.....	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss	Mr. C. C. Hunsucker, Rhodhiss
Sardis.....	Miss Mae Smith, Hudson	Mrs. R. B. Burnett, R.2, Lenoir
Union.....	....	Mrs. John D. Roberts, R.2, Lenoir
Whitnel.....	W. D. Goble, Whitnel	....
Yadkin.....	C. A. Coffey, R.5, Lenoir	....

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CHURCH DIRECTORY

	PASTORS	SUPERINTENDENTS	CLERKS	TREASURERS
Blairs Fork	J. P. Davis, Hartford, Tenn.	John Taylor, Lenoir, R.5	W. B. Holseclaw, Lenoir, R.5	R. M. Issac, Lenoir, R.4
Buffalo	James Matney, Blowing Rock	W. T. Coffey, Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Buffalo Cove
Bethany	Lenard Bean Mortimer	Murry Green, Finley	M. A. Bolick, Finley	M. A. Bolick, Finley
Bethel	Edward Bennett, Morganton, R.2.	Ralph Moore, Morganton, R.3	R. H. Cannon, Worry	R. H. Cannon, Worry
Concord	S. A. Stroup, Granite Falls	George Hollar, Granite Falls	Mrs. R. G. Teague, Granite Falls.	R. C. Icenhour, Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	L. E. Snipes, Morganton	Charlie Parson, Lenoir, R.3	Howard Clark, Lenoir, R.3	Violet Stone, Lenoir, R.3
Conway's Chapel	J. S. Silvers, Lenoir, R.4	J. C. Braswell, Lenoir, R.4	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Lenoir, R.4.	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Lenoir, R.4.
Center Grove	C. W. Colvard, Hudson	J. M. Edward, Hudson, R.1	W. R. Edwards, Hudson, R.1	J. M. Edwards, Hudson
Central	Eugene Couch, Lenoir, R.2	Joe Smith, Whitnel	Glenn McCall, Lenoir, R.2	J. M. Bentley, Lenoir, R.2
Dudley Shoals	E. V. Bumgarner, Taylorsville	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls	Fred Bowman, Granite Falls	Fred Bowman, Granite Falls
Edgemont				
Flemings Chapel	J. S. Silvers, Lenoir, R.4	Ray Davis, Lenoir, R.4	D. S. Richards, Lenoir, R.4	D. S. Richards, Lenoir, R.4
Granite Falls	Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	W. F. Kerely, Granite Falls	Connie Yount, Granite Falls	P. L. Moore, Granite Falls
Greene Valley	R. H. Shore, Blowing Rock	O. C. Dellinger, Collettsville	D. B. Green, Collettsville	J. B. Hayes, Collettsville
Grandin	A. E. Watts, Taylorsville	Mrs. G. M. Icenhour, Lenoir, R.1	Hill Lackey, Lenoir, R.1	Ida Greer, Lenoir, R.1
Globe	J. C. Brooks, Granite Falls	R. C. Cook, Globe	R. C. Cook, Globe	R. C. Cook, Globe
Green Rock	Henry Smith, Deep Gap	J. C. Hawkins, Yadkin Valley	F. T. Hawkins, Lenoir, R.1	F. T. Hawkins, Lenoir, R.1
Grandvieu Park	Loman R. Shew, Lenoir, R. 3	D. L. Snyder, Lenoir, R.3	H. I. Buchon, Lenoir, R.3	J. L. Owens, Lenoir, R.3
Harris Chapel	Grant Miller, Jr., Granite Falls	Dallas Annas, Hudson, R.1	D. J. Annas, Lenoir, R.1	Ben Sullivan, Hudson, R.1
Hartland	L. E. Snipes, Morganton	A. P. Anderson, Lenoir, R.4	R. S. Watson, Lenoir, R.4	R. R. Tunmire, Lenoir, R.4
John's River	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	Troy Estes, Upton	Troy Estes, Upton	R. C. Estes, Upton
Kings Creek	E. V. Bumgarner, Taylorsville	Victor Roberts, Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, Lenoir, R.1	H. M. Beach, Lenoir, R.1
Lower Creek	Zebulan Caudle, Lenoir, R.1	G. G. Steel, Lenoir, R.1	J. R. Swanson, Lenoir	P. O. Fry, Lenoir
Lenoir First	O. R. Mangum, Lenoir	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	R. Carter Powell, Lenoir	Will Watson, Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. S. Benfield, Lenoir	Ira Pritchard, Lenoir	H. W. Chester, Lenoir	Eugene McMillan, Lenoir
Lovelady	M. A. Bradshaw, Hudson	June Weaver, Granite Falls	W. P. Yount, Granite Falls, R.1	
Longford	A. W. Eller, Wilkesboro, R.1	Bill Crump, Lenoir, R.1	A. A. Watson, Lenoir, R.5	Lenard Borders, Lenoir, R.1
Mulberry	L. B. Bean, Globe	H. C. Bolick, Rufus	H. I. Green, Rufus	H. I. Green, Rufus
Mountain Grove	L. E. Snipes, Morganton	Ivey Hall, Granite Falls	J. L. Smith, Granite Falls	Howard L. Beck, Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	Grant Miller, Jr., Granite Falls	M. Bumgarner, Granite Falls	W. A. Miller, Granite Falls, R.2.	A. J. Barker, Hudson, R.2
Miller Hill	L. A. Miller, Lenoir, R.3	Bryant Triplett, Lenoir, R.3	Glenn Story, Lenoir, R.3	Mrs. L. A. Miller, Lenoir, R.3
Maple Grove	L. P. Hass, Granite Falls	M. E. Bean, Mortimer	Connie Philyaw, Globe	Martha Bean, Mortimer
Mulvale	Zeb A. Caudle, Lenoir, R.1	Cicle Clark, Lenoir, R.4	Walter Estes, Lenoir, R.4	Maggie Marler, Lenoir, R.4
Nelson Chapel	M. D. Blackburn, Lenoir, R.5	E. L. Curtis, Lenoir, R.5	E. L. Curtis, Lenoir, R.5	E. L. Curtis, Lenoir, R.5
Oak Grove	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	H. L. Richard, Granite Falls	Ruby Myers, Granite Falls	J. B. Myers, Granite Falls
Pisgah	C. M. Curtis, Rhodhiss	Earl E. Gentry, Lenoir	Mark Smith, Lenoir	Marshall Sanders, Lenoir, R.3
Piney Grove	W. J. Cook, Boone, R.1	W. D. Goble, Yadkin Valley	W. D. Goble, Yadkin Valley	W. D. Goble, Yadkin Valley
Poovey's Grove	S. M. Stroup, Alexis	Harvy Sherrill, Granite Falls	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls	H. J. Starnes, Granite Falls
Poovey's Chapel	R. L. Prestwood, Lenoir, R.2	Floyd Ekhard, Hudson	J. L. Sigmon, Hudson	Aaron Hartley, Hudson
Rhodhiss	R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss	Boyd Curtis, Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss	W. H. Barker, Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	T. E. Payne, Hudson	C. F. Annas, Collettsville	M. C. Estes, Hudson	Lois Tolbert, Collettsville
Rufus	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	W. C. Green, Lenoir, R.4	W. B. Green, Lenoir, R.4	W. B. Green, Lenoir, R.4
Sardis	R. B. Burnett, Lenoir, R.2	Geo. D. Carroll, Hudson	Z. V. Johnson, Hudson	E. C. Shell, Hudson
Union Grove	L. E. Snipes, Morganton	O. L. Gibson, Lenoir, R.3	O. L. Gibson, Lenoir, R.3	T. E. Smith, Lenoir, R.3
Union	W. W. Lyons, Lenoir, R.2	Beard McRary, Lenoir, R.2	George McLeod, Lenoir, R.2	Ralph McRary, Lenoir, R.2
Whitnel	J. B. Payne, Whitnel	Lester Griffin Whitnel	M. A. Setzer, Lenoir, R.2	W. D. Goble, Whitnel
Winklers Grove	J. W. Greer, Granite Falls	J. R. Holland, Hickory, R.3	A. J. Hildebran, Hickory	A. J. Hildebran, Hickory
Yadkin	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	D. R. Collins, Lenoir, R.5	C. A. Coffey, Lenoir, R.5	A. E. Pierce, Lenoir, R.5
Yadkin Valley	J. P. Davis, Hartford, Tenn.	Luther Miller, Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Vernon Palmer, Lenoir, R.5.	George Sutton, Lenoir, R.5

TABLE ONE—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Village, Town, or Country	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP											Weekly Prayer Meets	Revival Meetings Held	Observance Lord's Supper	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
			Members Reported Last Year	GAINS				LOSSES				Total Present Members					
				Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths						
Blairs Fork	V	1 3	175	10	6	1	...	6	...	...	...	186	*	2	2	...	
Buffalo	C	4 2	110	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	110	...	2	1	...	
Bethany	C	3	106	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	109	...	1	2	...	
Bethel	C	1	123	2	4	...	...	4	...	...	1	124	*	1	1	...	
Concord	T	All	282	8	6	...	...	17	...	...	2	277	*	2	2	...	
Clarks Chapel	C	1 3	141	13	6	4	...	1	1	...	1	161	*	2	1	1	
Conways Chapel	C	2 4	56	6	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	68	...	1	...	...	
Center Grove	C	All	160	6	7	...	...	7	4	...	...	162	*	1	4	...	
Central	V	All	228	13	6	...	...	2	...	...	1	243	*	1	2	...	
Dudley Shoals	V	2	245	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	2	243	*	1	1	4	
Edgemont	V	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Flemings Chapel	C	1 3	109	13	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	125	*	1	1	...	
Granite Falls	T	All	333	...	4	...	...	9	...	...	2	326	*	...	4	1	
Green Valley	C	1	45	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	43	...	...	1	...	
Grandin	C	4	63	4	4	...	1	5	...	1	...	66	...	1	1	1	
Globe	V	3	132	11	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	138	*	1	2	...	
Green Rock	C	.....	38	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	34	...	...	...	...	
Grandview Park	C	5	104	11	6	2	...	1	...	...	...	122	*	2	2	...	
Harris Chapel	C	1 3	203	...	...	...	1	6	2	...	...	196	*	1	1	...	
Hartland	C	2	89	3	10	...	...	2	...	...	...	100	*	1	1	...	
Johns River	C	1	124	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	123	...	1	2	...	
Kings Creek	C	1	387	14	2	...	...	5	...	...	7	391	...	1	1	2	
Lower Creek	C	All	496	18	16	...	...	11	...	...	3	515	*	1	4	...	
Lenoir First	T	All	719	22	33	...	...	16	...	...	7	751	*	1	4	125	
Lenoir South	T	All	791	14	19	...	...	37	...	5	2	780	*	1	4	2	
Lovelady	C	1 3	50	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	
Long Ford	C	1	164	13	2	...	1	5	...	...	1	174	*	1	1	...	
Mulberry	C	1	67	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	*	1	2	...	
Mountain Grove	C	2 4	183	...	1	...	3	15	...	1	1	140	*	...	2	4	
Mt. Zion	C	All	296	6	8	...	...	7	...	...	2	311	*	1	2	...	
Miller Hill	C	All	89	5	12	...	1	3	4	2	1	97	*	2	2	...	
Maple Grove	C	2	119	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	2	123	...	2	2	...	
Mulvale	C	3	26	4	22	...	...	...	...	...	2	52	...	1	1	...	
Nelson Chapel	C	2 4	157	2	1	...	...	4	1	2	1	152	*	1	...	1	
Oak Grove	C	4	33	17	13	...	1	...	...	...	2	62	*	2	2	...	
Pisgah	C	All	192	15	2	2	4	3	...	...	1	211	*	2	2	...	
Piney Grove	C	2	157	5	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	156	*	1	1	...	
Pooveys Grove	C	1 3	150	17	8	3	...	1	...	1	1	175	*	1	1	2	
Pooveys Chapel	C	1 3	92	5	...	...	...	4	7	...	...	86	*	1	1	...	
Rhodhiss	T	All	424	2	9	...	...	7	...	66	...	377	*	1	4	...	
Rocky Springs	V	2	101	5	3	...	...	34	...	...	...	75	...	1	...	...	
Rufus	C	3	33	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	36	*	1	1	...	
Sardis	V	All	400	13	7	1	1	24	3	2	...	392	*	1	1	1	
Union Grove	C	1 3	185	11	9	1	...	3	...	...	1	202	*	1	1	...	
Union	C	1 3	329	6	5	...	...	2	...	...	2	336	...	1	1	...	
Whitnel	V	All	190	3	28	...	...	11	4	...	1	205	*	1	2	...	
Winkler's Grove	C	All	90	...	4	...	...	4	...	...	1	89	*	1	2	...	
Yadkin	V	2 4	288	3	5	...	...	7	2	...	1	285	...	1	1	...	
Yadkin Valley	C	1*3	45	6	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	52	*	2	1	...	
TOTALS	..	...	9119	315	287	22	16	293	32	82	51	9293	...	54	78	144	

* Yadkin Valley Holds Meetings on First and Third Saturdays.

TABLE TWO—SUNDAY SCHOOLS

CHURCHES	Cradle Roll Under 3 Years	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 and up	Extension Dept.	Departmental Officers	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Baptisms from S. S.	Is School Graded?	Teachers Holding Diplomas	Enrollment D.V.B.S.	Av. Att. D.V.B.S.	No. Depts. V. B. S.
Blairs Fork	...	21	21	17	21	39	44	...	12	176	118	9	*	...	....	...	...
Buffalo	...	10	6	25	12	20	18	...	...	91	80	...	*	...	....	...	...
Bethany	...	15	...	10	...	20	25	...	...	70	58	...	*	...	....	...	...
Bethel	...	20	...	13	19	19	21	...	...	92	65	6	*	...	....	...	...
Concord	70	37	35	59	40	17	69	8	...	335	140	5	*	...	68	62	...
Clarks Chapel	...	15	22	25	20	34	38	...	3	157	84	8	*	...	....	...	...
Conways Chapel	...	10	11	9	8	11	13	...	8	70	59	6	...	...	....	...	...
Center Grove	15	11	28	24	25	28	29	...	13	173	82	...	*	...	....	...	...
Central	14	10	18	16	29	24	36	...	8	155	145	...	*	4	....	...	...
Dudley Shoals	...	21	12	36	25	30	40	...	3	167	93	...	*	...	25	20	...
Edgemont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...
Flemings Chapel	8	16	12	18	26	15	21	...	...	115	90	...	*	...	....	...	...
Granite Falls	9	22	34	47	45	50	71	8	17	303	131	...	*	1	88	79	...
Green Valley	...	8	...	10	18	....	14	...	...	45	30	...	...	...	....	...	...
Grandin	3	5	8	9	9	12	12	...	2	60	43	4	*	...	18	16	...
Globe	...	18	7	12	...	10	13	...	3	60	38	...	...	...	....	...	...
Green Rock	...	4	3	....	3	....	20	...	5	35	20	...	...	...	....	...	...
Grandview Park	...	18	40	48	18	20	44	...	...	188	100	10	*	...	....	...	...
Harris Chapel	4	...	19	25	18	26	24	...	2	118	83	...	*	...	....	...	...
Hartland	...	27	...	24	...	45	32	...	...	128	90	...	*	...	....	...	...
Johns River	...	7	8	...	...	12	7	...	...	34	30	1	...	...	....	...	...
Kings Creek	35	30	27	33	30	33	78	15	...	281	124	14	*	...	83	74	...
Lower Creek	34	30	46	64	50	60	104	26	22	414	222	15	*	...	157	120	...
Lenoir First	77	37	54	93	78	83	224	30	5	681	337	22	*	...	130	93	...
Lenoir South	43	57	90	120	97	94	192	...	23	716	345	14	*	10	155	122	3
Lovelady	...	10	...	12	15	15	8	...	...	60	45	...	...	...	....	...	...
Long Ford	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	154	116	...	...	...	....	...	...
Mulberry	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	45	...	...	...	....	...	...
Mountain Grove	12	12	14	35	40	13	43	...	11	180	140	...	*	...	50	40	5
Mt. Zion	18	30	25	17	28	57	82	10	3	270	150	6	*	...	80	60	6
Miller Hill	...	25	20	17	...	20	42	...	...	124	79	3	...	...	....	...	...
Maple Grove	14	...	34	20	14	26	18	...	11	167	57	...	...	...	....	...	...
Mulvale	...	12	12	12	14	17	30	...	...	97	57	...	...	...	....	...	...
Nelson Chapel	...	14	4	10	15	24	25	...	8	100	52	2	*	...	....	...	...
Oak Grove	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	50	...	...	...	....	...	...
Pisgah	14	25	15	20	37	25	50	...	10	196	155	7	...	...	....	...	...
Piney Grove	...	27	9	14	...	31	33	...	6	120	...	...	...	...	....	...	...
Pooveys Grove	8	13	10	20	31	43	30	...	...	155	85	15	*	...	33	25	17
Pooveys Chapel	...	26	10	17	19	16	13	...	3	104	81	5	...	...	....	...	...
Rhodhiss	12	19	34	54	34	38	103	...	16	310	194	...	*	10	83	62	...
Rocky Springs	...	12	...	25	12	18	25	...	...	92	65	...	...	...	....	...	...
Rufus	...	12	...	7	...	....	27	...	...	46	30	...	...	...	....	...	...
Sardis	31	16	30	42	49	26	105	299	8	307	158	14	*	...	72	58	...
Union Grove	15	13	12	14	14	50	60	...	11	190	120	11	...	3	....	...	...
Union	...	16	11	18	22	28	20	...	...	115	70	6	...	...	22	21	3
Whitnel	20	13	35	36	31	30	78	14	9	266	133	...	...	...	....	...	...
Winkler's Grove	...	16	13	12	11	....	63	...	...	115	55	...	...	...	....	...	...
Yadkin	...	27	34	41	18	56	44	...	9	229	155	...	...	...	....	...	...
Yadkin Valley	...	10	...	10	...	19	19	...	5	63	40	...	...	...	....	...	...
TOTALS	456	797	823	1190	995	1254	2107	410	254	8169	4739	183	...	28	1074	852	34

TABLE THREE—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions, St. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enr'l'd.	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total Enrolled Unions and Story Hours	No. Daily Bible R'd'rs.	No. Taking St. C'rse.	Tot. Systematic Givers	Has Union Been A-1 One Quarter?	No. Unions A-1 1 Qr.	Students in College	Gen., Dep'tal. Officers
Bethel	1	1	1	...	...	3	13	25	13	...	...	41	4	...	...	No	...	...	4
Concord	...	1	1	1	1	4	...	10	9	14	6	39	19	30	...	No	...	...	...
Clark's Chapel	1	...	1	1	...	3	10	...	27	15	...	55	9	30	...	No	...	...	...
Center Grove	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	10	18	16	10	76	30	30	50	No	...	...	3
Central	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	4	25	23	10	94	27	38	14	No	...	...	...
Granite Falls	1	1	1	2	1	6	15	16	14	18	10	73	31	...	9	No	...	...	7
King's Creek	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	21	13	17	...	51	30	...	...	No	...	...	...
Lower Creek	1	1	1	1	1	5	40	28	26	19	10	122	25	67	17	No	2	...	...
Lenoir First	...	1	2	1	...	4	...	27	43	18	...	88	24	33	54	No	...	...	...
Lenoir South	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	10	12	13	9	62	24	26	42	No	...	2	5
Mountain Grove	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	11	25	21	...	69	32	67	...	No	...	2	...
Mt. Zion	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	24	6	16	20	83	37	45	72	No	...	1	9
Poovey's Grove	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	10	15	10	...	35	8	10	8	No	...	...	...
Rhodhiss	1	1	1	1	...	4	10	10	7	27	...	52	45	55	48	Yes	4	1	...
Sardis	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	9	19	11	...	39	...	...	...	No	...	...	...
Union	...	1	1	...	1	3	...	15	13	...	16	44	12	26	...	No	...	...	...
Whitnel	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	9	7	16	16	62	31	32	36	No	...	...	...
Yadkin	1	1	1	1	...	4	10	18	19	18	...	66	23	...	...	No	...	2	...
Totals	12	17	19	16	10	75	193	267	311	272	107	*	411	498	350	...	6	8	28

* Total Enrolled in Unions, 1151.

TABLE FOUR—WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	Number of W. M. S.	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Org's.	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A. Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled M.S.C.	Contributions to Local Work by W. M. U.	Mission Contributions by W. M. U.	Total Contributions by W. M. U.
Blairs Fork	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	8	57.80	54.75	112.55
Concord	1	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	246.49	74.50	320.99
Center Grove	1	1	...	...	...	2	17	10	...	...	...	27	27	.....	.....	37.81
Central	1	1	...	...	...	2	20	18	...	...	...	38	38	50.00	.....	50.00
Dudley Shoals	1	...	...	...	...	1	17	...	...	...	...	17	12	10.00	46.27	56.27
Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	40	12	32	19	7	110	15	.....	.....	119.60
Grandin	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	8	8	15.00	10.00	25.00
Grandview Park	1	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	72.06	15.38	87.34
Kings Creek	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	.....	24.35	24.35
Lower Creek	1	1	1	1	1	5	60	15	15	10	15	115	20	42.46	796.30	838.76
Lenoir First	1	1	2	1	1	6	104	17	24	13	30	188	188	156.82	155.23	312.05
Lenoir South	1	2	1	1	1	6	70	22	10	7	20	129	...	43.70	248.42	292.12
Long Ford	1	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	8.15	18.35	24.51
Mountain Grove	1	...	...	...	...	1	13	...	...	...	...	13	...	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Zion	1	...	...	...	...	1	18	...	...	...	...	18	5	5.00	25.00	30.00
Nelson's Chapel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Piney Grove	1	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	14	14	138.50	6.00	144.50
Poovey's Grove	1	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	7	7	.....	.....	.....
Rhodhiss	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	199.35	199.35
Sardis	2	...	...	...	1	3	26	...	...	...	12	38	9	.....	51.36	51.36
Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS	20	7	6	5	6	44	469	94	81	49	84	797	351	845.98	1725.26	2726.56

TABLE FIVE—CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCHES	Own House Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Dept. Assembly Rms.	No. Sep. Class Rms.	Value Church House and Grounds	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness	Insurance Carried
Blairs Fork	Yes	1891	Wood	300	7	1	6	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
Buffalo	Yes	1895	Wood	370	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Bethany	Yes	1902	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Bethel	Yes	1912	Wood	200	4	1	4	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Concord	Yes	1926	Brick	400	17	2	16	15000	2000	17000	450.00	9500
Clarks Chapel	Yes	1905	Wood	300	7	2	6	1600	.....	18000	.....	.....
Conways Chapel	Yes	....	Wood	250	1	...	...	1100	.....	1100	.....	.....
Center Grove	Yes	1918	Wood	400	8	1	7	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
Central	Yes	1938	Wood	350	6	1	8	3800	.....	3800	.....	000
Dudley Shoals	Yes	1904	Wood	350	15	3	14	4500	.....	4500	.....	2000
Edgemont		....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	Yes	1888	Wood	500	4	1	4	2200	.....	2200	.....	.....
Granite Falls	Yes	1907	Brick	350	27	3	24	20000	3000	23000	2100.00	12000
Green Valley	No	1941	Wood	200	1	...	...	850	.....	850	.....	.....
Grandin	Yes	1925	Wood	300	3	1	3	4000	.....	4000	.....	.....
Globe	Yes	1872	Wood	150	2	...	...	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Rock	No	1925	Wood	100	1	...	...	300	.....	300	.....	.....
Grandview Park	Yes	1930	Wood	300	10	1	9	300	.....	3100	.....	.....
Harris Chapel	Yes	1924	Wood	500	7	1	6	2300	.....	2300	65.00	1000
Hartland	Yes	1938	Wood	200	1	4	...	1000	.....	1000	119.78	800
Johns River	Yes	1890	Wood	150	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
Kings Creek	Yes	1928	Brick	500	12	1	11	10000	.....	10000	.....	.....
Lower Creek	Yes	1904	Brick	550	28	6	24	44000	4500	49200	.....	10000
Lenoir First	Yes	1924	Stone	700	41	7	34	165000	.....	165000	.....	70000
Lenoir South	Yes	1923	Brick	500	52	8	44	40000	.....	42000	.....	15000
Lovelady	Yes	1935	Wood	300	5	1	1	1200	.....	1400	150.00	400
Long Ford	Yes	1936	Wood	250	6	...	6	1500	.....	1200	411.00	600
Mulberry	Yes	1853	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain Grove	Yes	1936	Brick	300	7	1	6	3500	.....	.....	.....	600
Mt. Zion	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	...	8	4000	1500	5500	1040.00	3000
Miller Hill	Yes	1935	Wood	200	5	1	5	1500	2000	3500	1500.00	2800
Maple Grove	Yes	1936	Wood	200	1	...	...	1800	.....	1800	.....	.....
Mulvale		....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nelson Chapel	Yes	1906	Wood	300	1	...	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oak Grove	Yes	1900	Wood	150	...	...	...	500	.....	600	.....	300
Pisgah	Yes	1877	Wood	300	1	...	6	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Piney Grove	Yes	1941	Wood	400	3	5	4	3000	.....	3000	.....	2000
Pooveys Grove	Yes	1938	Brick	300	12	1	10	5500	.....	6100	767.25	1700
Pooveys Chapel	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
Rhodhiss	Yes	1903	B-W	400	14	...	13	9000	.....	9000	276.36	3000
Rocky Springs	Yes	1906	Wood	400	1	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rufus	Yes	1940	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Sardis	Yes	1925	Wood	350	7	1	7	5000	.....	5200	.....	2000
Union Grove	Yes	1898	Brick	400	10	...	10	4500	.....	4800	1000.00	2000
Union	Yes	1941	Stone	400	16	...	16	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Whitnel	Yes	1925	Brick	400	18	...	18	10000	200	10200	.....	4000
Winkler's Grove	Yes	1894	Wood	300	5	...	4	1500	.....	1500	300.00	.....
Yadkin	Yes	1902	Brick	400	8	...	7	4800	.....	4800	661.85	2000
Yadkin Valley	Yes	1935	Wood	150	1	1	...	1100	.....	1100	.....	.....
TOTALS		....	.....	14980	391	55	347	391800	13200	423050	8941.24	347200

TABLE SIX

LOCAL WORK

CHURCHES

CHURCHES	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given for Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total for Local Purposes Given by Churches	Pledged To Co-operative Program	Pledged to Associational Missions	No. Tithers
Blairs Fork	452.20	.....	55.15	.....	38.48	59.73	.....	18.00	2.00	28.00	701.39	.....	.....	...
Buffalo	144.00	.....	35.00	.....	.....	.....	24.00	.....	1.75	19.75	224.50	.....	.....	...
Bethany	88.50	.....	12.40	.....	.....	.....	13.60	.....	1.00	.....	114.50	.....	.....	...
Bethel	293.40	.....	43.00	176.50	.....	25.00	37.94	10.00	2.00	.....	587.84	.....	.....	11
Concord	1339.50	.....	80.35	647.83	353.52	418.54	240.58	24.25	5.00	135.50	3245.17	.....	.....	25
Clarks Chapel	324.78	.....	40.00	3.00	.....	59.52	56.88	10.00	2.00	136.42	632.60	20.00	.....	3
Conways Chapel	123.50	.....	.....	20.00	.....	12.85	14.81	.....	2.00	9.60	182.76	.....	.....	...
Center Grove	646.26	.....	33.50	133.40	.....	.....	57.34	84.55	5.00	86.00	1046.05	.....	.....	33
Central	1390.65	.....	29.70	126.00	426.14	430.38	168.94	.....	.....	309.20	2781.04	100.00	.....	15
Dudley Shoals	357.64	.....	45.00	64.00	.....	94.33	50.52	.....	3.00	13.95	638.44	.....	.....	...
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Flemings Chapel	165.00	.....	24.75	.....	.....	38.25	39.72	9.00	3.00	119.58	399.30	.....	.....	...
Granite Falls	1179.31	.....	35.00	458.22	415.05	341.49	178.40	31.21	6.00	42.00	2694.68	.....	.....	16
Green Valley	68.96	.....	.....	300.00	.....	2.25	6.10	.....	.50	4.40	382.21	.....	.....	...
Grandin	295.52	.....	21.00	165.57	.....	25.00	24.40	35.00	2.00	.....	568.49	50.00	.....	12
Globe	100.00	.....	50.00	.....	.....	15.00	21.00	.....	1.00	4.50	191.50	.....	.....	25
Green Rock	72.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	10.00	1.00	5.00	98.00	.....	.....	...
Grandview Park	250.36	.....	172.56	14.00	19.32	44.54	65.00	3.78	3.25	91.28	834.84	.....	.....	...
Harris Chapel	452.18	6.00	15.12	29.00	175.35	55.38	70.90	.....	3.00	.....	806.93	.....	.....	3
Hartland	207.44	22.96	24.79	.....	186.38	83.32	24.00	76.75	5.00	.....	730.54	.....	.....	...
Johns River	80.82	.....	28.00	.....	.....	14.00	12.00	5.00	1.25	7.86	147.68	.....	.....	40
Kings Creek	434.00	.....	62.00	96.65	.....	80.61	93.00	10.00	5.00	18.64	789.90	.....	.....	...
Lower Creek	2066.00	.....	120.00	462.20	.....	495.17	213.27	.....	15.00	618.27	4009.55	.....	60.00	...
Lenoir First	3600.00	668.00	103.03	2616.99	2370.58	2390.58	461.04	125.00	15.00	569.01	12213.03	2500.00	60.00	...
Lenoir South	1800.00	60.00	140.00	27.73	1082.09	1121.37	544.81	131.65	8.00	324.65	5240.30	.....	36.00	75
Lovelady	111.10	.....	.....	.....	79.84	.....	20.00	.....	.....	.....	210.94	.....	.....	...
Long Ford	235.53	.....	73.03	.....	171.60	42.24	92.02	12.62	3.00	13.28	644.32	.....	.....	1
Mulberry	54.88	.....	23.55	.....	.....	1.00	10.41	.....	.....	.....	89.84	.....	.....	...
Mountain Grove	200.00	.....	.....	94.50	.....	67.00	98.00	.....	2.00	124.25	585.75	72.47	.....	4
Mt. Zion	697.67	22.00	67.50	193.83	235.20	155.60	114.36	20.30	6.00	134.87	1647.03	.....	.....	10
Miller Hill	394.00	.....	203.95	441.60	301.82	54.96	43.02	13.88	3.75	46.58	1503.56	50.03	.....	10
Maple Grove	43.01	.....	21.36	23.62	.....	.....	16.49	1.25	.50	11.10	117.08	.....	.....	...
Mulvale	60.00	.....	32.25	66.55	.....	3.20	19.90	.....	2.00	35.15	217.05	25.00	.....	...
Nelson Chapel	251.27	.....	20.20	.....	.....	39.24	40.98	.....	3.00	.....	354.69	.....	.....	...
Oak Grove	61.07	.....	.....	3.75	.....	13.31	20.60	3.55	1.50	90.00	193.78	.....	.....	...
Pisgah	646.68	.....	227.94	57.95	.....	60.00	36.22	34.42	3.50	33.93	1097.14	.....	.....	...
Piney Grove	94.45	.....	22.02	2445.26	.....	45.56	41.61	.....	2.50	1.31	2652.44	.....	.....	...
Pooveys Grove	342.00	.....	41.30	.....	329.80	45.05	66.75	.....	1.75	51.06	877.71	26.70	19.30	2
Pooveys Chapel	12.00	.....	27.69	.....	.....	30.74	35.52	.....	2.75	99.75	316.20	.....	.....	...
Rhodhiss	1462.00	30.00	90.85	320.11	367.64	363.96	170.09	25.00	5.00	84.63	2919.28	397.11	.....	23
Rocky Springs	.....	55.00	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	358.00	.....	.....	...
Rufus	134.40	10.04	15.00	493.15	.....	51.15	10.52	28.00	3.00	.....	742.26	.....	.....	...
Sardis	1063.07	.....	71.36	.....	.....	207.96	179.44	48.46	7.00	18.00	1659.54	73.73	.....	7
Union Grove	375.30	.....	63.00	275.00	276.00	88.00	48.00	8.00	4.00	102.50	1239.00	.....	.....	...
Union	290.33	.....	50.00	.....	.....	53.00	63.96	82.80	2.50	536.29	1017.88	.....	.....	5
Whitnel	1442.50	.....	90.00	112.86	430.82	196.89	146.20	364.66	6.00	115.44	2905.37	.....	52.00	15
Winkler's Grove	172.04	.....	55.72	369.91	.....	6.85	32.70	.....	1.00	163.72	801.94	.....	.....	...
Yadkin	377.00	.....	92.00	800.00	391.27	164.20	87.54	24.84	2.75	10.48	2047.31	45.00	.....	5
Yadkin Valley	71.09	.....	40.19	.....	.....	26.51	20.28	.....	2.00	14.85	174.92	6.87	.....	...
TOTALS	24577.23	874.00	2499.26	9344.18	7640.90	7503.73	3837.86	1251.97	160.75	4228.80	62827.34	3366.91	227.30	340

TABLE SEVEN

ALL BENEVOLENCES

CHURCHES

	Total to Co-operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Seminaries	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	Red Cross and Foreign Relief	Total Given for Missions	Grand Total for All Purposes
Blairs Fork	.....	.....	.....	14.00	.....	.....	.....	12.00	13.00	.....	.....	.....	39.00	740.39
Buffalo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.50	14.50	.....	.....	.....	18.00	242.50
Bethany	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.50	.....	.....	.....	5.50	120.00
Bethel	11.00	.....	.....	2.50	2.50	7.00	20.00	10.00	12.50	.....	.....	14.25	79.75	667.59
Concord	152.09	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71.50	10.17	.....	.....	.....	261.76	3496.83
Clarks Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17.52	15.00	.....	.....	.....	33.52	665.12
Conways Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	190.26
Center Grove	3.05	22.40	27.19	.....	.....	.....	.....	86.61	21.98	.....	.....	.....	160.43	1206.48
Central	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	23.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	60.00	2841.04
Dudley Shoals	11.50	.....	14.27	.....	10.50	.....	.....	43.39	6.00	.....	.....	.....	85.66	714.10
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21.00	4.25	.....	.....	.....	25.25	424.25
Granite Falls	215.48	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67.03	84.18	.....	.....	.....	378.69	3073.37
Green Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.60	.....	.....	.....	7.60	389.81
Grandin	52.70	.....	.....	.....	4.40	.....	.....	40.38	14.18	.....	6.00	9.50	121.22	756.87
Globe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	4.00	660.87
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	103.00
Grandview Park	.....	.....	5.98	.....	.....	.....	.....	65.52	14.32	.....	.....	.....	85.82	926.66
Harris Chapel	.....	.....	12.40	1.80	1.80	.....	.....	73.57	10.00	.....	.....	.....	99.64	906.57
Hartland	.....	.....	.....	7.55	.....	.....	.....	10.00	14.65	6.27	.....	2.00	40.57	771.11
Johns River	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	152.68
Kings Creek	88.35	12.00	4.68	5.46	.....	12.55	.....	171.31	20.00	.....	.....	.....	314.25	1104.16
Lower Creek	1231.38	108.58	32.94	35.19	.....	122.98	.....	264.34	50.70	.....	.....	.....	1846.11	5855.66
Lenoir First	2268.15	20.00	18.67	28.90	.....	.....	.....	310.35	331.10	144.00	34.00	54.83	3266.66	15479.69
Lenoir South	440.00	18.00	10.50	29.75	18.00	17.00	.....	151.00	40.00	.....	27.62	16.00	767.87	6008.17
Lovelady	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Long Ford	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	23.00	665.97
Mulberry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	4.00	93.84
Mountain Grove	72.47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.59	16.80	.....	.....	.....	126.86	712.61
Mt. Zion	.....	25.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	10.50	.....	94.00	42.00	.....	.....	26.30	248.80	1895.83
Miller Hill	50.03	.....	9.00	9.00	9.00	3.50	3.50	28.14	8.00	4.50	5.50	.....	130.17	1633.73
Maple Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.13	.....	.....	.....	9.13	126.21
Mulvale	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.50	284.55
Nelson Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	33.00	.....	.....	62.38	105.38	460.07
Oak Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.08	.....	.....	.....	4.95	9.03	202.01
Pisgah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	13.90	.....	.....	72.25	91.15	1188.29
Piney Grove	.....	.....	.....	22.02	.....	.....	.....	17.35	7.00	.....	.....	5.38	51.75	2704.19
Pooveys Grove	26.70	19.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.76	4.00	.....	.....	20.33	83.09	960.80
Pooveys Chapel	.....	.....	5.00	5.43	5.43	.....	.....	58.50	9.60	.....	.....	.....	83.96	400.16
Rhodhiss	397.11	.....	.....	2.80	9.86	.....	.....	96.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	520.77	3440.05
Rocky Springs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.45	376.45
Rufus	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	29.49	5.00	.....	.....	.....	44.49	786.75
Sardis	73.73	.....	126.27	12.00	.....	9.25	.....	118.86	14.83	16.75	.....	.....	371.69	2031.23
Union Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.60	12.40	.....	.....	.....	19.00	1258.00
Union	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.30	.....	.....	60.00	45.63	.....	.....	.....	112.93	1130.81
Whitnel	.....	52.00	68.42	11.00	42.06	.....	.....	13.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	186.48	3091.95
Winkler's Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.89	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.89	811.83
Yadkin	45.00	.....	.....	41.53	15.73	.....	.....	40.00	36.86	.....	.....	.....	179.12	226.43

HISTORICAL TABLE OF CALDWELL BAPTIST ASS'N.

Time and Place of Meeting of Caldwell Association from Its Organization, with Names of Moderator, Clerk and Preacher

	Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis	H. O. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	W. J. Watts
1926	Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum

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DIRECTORY

of the

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1942 - 1943

OFFICERS

Zeb A Caudle, Moderator ---------- Lenoir
S. A. Stroup, Vice Moderator ---------- Granite Falls
H. S. Benfield, Clerk and Treasurer ---------- Lenoir
Miss Ruth Keller, Associational Missionary ----- Granite Falls
R. L. Palmer, Mission Treasurer ---------- Lenoir
P. D. Fletcher, Sunday School Superintendent --- Granite Falls
Miss Pearl Keller, Training Union Director ----- Granite Falls
G. G. Steel, Orphanage Representative ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir
R. B. Burnett, Biblical Recorder Representative -- Rt. 2, Lenoir
J. R. Swanson, Historian ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir
Mrs. C. A. Bowman, President of W. M. S. ------ Granite Falls

Executive Committee

Zeb Caudle, Lenoir; S. A. Stroup, Granite Falls; H. S. Benfield, Lenoir; R. L. Palmer, Lenoir; M. A. Jenkins, Lenoir; P. O. Frye, Lenoir; C. T. Smith, Hudson, W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls; Tom J. Moore, Collettsville, R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss

Council on Ordination of Ministers and Constitution of Churches

S.A. Stroup, Granite Falls; H. S. Benfield, Lenoir; O. R. Mangum, Lenoir; Grant Miller, Granite Falls; R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss

Trustees of Associational Property — Ridgecrest

C. T. Smith, one year; Zeb A. Caudle, two years; C. M. Abernathy, three years

Committee on Administration of Assn. Property — Ridgecrest

Ruth Keller, Granite Falls; P. D. Fletcher, Granite Falls; Pearl Keller, Granite Falls; Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls

Messenger to Southern Baptist Convention
H. L. Phillips

Messenger to State Baptist Convention
L. E. Snipes

Note: The above were all elected by the association.

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1943

Cooperative Program—(State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement) _____ O. R. Mangum
Woman's Work _____ Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls
Sunday Schools _____ Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls
Baptist Training Union _____ Miss Pearl Keller, Granite Falls
Orphanage _____ L. E. Snipes, Rt., Lenoir
Evangelism _____ H. L. Phillips, Whitnel
Religious Literature _____ A. W. Laxton, Rt., Lenoir
Memorials _____ J. T. Richards, Granite Falls
Public Morals and Law Enforcement ___ L. S. Spurling, Lenoir

W. M. U. ASSOCIATION

Officers

Mrs. C. A. Bowman _____ Superintendent
Mrs. O. L. Grice _____ Associate Superintendent
Mrs. Fred Bowman _____ Secretary-Treasurer
Mrs. J. A. Boldin _____ Mission Study Leader
Mrs. Dewey Annas _____ Stewardship Leader
Miss Annie Bell Steel _____ Personal Service Leader
Miss Ella Dickson _____ Librarian
Mrs. C. T. Smith _____ Literature Chairman
Mrs. Allen Laxton _____ Young Peoples Leader

CALDWELL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Philip D. Fletcher, Superintendent _____ Granite Falls
R. F. Mayberry, Associate Superintendent _____ Rhodhiss
Malcom Laxtion, Associate Superintendent _____ King Creek
G. G. Steel, Secretary and Treasurer _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

Miss Pearl Keller, Director _____ Granite Falls
Grant Miller, Associate Director _____ Granite Falls
Miss Valeria Jenkins, Secretary and Treasurer _____ Whitnel

Note 1: There was no Sunday School convention held within the bounds of the Association this year (1942).
Note 2: B. T. U. Association meets separately from association.
Note 3: We have no associational brotherhood organizations.
Note 4: We have no schools, hospitals, orphanages, state or southwide boards or institutions within the bounds of the association.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Pastors of Churches in Caldwell Association

Name	Address	Church of which pastor
Bennett, Edwards	Morganton	Bethel
Bean, L. B.	Mortimer	Edgemont and Globe
Bradshaw, W. M.	Hudson	Lovelady
Benfield, H. S.	Lenoir	South Lenoir
Burnett, R. B.	Rt. Lenoir	Sardis
Bumgarner, E. V.	Rt. Taylorsville	Kings Cr'k, Dudley Shoals
Caudle, Zeb. A.	Lenoir	Lower Creek
Couch, D. E.	Lenoir	Central
Cook, W. J.	Boone	Piney Grove
Curtis, C. M.	Rhodhiss	Pisgah
Colvard, C. W.	Hudson	Centerview
Eller, A. W.	North Wilkesboro	Long Ford
Fletcher, P. D.	Granite Falls	First, Granite Falls
Fox, J. W.	Lenoir	Maple Grove
Greer, J. W.	Granite Falls	Winkler Grove
Johnson, Otto	Taylorsville	Grandin
Johnson, Bruce	Rt. 2, Lenoir	Green Rock
Knight, Frank	Patterson	Pooveys Chapel
Matney, James	Blowing Rock	Buffalo Cove
Minton, Grady	Vilas	Blairs Fork
Moss, W. R.	Lenoir	Flemings Chapel, Green Valley
Miller, L. A.	Rt. 3, Lenoir	Miller Hill, Hartland
Mangum, O. R.	Lenoir	First Lenoir
Miller, Grant	Granite Falls	Mt. Zion
Mayberry, R. F.	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Payne, T. E.	Hudson	Rocky Spring
Phillips, H. L.	Whitnel	Whitnel
Richard, G. T.	Rt. 1, Granite Falls	Oak Grove
Ray, Roy	Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yadkin Valley
Silvers, J. S.	Rt. 4, Lenoir	Conways Chapel
Snipes, L. E.	Rt., Lenoir	Mt. Grove, Hartland, Harris Ch.
Shew, Thomas	Rt. Lenoir	Grandview Park
Stroup, S. A.	Granite Falls	Concord
Stroupe, S. M.	Granite Falls	Pooveys Grove
Smith, Henry	Deep Gap	Bethany

Ordained Ministers Who Are Not at Present Pastors

in Caldwell Association

Byrley, W. H., Rt., Lenoir
Bryant, W. B., Rt. 5, Lenoir
Baker, Zeb, Lenoir
Brooks, J. C., Granite Falls
Blackburn, M. D., Rt. 5, Lenoir
Bristal, Ira, Worry
Bumgarner, Alfred, Granite Falls
Cook, C. F., Rt. 1, Hudson
Coffey, G. G., Rt., Lenoir
Coffey, W. E., Buffalo Cove
Secrest, David, Lenoir
Dellinger, D. O., Collettsville
Driver, J. E., Lenoir
Elrod, J. M., Granite Falls
Hagaman, J. P. Rt. 1, Lenoir
Hass, L. P., Rhodhiss
Hice, W. H., Granite Falls
Lee, D. S., Rt. 5, Lenoir
Miller, D. L., Rt. 1, Hudson
Nelson, J. H., Rt. 5, Lenoir
Phylyaw, P. D., Collettsville
Prestwood, R. L., Hudson
Penley, E. G., Globe
Shoemaker, T. P., Lenoir
Shaver, J. M., Granite Falls
Wilson, Paul, Rt. Morganton

Ordained Pastors This Year
R. B. Miller, from Mt. Zion Church
James T. Richards, from Oak Grove Church

MESSENGERS OF THE CHURCHES

BLAIRS FORK—Mr. Jessee Vanoy, Mrs. Jessee Vanoy, Mrs. J. A. Vanoy, Frank Puett, N. B. Isaacs, Mrs. Raymond Holsclaw.

BUFFALO—W. T. Coffy, J. W. Hamlet, R. L. Miller

BETHANY—J. F. Storie, H. F. Curtis, Harrold Greene

BETHEL—G. W. Keller, J. F. Stone, M. F. Green, B. H. Cannon

CONCORD—S. A. Stroup, George Hollar, Mrs. R. G. Teague.

CLARKS CHAPEL, Mr. S. M. Edwards and Mrs. Edwards

CONWAYS CHAPEL—Not represented

CENTER GROVE—J. M. Edwards, M. W. Fox

CENTRAL—D. E. Couch

DUDLY SHOALS—Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Fred Bowman

EDGEMONT—Not represented

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McFelia, Mrs. E. D. Holder, Mrs. B. L. Reichards, Mrs. O. S. Reichards.

GRANITE FALLS—Mrs. H. V. Russell, W. F. Kerley, P. D. Phillips, W. T. Sherrill, Mrs. Bill Boyle, Mrs. W. F. Kerley.

GREEN VALLEY—W. R. Moss, Mrs. J. S. Franklin

GRANDIN—Ida, Clara, Cora Greer, Thomas Greer

GLOBE—Not represented

GREEN ROCK—Bruce Johnson

GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. E. B. McCall, Mrs. Edison Anderson, A. M. Mabe

HARRIS CHAPEL—Miss Rachel Cheer, Ransom Joblin, Geo. Smith

HARTLAND—A. H. Jones, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, A. P. Anderson

JOHNS RIVER—R. S. Estes, E. Tolbert.

KINGS CREEK—Mr. U. M. Ferguson, Mrs. U. M. Ferguson, H. M. Beach, A. G. Beach, Fred Price, V. W. Robert

LOWER CREEK—Zeb Caudle, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, G. G. Steel, Mrs. C. W. Pennell, Mr. J. N. Moore, Mrs. J. N. Moore, J. R. Swanson

LENOIR FIRST—C. M. Abernathy, Bess Killian, Mrs. F. F. Nifong, Miss Ellen Dickson, O. R. Mangum, Mrs. O. R. Mangum, F. L. Smith, R. L. Palmer

LENOIR SOUTH—H. S. Benfield, Mrs. J. E. Driver, M. P. Downs, Mrs. Walter Winkler, Miss Sara Posey, Mrs. Agie

Moore, J. M. Pearson, W. J. Benfield, C. S. Haas

LOVELADY—Margaret Kirby, Marvin Bolick

LONG FORD—J. W. Kemp, A. C. Teague, Elbert Green

MULBERRY—H. I. Green

MOUNTAIN GROVE—L. E. Snipes, J. A. Hollar, Mrs. Lee Pearson, J. L. Green

MT. ZION—R. B. Miller, D. E. Smith, Grant Miller, Jr., Frank Fox, Mrs. J. L. Joblin, M. R. Maxy

MILLER HILL—L. A. Miller, T. G. Green, Mrs. Conrad Greene

MULVALE—Mrs. T. J. Moore, T. J. Moore

MAPLE GROVE—Milton Bean, Ray Philyaw, Connie Philyaw, Leonia Philyaw

NELSON CHAPEL—Mrs. R. E. Robbins, Mrs. Luther Suddreth H. C. Bolick, H. T. Green

OAK GROVE—Roy Bolick, J. T. Richards, Mrs. Ethel Bolick, L. C. Bolick

PISGAH—Noah Austin, Ada Bryant, Bertha Bryant

PINEY GROVE—Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Mrs. Walter Sullivan, W. D. Goble, J. R. Wike

POOVEYS GROVE—S. M. Stroupe, Miss Pearl Keller, Miss Ruth Keller, Mrs. Henry Setzer, R. T. Hartly, John Haas, Mrs. Alice Hartly, Mrs. S. M. Stroupe, Mrs. L. E. Christopher.

RHODHISS—Mrs. D. D. Annas, Mrs. Astor Peeler, R. F. Mayberry, Mrs. J. C. Harrill, Mrs. Hunsucker, Mrs. R. F. Mayberry

ROCKY SPRINGS—M. C. Estes, Mrs. W. P. Spencer, C. F. Annas.

RUFUS—W. B. Greene, W. H. Moore, J. A. Laxton, J. A. Beane

SARDIS—R. B. Burnett, W. C. Griffin, Mrs. C. A. Keller, Miss Mae Smith

UNION GROVE—S. A. Bean, C. F. Cook, F. E. Smith

UNION—R. L. Downs, W. A. Reid

WHITNEL—H. L. Phillips, Mrs. C. B. Bollinger, Mrs. H. L. Phillips, Mrs. Charlie Helton, Valeria Jenkins

WINKLERS GROVE—C. J. Hilderbrand, W. E. Keller

YADKIN—Mrs. Oscar Price, N. J. Bently, Mrs. Ernest Price, Mrs. Amos Green, Mrs. R. J. Coffy, Mrs. L. M. Green

YADKIN VALLEY—Mrs. Pearl Sutton, Mrs. Jack Clark, Roy Ray

Abstract Principles, Constitution and By-Laws

CONSTITUTION OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the Churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective Church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose by ballot a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association, and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the Association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moderator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or greviances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Associations requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lord-

ship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, not any of her Churches and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote .

13. This Association shall in all matters, except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association, in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Asociation shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator, or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other cases he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We belive in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the kuowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism taught in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every Church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
Which Met With The
BLAIRS FORK BAPTIST CHURCH
September 24th and 25th, 1942

First Day — Morning Session

10:00	Devotional	O. R. Mangum
10:15	Enrollment, Appointment of Committees, Recognition of Visitors and Announcements	
10:30	Religious Literature	Philip D. Fletcher
10:55	Woman's Work	Mrs. C. A. Bowman
11:20	Miscellaneous and Announcements	
11:25	Annual Sermon	R. F. Mayberry
12:00	Lunch	

First Day — Afternoon Session

1:30	Hymn — Scripture Reading and Prayer	Laurence Miller
1:40	Report of Associational Worker	Miss Ruth Keller
1:55	General Discussion on above Report	
2:10	Report on Cooperative Program (State, Home, and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement)	S. M. Stroupe
2:40	Address by Rep. of our Boards and Institutions	
4:00	Announcements and Adjournment	

Second Day — Morning Session

10:00	Hymn — Scripture Reading and Prayer	H. L. Phillips
10:10	Public Morals and Law Enforcement	D. E. Couch
10:40	Sunday Schools	C. A. Keller
11:10	Baptist Training Unions	Miss Pearl Keller
11:40	Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business	
12:00	Lunch	

Second Day — Afternoon Session

1:00	Hymn — Scripture Reading and Prayer	L. E. Snipes
1:10	Orphanage	R. B. Burnett
1:30	Evangelism	R. F. Mayberry
1:50	Memorials	W. W. Lynes
2:00	Report of Committees:	
	1—Executive	H. S. Benfield
	2—Treasurer	H. S. Benfield

3—Associational Mission Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
4—Trustees of Associational Property ..... C. M. Abernathy
5—Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ..... S. A. Stroupe
6—Resolutions
7—Historian ..... J. R. Swanson
8—Time, Place, and Preacher
Miscellaneous Business and Final Adjournment

Zeb. A. Caudle, Moderator
S. A. Stroupe, Vice-Moderator
H. S. Benfield, Clerk
Committee

PROCEEDINGS

Thursday Morning, September 24, 1942

1. At ten o'clock on Thursday morning, September 24, 1942, The Caldwell Baptist Association convened in the fifty-eighth annual session with the Blairs Fork Baptist Church.
2. The opening song, "Have Thine Own Way, Lord," was led by the Moderator.
3. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir, brought the devotional message on "The Power of Willingness", reading from John 7:17 and II Cor. 8:12. A very inspiring message showing how God can and does use people who are willing to be used. Prayer was led by Grant Miller.
4. Moderator Caudle in a very brief message requested those on program to keep within the time alloted them, and for all to avoid any unnecessary moving about.
5. The Moderator apointed the following committees:

COMMITTEE TO REPORT THIS YEAR

TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE: Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Mrs. Dewey Annas, Charlie Cook.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: H. M. Beach, J. A. Boldin, J. M. Pearson.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Grant R. Miller, R. L. Bolick, R. F. Mayberry.

COMMITTEE ON PETITIONARY LETTERS: S. A. Stroup, O. R. Mangum, Grant R. Miller.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE: S. A. Stroup, R. F. Mayberry, Philip D. Fletcher.

ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE: R. B. Burnett, G. G. Steele, R. L. Bolick.

ASSOCIATIONAL-WIDE SIMULTANEOUS EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE: R. F. Mayberry, R. B. Burnett, H. S. Benfield.

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6. Enrollment Committe reported the enrollment of 162 delegates and 8 visitors.
7. The following visitors were recognized and welcomed:
   M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill, representing Christian Education
   Chas. A. Leonard, returned foreign missionary
   Smith Hagaman, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem
   J. C. Pipes, representing State Mission Board
   M. A. Adams, Taylorsville
   N. M. Green, missionary in Three Forks Association
8. New pastors recognized by the moderator: H. L. Phillips, Whitnel; Bruce Johnson, Buffalo Cove; W. R. Moss, Flemings Chapel and Green Valley; Roy Ray, Yadkin Valley; L. T. Richards, Oak Grove.
9. On motion the printed order of business was adopted.
10. Report of Evangelism, by vote of the association, is to be read along with those of the Cooperative Program today, instead of second day.
11. Philip D. Fletcher read the report on Religious Literature. Report was discussed by Philip D. Fletcher, R. B. Burnett and O. R. Mangum. Report adopted.

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

The Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, organized in 1830, has as its purpose, according to the constitution, the promotion of "missions, education, social service, and the distribution of the Bible and *sound religious literature.*"

Of growing importance in the present social order is the work of the public relations council, or publicity agent, especially in the interest of benevolent and religious organizations. Any missionary

agency which maintains its activities on a successful basis must have an aggressive organization to make available to its constituency favorable information about its work.

The aim of our publishers therefore is to supply to Southern Baptists through all available media the information which will promote all kingdom objects and will elicit prayerful interest and practical support.

"Knowledge is power" we are told. Hence we owe it to our people to teach or enlighten them concerning the things vital in their full development as Disciples. The measure of a man is the measure of his thought. Great men are great thinkers, little thoughts make little men. The power to think is the greatest gift of God to man. A great book has often been mightier in its effects than a great battle. A book introduces us to the best or worst society.

An evil book or magazine who can describe the contamination that comes from such a stream of pollution? Who can cause to ripen into righteousness the immature fruit bruised and beaten by such a printed hailstorm? Who can show the tragedy of the blight of such green gardens of life? Or know fully the overtopping and underlying curse of a profligate book? A bad book walks earth's highways and bypaths as a curse. There is no worse burglar or robber than a bad book or magazine. A bad book cannot repent.

If the devil cannot keep men in ignorance he will do all he can to poison what he reads. Yes "as a man thinketh so is he." It is the quality of higher thoughts that saves the world.

As sound literature we would like to recommend The Biblical Recorder, a paper within reach of all our families. In clubs the cost is only $1.50 a year—just 3c a week. It can and ought to be in every Baptist home. Then we have our Mission magazines, The Commission and Baptist Home Missions at the meager price of 50c and 25c per year. The Periodicals put out by our Sunday School Board speak for themselves. But above all read the Bible.

"God let me be aware.
Stab my soul fiercely with anothers pain,
Let me walk seeing horror and stain.
Let my hands groping find other hands.
Give me a heart that divines, understands,
Give me the courage wounded, to fight.
Flood me with knowledge, drench me in light,
Please keep me eager just to do my share.
God, let me be aware. (Miriam Teichner)

Philip D. Fletcher, Comm.

12. Report on Woman's Work was read by Mrs. C. A. Bowman and discussed by Mrs. Bowman and Philip D. Fletcher. Report adopted.

REPORT OF CALDWELL W.M.U. WORK

All praise to God for his continual blessings on the work and workers of Caldwell Association. Caldwell is one of the thirteen associations in the Wilkesboro division. Our Association along with one other leads in number of societies and mission study classes, with 22 W. M. S. and 27 young people's organizations.

Total gifts were $3,766.90.

W.M.U. annual and quarterly meetings are being held that seem to help to encourage and give inspiration.

There is every evidence that the W.M.U. women have the W.M.U. watchword, Laborers together with God. Cor. 3:9, and also watchword for year ever upon their hearts. Oh send out thy light and thy truth. Psalms 43:9.

With the increase in gifts, that is more than $2,000 in the past two years, and increased efforts make us feel that our women have a keener sense of duty and privilege than ever before.

A large group of W.M.U. women and young people attended our Baptist asembly at Ridgecrest this summer that was very inspiring and will bear fruit through the years. How grateful we are for the cottage that has been purchased by our association that will be the means for many of our young people to attend Ridgecrest from year to year.

Miss Ruth Keller's labors in our association mean much. Teaching Bible and mission study classes.

Our W.M.U. presidents and counselors are working hard and doing a fine piece of work that is gratifying. An accurate record of their labors is recorded only in the Lamb's book of life.

In 1941 half of our churches were organized with a Missionary Society, then two other churches were added. Our aim again is that half of our churches have a Missionary Society and more young people's organizations in 1942.

Never has there been a time in all history that God's children need to labor, pray and give than now, when most all nations are at war. Work while it is still day for the night may soon come when man's work is done, and do the part of the good Samaritan as well.

The W. M. U. women are doing a marvelous work toward Home

and Foreign Missions, also in personal service work that is the key many times in soul winning.

May we keep these words in our hearts and minds:

"Christ has no hands but our hands
To do his work today;
He has no feet but our feet
To lead men in His way;
He has no tongues but our tongues
To tell men how He died;
He has no help but our help
To bring them to his side."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

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13. Time having arrived for the Annual Sermon, S. A. Stroup led the congregation in singing "Amazing Grace", after which R. F. Mayberry delivered a very helpful and inspiring message on the subject—"The Power of Christ's Gospel—reading Phil. 3:7-13, using as a text, Phil. 3:10-11. Prayer led by J. C. Pipes.
14. The Assembly adjourned for lunch.

Thursday Afternoon, September 24, 1942

15. S. A. Stroup led the congregation in singing, "We Are Marching to Zion" and "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross." Prayer led by J. M. Shaver.
16. The following Resolution was offered by the Committee on Resolutions: Resolved, That a separate Committee be named to administer and supervise the cottage at Ridgecrest; that this proposed administrative committee be composed of the Associational Worker, Sunday School Superintendent, the Associational Training Union Director and the Associational W. M. U. President. Also, that the committee now operating under the name "trustee" be continued to function as Trustees.

Signed, S. A. Stroup
P. D. Fletcher
R. F. Mayberry

17. On motion by S. A. Stroup, the Association will elect three trustees, one to serve three years, one two years and one to serve one year, and that one be elected each year thereafter. Committee elected: C. T. Smith, one year; Zeb Caudle, two years; C. M. Abernathy, three years.
18. Miss Ruth Keller, Associational Missionary, read and discussed the report of her work. On request of O. R. Mangum, the Roll of Churches was called by the clerk and Pledges were made to the amount of $62.50 per month. Some other churches yet to report.

REPORT OF ASSOCIATION WORKER

Training Coursese taught in: Sunday School, 12; Training Union, 7; Woman's Missionary Union, 8; Vacation Bible schools, 8; Stewardship revivals, 2.

Organized: 2 Training Unions;1 W.M.S.; 1 Y.W.A.

Attended 25 General Meetings; made 14 special talks; Responsible for one Christmas play; chaperoned 3 groups to Ridgecrest.

Travelled approximately 6,482 miles; visited in 346 homes; led 15 prayer meetings.

Ruth Keller.

19. R. F. Mayberry read report on Evangelism. Report adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

"For the son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost." Luke 19:10.

"This big business of evangelism is clamoring eternally for the primal place in every phase of Southern Baptist endeavor." Sane, spiritual, scriptural evangelism was never more desperately needed than to-day. It is said that America needs to get right with God, but we know that Caldwell county needs to get right with God. According to the report of our association last year, we had a church membership of 9119 and 315 baptisms. It took 29 members to lead one person to Christ. Also eleven churches did not report a single baptism.

In view of the above facts, and whereas: the plan of God is to

save people through human instrumentality working in co-operation with Him, be it resolved.

First, that we preachers seek to be more spiritual and evangelistic in our preaching.

Second, that every church seek to win souls for Christ daily, and especially through our Sunday Schools and Baptist Training Unions.

Third, that we put on an Associational-Wide-Simultaneous Evangelistic Campaign sometime during the Associational year.

Respectfully submitted,
R. F. Mayberry.

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20. Reports on Cooperative Program were read by S. M. Stroupe. Pending adoption, and after singing "What A Friend We Mave in Jesus," were discussed by O. R. Mangum, M. H. Kendall, C. A. Leonard, Smith Hagaman, and J. C. Pipes. Reports adopted.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

The work of the State Mision Board is to promote missions, education, social service, the distribution and study of the Bible and sound literature; and to cooperate with the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mr. M. A. Huggins, our general secretary, has proved himself a man of vision in promoting the Baptist cause in North Carolina.

The State Mission Board seeks to provide a ministry of preaching, teaching and training to those who are inside and outside our churches; to those of other races, and to the sick and wayward in state institutions.

General Missionaries working under the direction of the State Mission Board are Rev. M. O. Alexander, Rev. J. C. Pipes and Rev. D. M. Branch. These men promote evangelism in the churches and teach Stewardship and Missions.

Mr. L. L. Morgan, our State Sunday School Secretary, reports that there are 2,582 churches, which represents a gain of 20 churches for the year. 2,548 churches have Sunday Schools, with the 20 mission schools, this makes a total of 2,568.

Rev. Nathan C. Brooks, and his helpers, are very effectively promoting the work of Baptist Training Union in the State. The large attendance of Training Union workers at Ridgecrest this summer gave evidence of an increased efficiency.

The times in which we live presents to Baptists a very great State Mission Challenge. In the areas near the camps and in many of our towns and cities opportunities for enlarged Mission work has risen.

S. M. Stroupe

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

The world is in spiritual darkness. It seems to be moving backward toward the tyranny and oppression and slavery and paganism of the past ages.

Our task as a denomination is to prepare our home-land to meet its obligations to the world with the glorious gospel of Christ. Whatever else we do, the evangelism of the home-land of Southern Baptists must not be sidetracked. This is the task to which the Home Mission Board has set itself and for this great work it is girding its strength.

During the past year we added 31 missionaries to the Home Mission force, opened 64 mission stations, constituted 13 new churches; our missionaries distributed 17,258 Bibles and Testaments and portions of the scriptures; they preached about 35,000 sermons, led more than 7,000 people to accept Christ, and received into the fellowship of the churches 2,863 members.

We are today, through the Home Mission Board, preaching the gospel to the Indians, Mexicans, Spanish, Jews, Italians, French, Cubans, Chinese, the underprivileged in the neglected mountain areas, the millions of negroes in the home-land, and are carrying Christ to the camps with our service to and with the chaplains.

We are enlarging the mission work and at the same time paying our debts. Last year the Home Mision Board paid $355,000 on the principal of its debt, leaving about $495,000 yet to be paid. At the present rate of debt payments of the Board expects to be fully out of debt by the end of 1943.

The Board's monthly magazine, *Southern Baptist Home Missions,* had an average circulation during the past twelve months of 53,673, which represented an average increase per month over the previous year of 1050. The subscription price is only 25 cents per year, or five years for $1.00. We recommend this valuable publication to all Baptists.

S. M. Stroupe.

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Foreign Mission Board is now in its 97th year. We are passing through a dreary and darkened period of Foreign Mission work. While the present is forecast with darkness, we believe in a brighter tomorrow.

Through its 464 missionaries and its thousands of native workers, the Foreign Mission Board has been engaged in a programme of education, evangelism and healing, in Africa, Asia, Europe and South America. During the present year mission work has been inaugurated in two fields, namely: Colombia and the Hawaiian Islands.

Southern Baptists have so generously supported our Foreign Mission programme that we have rapidly reduced our debt. $77,000.-00 has been paid during the current year on our Foreign Mission debt. It looks as if the debt will be paid in full by the end of 1943. The response to appeals arising out of the present emergency is most encouraging. Already more than $300,000.00 has been received and is aiding in places of dire need.

The women of the Southern Baptist Convention have become an indispensable part of the world Christian mission. Their Lottie Moon Christmas offering has been mounting year after year. This year it reached the sum of $449,162.48. This was an increase of $75,319.18 above last year's offering.

The *Commission*, the Board's Magazine, is gaining popularity among Southern Baptists. In the current year a gain of 16,125 subscribers is reported. The price is only 50 cents per year.

Africa is one of our most fruitful mission fields at this time. Sixty Missionaries of Southern Baptists, have been appointed to work in this dark land. Transportation for African missionaries has been very uncertain, owing to the numerous sinkings along the Atlantic Seaboard, it has been considered unwise to send our missionaries to sea.

S. M. Stroupe.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Baptists have believed in and supported Christian Education since the organization of the Baptist State Convention in 1830. Wake Forest, which had as its main objective the education of young

preachers, came into existence only 4 years after the organization of the Convention, 1834.

The need of trained and consecrated leadership is all the greater today, with the pagan world trying to overpower us on every hand. We realize the need of Christian leadership in our present crisis.

In the course of time as Baptists have lifted up their eyes and looked upon the field, other institutions of great value have made their contributions to Christian Education in North Carolina and throughout the land, namely: Mars Hill founded in 1856, Chowan founded in 1848, Buie's Creek in 1887, Meredith in 1899, Wingate in 1897, and Boiling Springs in 1905. The above named institutions are all making progress, although they are working with poor equipment and utterly inadequate support. The most recent report reveals the fact that the total enrollment of college students in the seven colleges mentioned for the past year was 2,949, plus 175 high school students and an additional summer school enrollment of 783. It is interesting to observe that among this number there were 234 listed as ministerial students and 154 as student volunteers. Another gratifying fact is this: The total net property value, including endowment funds, plants, and other property values, is $8,097,409.93. The debt on our educational institutions now stands at about $400,-000.00. This we see that the property owned is about 20 times as great as the amount of money owed.

No real Baptist church can possibly say that the welfare of these colleges is of no concern to it. In a world such as ours today trained leadership is not only desirable but absolutely imperative.

S. M.Stroupe.

REPORT ON MINISTERS' RELIEF AND RETIREMENT

During the twenty-four years which ended with the last meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention the Relief and Annuity Board reported a great record of service and growth. It has prospered in a financial way to a remarkable degree. Its assets grew from a little over $100,000 at the end of its first year of operation to approximately five and a half million dolars by the end of 1941. Its income during the year 1941 was $1,147,678.84, while its expenditures in Relief and Annuity benefits amounted to more than a half million dollars.

A host of Southern Baptist pastors, together with their churches are participating in the Ministers Retirement Plan. The number of preachers participating in the plan is nearly 6,000 and the number of churches cooperating is about 8,000.

We still have in the Southern Baptist Convention and in every state thereof scores and even hundreds of pastors who have not been awake to their privilege and duty in connection with the Ministers Retirement Plan, through which plan all pastors are urged to aid in making provision for their old age or disability.

It is not probable that the churches would fail to cooperate in the Ministers Retirement Plan if the matter were clearly presented to them. Pastors have hesitated to present the plan lest they be misunderstood. Any pastor can present this matter of Cooperation in the Ministers Retirement Plan to his church without a semblance of selfishness. He would ask his church to do it for the sake of the entire ministry participating in the plan. He would do it for the sake of the entire denomination, and for the progress of the Kingdom of God on earth.

The young pastor can receive full benefits of the Ministers Relief and Retirement Plan by paying four percent of his salary and his church or churches provide an equal amount, and the Convention adds its contribution, thus it is seen that from the first day of his pastorate a retirement fund is started.

S. M. Stroupe.

REPORT ON THE BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Three years ago the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem had a bed capacity of 100 and by overcrowding, we were caring for about 4,000 patients per year.

Today, we have a modernly constructed and equipped hospital now caring for about 650 patients per month. The present bed capacity will care for almost 10,000 patients annually.

We shall have this year not less than 2,500 service or free patients. This will mean about $250,000 in free service.

The hospital has a staff of 26 internes and about 100 Drs. In addition, it has the free service of the entire staff of the Medical School whenever desired. Every department is thoroughly organized to give the most efficient service possible.

The equipment, as well as the building, is entirely modern. There was recently added $20,000 worth of new instruments to the operating rooms and $44,000 worth of new X-ray equipment, making an X-ray department equal to any in the South.

The hospital, in conjunction with the Medical School, has a floor space of four acres and represents a value to the denomination of $2,000,000 with only a small amount of indebtedness. The purpose

of this enlarged institution shall remain as ever—to give hospital treatment to those who are unable to pay, educate nurses with Christian ideals and at the same time maintain a standard of scientific efficiency second to none in the state. It is the purpose of the management that it shall be definitely a Christian institution.

This greatly expanded service which is reaching into every section of the state, of course, requires an increased support. This, we are glad to report, is growing year by year. In addition to the mother's day offering by the churches and Sunday Schools, which has increased in the last few years from $11,500 to about $38,000 this year. The hospital linens contributed by the W.M.U.'s and other church agencies has increased year by year.

S. M. Stroupe.

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21. To carry out the third resolution made in the report on Evangelism, R. F. Mayberry made a motion that a committee be appointed to make plans in full cooperation with the State Missions Board for a Simultaneous Evangelistic Campaign some time during the year. Moderator appointed on this committee: R. F. Mayberry, R. B. Burnett and H. S. Benfield.
22. On motion the Association adjourned to meet Friday morning at ten o'clock. S. A. Stroup led the congregation in singing "More Love To Thee, O Christ." Closing prayer led by J. A. Boldin.

SECOND DAY
Friday Morning—Ten O'clock

23. S. A. Stroup led the congregation in singing "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone." H. L. Phillips read Scripture lesson from Romans 12. M. A. Adams led in prayer.
24. Vice-Moderator S. A. Stroup was called to the chair by the Moderator.
25. Minutes of the preceding day's session were read by the clerk and approved.
26. D. E. Couch read report on Public Morals and Law Enforcement. Report discussed by D. E. Couch and M. A. Adams. Report adopted.

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

"Abstain from the very appearance of evil."

The entire social order is in state of unrest, unhappiness and uncertainty. There is a modern blitzkrieg from hell hammering at the home-life of the American people.

When thinking of public morals, we think of ways of life habits and customs, pertaining to the natural sense of what is right.

Black sins are dressed up in new garments today. Beer, wine, liquor is back with the approval of a large number of our church members. Roadhouses, cocktail lounges, and young women beautifully dressed are the garments of light covering the skeleton of death in the ungodly liquor traffic.

Grocery stores, filling stations, cafes, hotels, drug-stores are modern saloons, dressed up in the front-line of business.

One can hardly find a place to eat in any of our towns, cities where alcoholic drinks are not served.

Vice, crime, all sorts of lawlessness are prevalent in this social order of today, corrupt law enforcement and politics.

Gambling has gripped this country like an octopus. Afternoon bridge, punch boards, pinball tables, race tracks, betting at football, baseball games and jack-pot hour at the movies put to practice by many church members.

Prostitution with all its blackness is prevalent at army-camps on the streets, on the highway, in hotels, red light districts. Solomon said they were as a deep pit.

Our people have turned our Lord's Holy-day into a holiday.

What are some of the causes for this?

Corrupt movies, trashy literature, low standards of morals, poor example of church members.

Breaking down of real home life. Lack of church discipline, and citizens responsibility.

Law enforcement comes when public sentiment is aroused. So let us as ministers preach more on law, the wrath of God, the righteousness of God, holiness, here is where we find victory.

Respectfully submitted,
D. Eugene Couch.

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27. On motion of O. R. Mangum, that an offering be taken for Temperance, one-half to go to M. A. Adams and one-

half to an organization to be organized in Caldwell County. The offering was $16.20.

28. Report of Miss Pearl Keller on Baptist Training Union was read by George Hollar and discussed by O. R. Mangum, M. A. Adams, Miss Sara Posey, Miss Ruth Keller and S. M. Stroupe. Report adopted.

REPORT ON BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

"Hitherto hath the Lord helped us."

Through extension work of some of the Baptist Training Unions at least two new Training Unions have been organized in the Association during the past year. Other individual unions have been organized in churches having the general union. Several churches have sent out groups which have rendered splendid programs in neighbor churches.

The two County-wide meetings of the year were well attended. District meetings were held one quarter. About one hundred Training Union members spent a week on the mountain top during the three Training Union weeks at Ridgecrest this summer.

A testing time for this organization is at hand. As many of our members are being taken from us, may we pray earnestly for them and keep faithfully at the work of training and serving in the Master's name. When the conflict is over may those coming back find us still holding high Christ's Banner in the Baptist Training Unions of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Pearl Keller.

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29. Election of Officers: The Nominating Committee nominated for Moderator, Zeb Caudle; Vice-Moderator, S. A. Stroup; Clerk and Treasurer, H. S. Benfield. On motion, J. R. Swanson cast the unanimous vote of the Association for the above-named officers. For other officers, see Associational Directory.

30. On motion of O. R. Mangum, the Resolutions in regard to the Ordination of Ministers and the Constitution of new churches, after being discussed by him, S. A. Stroup and Charlie Cook, were reaffirmed by vote of the Association.

31. On motion by S. A. Stroup the above resolutions are to be reprinted in the Minutes each year until otherwise ordered by the Association.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local church or to insist that the candidate for ordination be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry. And to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines. And believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a wey as to provide adequate denominational recognition; therefore be it resolved:

(1). That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

(2). If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advice and concurrence of other churches.

(3). This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the Association.

(4). That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

(5). That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advice of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

Respectfully submitted,

S. A. STROUP.
R. B. BURNETTE.
ZEB CAUDLE.

Committee.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore be it resolved:

I. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association desiring to constitute themselves into a Baptist Church contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

Respectfully submitted,
S. A. STROUP.
R. B. BURNETTE.
ZEB CAUDLE.
Committee.

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32. The Association adjourned for lunch. Prayer by W. R. Moss.

Friday Afternoon Session

33. Song: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Charlie Cook read the scripture, John 15:1-6, and led in prayer.
34. R. B. Burnett read the report on Baptist Orphanage. Report was discussed by George Steel and T. G. Greer and adopted.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

The children who compose the population of the Baptist Orphanage of North Carolina may be classified under three heads: full orphans, half orphans and victims of desertion and wrecked homes. These children are being cared for by three well recognized methods of child caring agencies: Mothers Aid, Boarding Homes and the Orphanage proper. In addition to these our case workers are rendering a fine service by helping children and parents make adjustments with their neighbors and relatives.

The demands upon the Orphanage authorities have never been greater. They receive upon an average 45 applications every month

during the year. No matter how urgent the demands ,however, the policy of the Orphanage leaders is not to make special appeals. Special appeals for others causes may come and special appeals may go, but this constant stream of human want must go on day after day and year after year until the purpose of Christ through His church has been fulfilled.

The past year was one of the best in the history of the orphanage, but imperative needs continue to increase. The care of the orphan child was intrusted to us by Christ himself. We cannot shun this Christian responsibility and claim to be practicing "pure religion." When appeals are made to Orphanage authorities they have nowhere to go, indeed, they do not want any place to go for financial support other than individuals, Sunday schools and churches. The plan is simple.

We suggest as a goal for the association for next year: a monthly contribution from each church or Sunday school, gifts of produce in season, a real Thanksgiving offering in November and a club of Charity and Children in each Sunday school.

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. Burnett.

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35. Sunday School work was discussed by R. B. Burnett, M. A. Adams and P. D. Phillips. Report on Sunday Schools came to the clerk in time for publication.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest."—John 4:35. Truly there has never been a greater opportunity for Sunday school building than the one that presents itself today. Men and women and children are outside our enrollment but within our possibilities. The greatest appeal possible presents itself to us as fellow-laborers together to gather in the "harvest" that is "white already." Humanity's need for the calmness of reason, the comfort of the Holy Ghost, and the comeliness of the salvation of Jesus Christ combine to make this one of the most promising years in our Sunday school history. "Lift up your heads, O ye Gates, . . . and the King of Glory shall come in."—Psalm 24:9.

Viewing the past year our growth has only been limited by our lack of faith and poor aggresiveness. Your superintendent has been greatly strengthened by the fine cooperation from groups he has been privileged to work with. May the Lord reward his faithful!

Following a plan of training we were privileged to hold a group training school using local talent (pastors and others) at Mount Zion for the Hudson district at which more than 50 awards were earned by eight church groups, and one at Granite Falls that was only a little less successful.

Due to national emergency I have not made the contacts I desired. I have traveled only about 250 miles, made over 300 personal contacts, mailed more than 100 cards and 90 letters. There is one standard Sunday school with 5 others near standard. Numerous Vacation Bible schools have been held and much good seed sown. There were 12 representatives of our Sunday Schools at Ridgecrest for S. S. Conference week. Let's urge every church to help fill our cottage next year.

"Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth more laborers into his vineyard."

Respecfully submitted,

C. A. Keller.

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36. Report on Memorials was made by W. R. Moss. The Association stood in silence in honor of our dead, then was led in prayer by H. S. Benfield. See Memorials Page.
37. Report of Executive Committee by the clerk.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

March 13, 1942

The Executive Committee of the Caldwell Association met at South Lenoir Church March 13, 1942 at the call of Moderator Zeb Caudle. After prayer led by Grant Miller the following motion was made by C. A. Keller. Seconded by Grant Miller.

Motion: That Ridge Crest Committee, of the Caldwell Cottage, be empowered to use Miss Ruth Keller at their discretion as inspirational advisor especially for the young groups from the churches of the association.

Motion was unanimously adopted.

Meeting adjourned.

ZEB CAUDLE, Moderator.
H. S. BENFIELD, Clerk.

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38. Treasurer's report.

Receipts	Balance in Treas.	$ 13.03
Received at Association		$ 10.00
	(Missions Rufus Church)	
Minute Fund		$159.00
	TOTAL	$182.03
Disbursements		
Record Publishing Company, Printing		$117.00
Postage, Envelopes, Express		7.16
Sent to Treas. for Foreign Mission		10.00
Typing		.50
Clerk Fee		25.00
Balance in Treas.		22.37
	TOTAL	$182.03

H. S. Benfield, Treasurer

38½. Report of Mission Fund.

CALDWELL BAPTISTS' MISSION FUND

Balance in Bank as of Sept. 26, 1941	78.50	
Received from Twenty-eight churches	559.00	
Received from Baptist State Convention	296.00	933.50
Disbursements		
Check to Miss Ruth Keller, balance due on Sept., 1941, salary	25.00	
Checks to Miss Keller, October, 1941 through August, 1942	825.00	
Balance in Union National Bank as of Sept. 23, 1942	83.50	933.50

R. L. Palmer, Treasurer

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39. Finance Committee reported $152.36 for Minute Fund.

After Association Rufus Church Missions	$ 13.69
Rufus Minutes Fund	2.00
Sardis	7.00
TOTAL	$176.05

Sent to Mission Treas.	13.69
Minute Fund	$162.36

40. Report of Committee of Ridgecrest Property.

REPORT ON RIDGECREST PROPERTY

September 25, 1942

To the Caldwell Baptist Association:

We, the committee appointed by the Caldwell County Baptist Association to purchase property for the Association at Ridgecrest, hereby submit the following report:

Careful and thoughtful consideration was given relative to the purchase of property in Ridgecrest. The committee finally decided the best proposition was the purchase of a completely furnished cabin and a lot known as the Haigler property, this cabin being located close in, just above the spring, and having a capacity to take care of thirty-one people. So on the thirtieth of October 1941, the committee met Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haigler at Ridgecrest, and a check was made over to Mrs. R. M. Haigler; and the property was transferred to the Caldwell County Association.

Early in the spring the committee called in sub-committees and plans were made for the use of the cabin during the summer. All churches in the Association were contacted and advised of the availability of the cabin and sponsors for each week during the summer were appointed. All sub-committees working with the main committees have put forth untiring efforts; and, in spite of the tragic war conditions, one hundred ninety-eight people from the Caldwell County Baptist Association used the cabin and attended the conferences held in Ridgecrest this summer.

It is, therefore, the opinion of the committee and of all those working with the committee that the Association has a most valuable asset in this property at Ridgecrest, and we urge the churches throughout the Association to use this property.

We further submit the following financial report:

RECEIPTS:

10-27-41—Former Trustees	$2,886.56	
12-16-41—L. B. Martin - Lot	100.00	
1- 3-42—L. B. Martin - Lot	50.00	
		$3,036.56
Maintenance Fees:		
6- 8-42—P. D. Fletcher - R.A.'s	5.00	
6-20-42—Ruth Keller - Student Retreat	10.00	
7- 8-42—Pearl Keller - N.C. B.T.U.	11.50	
7- 8-42—Ruth Keller - Y.W.A. Week	11.00	

7-21-42—Miss Teague - S. S. Week	10.00	
7-27-42—Ruth Keller - Southwide B.T.U. Week - 1st week	9.00	
8-14-42—First Baptist Church - Southwide B.T.U. - 2nd week	10.61	
8-22-42—Mrs. C. A. Bowman - Foreign Mission Week	10.00	
8-31-42—Zeb Caudle - Preaching Week	19.31	
9- 5-42—Ruth Keller - Refund on Transportation	5.00	
		101.42
TOTAL		$3,137.98
Cash transactions by occupants of cabin		3.39
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$3,141.37
DISBURSEMENTS:		
10-30-41—Mrs. R. M. Haigler - for Ridgecrest property	$2,600.00	
12-16-41—Allen and Bernhard - Insurance on property	36.10	
5-30-42—Hunt Gwyn, Postage	5.78	
5-30-42—Lenoir Mfg. Co. - Materials for tables and benches	11.00	
5-30-42—C. T. Smith - Labor on building tables and benches	21.65	
5-30-42—Bernhardt-Seagle Co. - Kitchen and Dining Room Equipment	49.44	
6- 9-42—G. N. Kincaid - Making name plate	.80	
6-22-42—Bernhardt-Seagle Co. - Cot pads	46.87	
7- 8-42—Rose's - Kitchen and Dining Room Equipment	7.04	
7-15-42—Duke Power Co. - Repair for Electric Range	6.25	
8- 1-42—Carolina Power and Light Co. - Power Bill	14.43	
8-22-42—Zeb Caudle - Repair on building and equipment	7.08	
9- 5-42—Carolina Power and Light Co. - Power Bill	6.99	
		$2,813.43
Cash transactions by occupants of cabin		3.39

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS $2,816.82

BALANCE IN BANK OF LENOIR - Sept. 7, 1942 ..... $ 324.55

We, the comittee, hereby submit this report and request that it be made a part of the minutes of the Caldwell County Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,
C. M. Abernathy, Chairman
Zeb Caudle, Secretary
C. T. Smith, Member

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41. Committee on Ordination of Ministers made the following report: Ministers approved for Ordination: Broadus Miller, James Richards, Howard Pennel.

42. Committee on Petitionary Letters reports: one announcement, as follows: I hereby announce our intention of asking for admission of the Temple Baptist Church into the Caldwell Association at its next session, and in the meantime we invite the Committee on Organization of Churches to review our organization.

—LANE N. PUETT.

43. Historian's Report, by J. R. Swanson.

HISTORIANS REPORT

Blairs Fork Baptist Church with which the 58th session of the Caldwell County Baptist Association is meeting was organized April 19th, 1891, with 15 members, 13 of whom came from Lower Creek Church and 2 from The Lenoir First Baptist Church.

The Constituting Presbetery consisted of Elders Isaac Oxford, Isaac Smith, and H. C. Marley, Oxford, acting Moderator and Marley Clerk, he afterwards was called as Pastor of this newly constituted Church. In the year 1899 the Caldwell Association met with this Church, which then numbered 39 members; and again in 1916 the Association met here. The Church then reported 113 members. Now at this session, 1942, the membership has grown to 184 and the Church building has been enlarged and equipped for doing the Master's work.

The Caldwell County Baptist Association, as we have heretofore mentioned, was organized September, 1885, with 16 Churches going

into the Organization reporting a membership of 1084 with 11 pastors and reporting 86 Baptisms for the year.

Now in the year 1942 the Association has 49 Churches with 36 Pastors, and reports 315 Baptisms, and a Membership of 9543.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, Historian.

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44. Time, Place and Preacher for the 1943 session:

Time—Thursday and Friday before the fourth Sunday in September, 1943.

Place—Mount Zion.

Preacher—Philip D. Fletcher.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Mrs. D. D. Annas
Charlie Cook

R. F. Mayberry moved that R. B. Burnett be elected alternate preacher and that the Committee after this appoint an alternate each year.

44. On motion a statistician to be appointed by the Moderator to prepare a mimeographed report of the letters of the Association on Thursday night and bring to the Association on Friday for distribution.

45. The Association expressed by a rising vote their appreciation to the Blairs Fork Church for their splendid entertainment given the Association.

The Moderator expressed the appreciation of the Association to Mrs. Beach for her services during the meeting of the association.

RESOLUTION

We the committee in behalf of the Association wish to express our deep appreciation to the people of Blairs Fork Church for their splendid way of preparing for and entertaining the Association.

The Committee:
S. A. Stroup
P. D. Fletcher
R. F. Mayberry

DIGEST OF LETTERS

	1941	1942
Sunday School enrollment	8,169	8,168
Church membership	9,255	9,433
Baptisms	315	383
Losses or Gains: Gain 68 over last year.		
Total B. T. U. Organizations	75	77 ‡
Total Enrollment of B. T. U. Members	1,151	1,029 *
Total W. M. U. Organizations	44	43
Total Enrollment of W. M. U. Members	797	809
Total Gifts of W. M. U. and All its Orgs.	$ 2,726.56	$ 3,165.95
Gifts for Local Church Work	62,827.34	87,694.95
Gifts for Cooperative Program	10,236.84	12,728.59
Gifts to Orphanage	2,126.28	2,550.16
Grand Total	$75,190.46	$102,973.70

‡ Gain of 2
* Loss of 22

46. In the closing tender and compassionate message of the Moderator to the Association he said: "These are dark days and they may become darker still, but let us trust God and do right."

47. After an earnest prayer by O. R. Mangum the fifty-eighth session of the Association adjourned to meet with Mount Zion Church, Saw Mills, N. C., on September 25 and 26, 1943.

ZEB A. CAUDLE, Moderator
S. A. STROUP, Vice-Moderator
H. S. BENFIELD, Clerk and Treasurer

IN MEMORIAM

These are but our dead. They do but live; Death is but an incident in the life, the open portal to the life abundant and everlasting. "Tread soft, speak low, we love them so, and yet we know God loved them best, God's angels guard their holy rest."

BLAIRS FORK—
Deacon James M. Bryant
Mrs. T. C. Suddreth

BETHANY—
Mr. T. C. Curtis
Mrs. Bessie Curtis

BETHEL—
Deacon J. W. Cannon

CENTER GROVE—
Mr. Frank Bumgarner

CENTRAL—
Mr. W. H. Gibbs
Mr. James Gilbert
Mrs. Charlie Bentley

GRANITE FALLS—
Mr. L. G. Capshaw

HARRIS CHAPEL—
Deacon Henry Green
Mr. Garmon Carswell

HARTLAND—
Deacon A. L. Silvers

KINGS CREEK—
Mrs. T. C. Kirby
Mrs. George Hayes
Mrs. Sophia Ferguson

LENOIR FIRST—
Mr. J. J. Gibbons
Mr. D. H. Ramsey
Miss Dorothy Anderson
Mrs. C. A. Anderson

LENOIR SOUTH—
Mrs. Mack Cook
Mr. C. E. Barlowe
Mrs. Amanda Pritchard
Mrs. Sallie Lovins Rayfield
Mr. Everett Story

LONG FORD—
Mr. James Matherson

LOWER CREEK—
Mr. George R. Barlow
Mr. Lee Powell

MAPLE GROVE—
Mrs. Candace Crump

MOUNTAIN GROVE—
Mrs. I. R. Conway
Mr. R. J. Rector

MT. ZION—
Mrs. W. A. Annas

RHODHISS—
Mr. A. C. Hollar

ROCKY SPRINGS—
Mr. Black Rader

"And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, write, blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from hence forth; yea, saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them." Rev. 14:13.

ANNUAL SESSSION OF

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

First Lenoir Baptist Church

May 22, 1942

MORNING SESSION

Hymn ..... "The Light of the World is Jesus"
Watchword ..... "O Send Out the Light and Thy Truth"
Devotional ..... Mrs. O. R. Mangum
Greetings ..... Mrs. C. L. Wilson
Response ..... Mrs. Judson Carpenter
Recognition of Pastors and Visitors
Appointment of Committees
Roll Call of Societies and Recognition of Presidents
Report of Superintendent and Associational Chairman
Report of Secretary ..... Mrs. Fred Bowman
Report of Literature ..... Mrs. C. T. Smith
Report of Librarian ..... Mrs. Ella Dixon
Report of Personal Service ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele
Report of Mission Study ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Report of Stewardship ..... Mrs. W. F. Kerley
Needs of the Association ..... Miss Ruth Kellar
Special Music
Address

Announcements and Benediction

LUNCH

AFTERNOON SESSION

Hymn ..... "Oh Zion Haste"
Devotional ..... Mrs. A. Y. Cottrell
Report of Young Peoples' Leader ..... Mrs. Allen Laxton
Report of Committees
Special Music
Talk ..... Mrs. Earl James
Playlet ..... "Trail of Torches" ..... Lenoir Young People
Adjourn

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Twenty-two W. M. S. organizations; 30 Young People's organizations; 460 miles traveled; 195 letters and cards written; 88 bundles of report blanks mailed; 4 meetings held; 12 societies visited. Total gifts for 1941, $3,165.95.

We wish to thank Mr. C. M. Abernathy for his kindness in mimeographing our program. We are also grateful to First Lenoir Church for their generous hospitality.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Mrs. Fred G. Bowman

REPORT OF W. M. U. LIBRARY

Books loaned, 46; books returned, 29; books purchased, 8; books donated, 22. Books now in library, 250.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Ella Dickson

REPORT OF PERSONAL SERVICE

Societies engaged in	WMS	YWA
Organized Personal Service	9	2
Holding services for Negroes	0	0
Personal Service committees	9	2
Holding Services for prisoners	1	1
Definite Soul winning	5	0
Vacation Bible School	4	1
Mission Study Schools	5	0
Work for Negroes	1	0
Cottage Prayer Meeting	5	1
Helping needy families	13	2
Rescue work	1	0
Work for under privileged children	4	1

"By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples if ye have love one to another." (John 13:35)

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Annie Bell Steele.

REPORT OF TIME AND PLACE

Grandin wishes the W. M. S. to meet with them on May 22, 1943.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Walter Winkler, Miss Cora Greer

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

"In everything give thanks"

In behalf of we the W.M.U. of the Caldwell Association we wish to thank the W.M.U. of the First Baptist church of Lenoir for the hospitality and thoughtfulness shown us today, for the lovely flowers, for the special music, for the lunch, and for the service of the pages.

We appreciate Mrs. Bowman's untiring efforts to make the work go forward during the past year and her work in making today's program possible.

We are grateful to each one who has taken part on the program in such a spendid way.

We are deeply thankful for the presence of Miss Daniels and Mrs. James and for their inspiring messages.

May we all resolve as we go from this meeting to dedicate each day of our lives afresh to him, to be faithful in the little things of life, thus go forward in the kingdom work in a greater way in this time of emergency.

Respectfully submitted,
Pearl Kellar
Mrs. J. E. Ledbetter

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RECOMMENDATIONS

With gratitude to God for His blessings upon us during the past year, and in view of the changing conditions in the world today we recommend:

1—That our association accept the watchword of the Southern Baptist W.M.U., "Send out thy light and thy truth."

2—That we adopt year book of Southern Baptist convention.

3—Goals 5 per cent increase in gifts over last year.
Enlarged membership.
10 per cent increase in tithers.
Increased mission study.
Double gifts to Hundred Thousand Club.

Further that each member of the Missionary Societies of the county give ten cents toward the associational progress fund.

That we stress the missionary education of our young people by sponsoring their organization.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Frank Smith
Mrs. Earl James
Mrs. O. R. Mangum

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, the nominating committee submit the following report:

Superintendent	Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Assistant Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary and Treasurer	Mrs. Fred Bowman
Mission Study leader	Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Stewardship leader	Mrs. Dewey Annas
Personal Service leader	Miss Annie Belle Steele
Librarian	Miss Ella Dickson
Literature chairman	Mrs. C. T. Smith
Young Peoples Leader	Mrs. Allen Laxton

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. A. F. Sharpe
Mrs. W. C. Kerley
Mrs. J. C. Pennell

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP LEADER

At the end of the quarter in December the following quarterly stewardship report was made:

Tithers:	W.M.S.	133
	Y.W.A.	5
Stewardship Classes		2
Organizations using Stewardship leaflets		2
Number of memberships in 100,000 Club:	W.M.S.	12
	Y.W.A.	2

38 cards written; 4 telephone calls; 1 visit.

Love constrains the woman who has faced her stewardship obligations to feel as Paul, when he said to the Corinthians, "Ye are not your own for ye are bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. W. F. Kerley.

ANNUAL MISSION STUDY REPORT OF CALDWELL ASSOCIATION W.M.U. 1941

No. Mission Study Classes	45
No. Record Cards	82
No. Certificates	57
No. Reading Cards	7
No. Reading Stamps	10
No. Small Seals	364
No. Honor Certificates	4
No. Large Honor Seals	4
No. Small Honor Seals	5
No. Official Seals	9
No. Enrolled in Societies	436
No. Engaged in Study	304
No. Receiving Awards	251

OFFICE REPORT

No. Books ordered for Associational Library	12
No. Examination Papers Graded	17
No. Letters and Postals Written	75
No. Telephone Calls	25

SUGGESTED AIMS FOR 1942

1. A still MORE ACTIVE Mission Study Chairman in every Church.
2. ALL of our Women enlisted in real Bible and Mission Study.
3. At least ONE Class in *every* Y.W.A., G.A., R.A., and Sunbeam Band.
4. Two or *More* "Church Schools of Missions".

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mis. Study Sec.

REPORT OF FINANCES

	WMS	YWA	GA	RA	Sb
Blairs Fork	$ 19.80	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....
Center Grove	46.51	.....	.....	.....	.....
Concord	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dudley Shoals	13.40	.....	.....	.....	.....
First Lenoir	1196.83	114.93	60.75	30.73	16.38
Grandin	53.51	.....	.....	.....	.....
Granite Falls	111.84	10.15	5.29	6.12	.31
Kings Creek	27.85	.....	.....	.....	.....

Lower Creek	720.67	62.75	42.18	18.08	20.00
Mt. Grove	15.50				
Mt. Zion	50.25				
Nelson's Chapel	16.50				
Poovey's Grove	35.50				
Piney Grove	6.00				
Rhodhiss	59.64				
South Lenoir	250.37	42.70	8.60	5.50	4.65
Sardis	48.20				
Whitnel					
Whitnel Central	17.36	7.00			
Yadkin					
Union	12.30				
Total	$2707.03	$240.33	$116.82	$60.43	$41.34

Grand Total $3,165.95
Amount received for postage $6.00
Amount spent for postage $7.69

ROLL CALL OF CHURCHES

Blairs Fork	2	Nelson's Chapel	3
Center Grove	5	Poovey's Grove	3
Concord	2	Piney Grove	
Dudley Shoals	1	Rhodhiss	9
First Lenoir	10	South Lenoir	3
Grandin	5	Sardis	3
Granite Falls	4	Whitnel	
Kings Creek		Whitnel Central	2
Lower Creek	9	Yadkin	
Mt. Grove		Union	
Mt. Zion			

CHURCH DIRECTORY

PASTORS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Pastor	Post Office
Blairs Fork	Grady Minton	Vilas
Buffalo Cove	James Matney	Blowing Rock
Bethany	Henry Smith	Deep Gap
Bethel	E. P. Bennett	Morganton
Concord	S .A. Stroup	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	L. E. Snipes	Granite Falls
Conway's Chapel	J. S. Silver	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Center Grove	C. W. Colvard	Hudson
Central	D. E. Couch	Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	E. V. Bumgarner	Taylorsville
Edgemont	L. B. Bean	Mortimer
Flemings Chapel	W. R. Moss	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Granite Falls	P. D. Fletcher	Granite Falls
Green Valley	W. R. Moss	Lenoir
Grandin	W. O. Johnson	Taylorsville
Globe	L. B. Bean	Globe
Green Rock	Bruce Johnson	Lenoir, Rt. 2
Grandview Park	Thomas Thire	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Luther E. Sniper	Morganton
Hartland	L. A. Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 3
John River	J .H. Crisp	Whitnell
King Creek	E. V. Bumgarner	Taylorsville
Lower Creek	Zeb. A. Caudle	Lenoir
Lenoir First	O. R. Mangum	Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. S. Benfield	Lenoir
Lovelady	W. M. Bradshaw	Hudson
Long Ford	A. W. Eller	N. Wilkesboro
Mulberry	L. B. Bean	Globe
Mountain Grove	L. E. Sniper	Morganton
Mt. Zion	Grant Miller	Granite Falls
Miller Hill	L. A. Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Maple Grove	J. W. Fox	Lenoir
Mulvale	Zeb. A. Caudle	Lenoir
Nelson Chapel	R. H. Shore	Blowing Rock
Oak Grove	J. T. Ritchard	Granite Fall
Pisgah	C. M. Curtis	Rhodhiss
Piney Grove	W. J. Cook	Boone, Rt. 1
Pooveys Grove	S. M. Stroupe	Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	J. H. Crisp	Whitnell
Rhodhiss	R .F. Mayberry	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	T. E. Payne	Hudson

Rufus	J. H. Crisp	Lenoir
Sardis	R. B. Burnett	Lenoir
Union Grove	L. N. Snipes	Morganton
Union	W. W. Lyons	Fort Worth, Texas
Whitnel	H. L. Philips	Whitnell
Winklers Grove	J. W. Green	Granite Falls
Yadkin	J. H. Crisp	Whitnell
Yadkin Valley	Roy Ray	Lenoir, Rt. 6

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Superintendent	Post Office
Blairs Fork	Jessee Vonay	Lenoir
Buffalo Cove	J. W. Hamlet	Buffalo Cove
Bethany	Mary Green	Finley
Bethel	Ralph Moore	Morganton, Rt. 3
Concord	George Hollar	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	W. R. Stone	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Conway's Chapel	J. C. Braswell	Lenoir
Center Grove	Avrey Bumgarner	Granite Falls
Central	F. Park Everhardt	Whitnel
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith	Granite Falls
Edgemont	Mrs. J. W. Suddreth	Edgemont
Flemings Chapel	F. W. Blakenship	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Granite Falls	W. F. Kerly	Granite Falls
Green Valley	O. C. Dillinger	Collettsville
Grandin	H. C. Lacky	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Globe	R. C. Cook	Globe
Green Rock	J. C. Hawkins	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	D. L. Snyder	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas	Hudson
Hartland	A. P. Anderson	Lenoir, Rt. 3
John River	B. G. Estes	Upton
King Creek	Victor Roberts	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall	Lenoir
Lenoir South	M. A. Jenkins	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Lovelady	June Weaver	Granite Falls
Long Ford	Bill Crump	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Mulberry	C. E. Chalmers	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Mountain Grove	Ivey Hall	Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner	Granite Falls
Miller Hill	Bryant Triplett	Lenoir, Rt. 6

Maple Grove	J. V. Bean	Globe
Mulvale	Cecil Clark	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Nelson Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Oak Grove	H. L. Richards	Granite Falls
Pisgah	John Pope	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Piney Grove	W. D. Tobee	Yadkin Valley
Pooveys Grove	Harry Sherill	Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Ekord	Hudson
Rhodhiss	J. M. Laxton	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	C. F. Annas	Collettsville
Rufus	W. C. Green	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Sardis	George Carroll	Hudson
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Union	Bearl U. M. C. Ray	Lenoir
Whitnel	W. D. Globe	Whitnel
Winklers Grove	J. R. Holland	Hickory, Rt. 3
Yadkin	D. R. Collins	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Yadkin Valley	Luther Miller	Yadkin Valley

CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Clerk	Post Office
Blairs Fork	J. M. Holsclaw	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffy	Buffalo
Bethany	Louis Harison	Finley
Bethel	R. H. Cannon	Worry
Concord	Mrs. R. G. Teague	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	Howard Clark	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards	Hudson, Rt. 1
Central	Glenn McCall	Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	Fred Bowman	Granite Falls
Edgemont	Cleola Coffy	Globe
Flemings Chapel	D. W. Richards	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Granite Falls	R. L. Bolick	Granite Falls
Green Valley	B. B. Greene	Collettsville
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Globe	R. C. Cook	Globe
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	Fiety Kincaid	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas	Hudson
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Pruett	Morganton, Rt. 3
John River	B. C. Estes	Upton

King Creek	H. M. Beach	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lenoir First	Carter Powell	Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. W. Chester	Lenoir
Lovelady	W. P. Yount	Granite Falls
Long Ford	Fred Pearson	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Mulberry	H. I. Green	Lenoir
Mountain Grove	J. L. Smith	Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	Pearl Annas	Hudson
Miller Hill	Glenn Story	Lenoir
Maple Grove	Connie Philyaw	Mortimer
Mulvale	Walter Estes	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Nelson Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Oak Grove	Ruby Myers	Granite Falls
Pisgah	C. P. Bryant	Lenoir
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble	Yadkin Valley
Pooveys Grove	Pearl Keller	Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	J. L. Sigmon	Hudson
Rhodhiss	S. A. Elmore	Granite Falls
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Rufus	W. B. Greene	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Sardis	J. V. Johnson	Hudson
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Union	Woodrow Land	Lenoir
Whitnel	M. A. Setzer	Whitnel
Winklers Grove	A. H. Hildebrand	Hockory, Rt. 3
Yadkin	Douglas Green	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Yadkin Valley	C. S. Ford	Yadkin Valley

REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Treasurer	Post Office
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaacs	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffy	Buffalo Cove
Bethany	Paul Curtis	Finley
Bethel	R. H. Cannon	Worry
Concord	R. C. Icenhour	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. George Craig	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Center Grove	D. W. Fox	Hudson
Central	W. C. Lutz	Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	Fred Bowman	Granite Falls

Edgemont	Lena Suddreth	Globe
Flemings Chapel	O. S. Reichards	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Granite Falls	P. L. Moore	Granite Falls
Green Valley	J. B. Hagin	Collettsville
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer	Lenoir
Globe	R. C. Cook	Globe
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	J. L. Owens	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	B. A. Sullivan	Hudson
Hartland	R. R. Turnmire	Lenoir, Rt. 3
John River	R. C. Estes	Upton
King Creek	H. M. Beach	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye	Lenoir
Lenoir First	Will Watson	Lenoir
Lenoir South	J. E. Driver	Lenoir
Lovelady	L. L. Yount	Granite Falls
Long Ford	Len Bordeau	Lenoir
Mulberry	H. I. Green	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Mountain Grove	Carl Cannon	Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	A. J. Barker	Hudson, Rt. 1
Miller Hill	L. A. Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Maple Grove	Martha Bean	Mortimer
Mulvale	Maggie Marler	Lenoir
Nelson Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards	Granite Falls
Pisgah	M. F. Sanders	Lenoir
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble	Yadkin Valley
Pooveys Grove	Howard Starnes	Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	Oron Hartley	Hudson
Rhodhiss	W. H. Barker	Granite Falls
Rocky Springs	Lois Talbert	Collettsville
Rufus	W. B. Green	Lenoir, Rt. 7
Sardis	Cade Shaver	Hudson
Union Grove	F. E. Smith	Lenoir ,Rt. 3
Union	Ralph McRary	Lenoir
Whitnel	W. D. Goble	Whitnel
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand	Hickory
Yadkin	A. E. Price	Lenoir
Yadkin Valley	George Sutton	Lenoir

DIRECTORS OF TRAINING UNIONS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Director	Post Office
Concord	Howard Curtis	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. George Craige	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Center Grove	S. G. Phillips	Hudson, Rt. 1
Central	Mrs. Carl Swanson	Whitnel
Granite Falls	Mrs. L. G. Capshaw	Granite Falls
King Creek	J. C. Keller	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lower Creek	Clarence Prestwood	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Lenoir First	J. Noah Roberts	Lenoir
Lenoir South	Blaine Byers	Lenoir
Lovelady	Miss Margarett Kirby	Lenoir
Mountain Grove	A. L. Pearson	Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	G. F. Woods	Rhodhiss
Pooveys Grove	J. D. Craig	Granite Falls
Rhodhiss	C. F. Kirby	Rhodhiss
Sardis	Miss Mae Smith	Hudson
Whitnel	C. B. Bollinger	Lenoir, Rt. 6
Yadkin	Isaac Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 5

PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES

Church	President	Post Office
Blairs Fork	Mrs. R. B. Holseclaw	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Concord	Mrs. Judson Carpenter	Granite Falls
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Calvard	Hudson
Central	No President Reported	
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears	Granite Falls
Granite Falls	Mrs. E. Carr Cline	Granite Falls
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell	Lenoir, Rt.
Grand View Park	Mrs. O. L. Benfield	Lenoir
Kings Creek	Mrs. W. M. Ferguson	Kings Creek
Lower Creek	Miss Annie Belle Steel	Lenoir, Rt.
Lenoir First	Mrs. C. L. Wilson	Lenoir
Lenoir South	Mrs. Andrew Triplett	Lenoir
Mountain Grove	Mrs. B. B. Bean	Granite Falls, Rt.
Mt. Zion	Mrs. J. L. Julian	Hudson, Rt. 1
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craige	Lenoir, Rt. 5
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Virgie McCorkle	Granite Falls, Rt. 2
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. C. Hunsucker	Rhodhiss
Sardis	Mrs. R. B. Burnett	Lenoir, Rt. 2
Union	Mrs. A. W. Story	Lenoir, Rt. 2
Whitnel	Mrs. H. L. Phillips	Whitnel

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CHURCH CHOIR DIRECTORS OR LEADERS

Church	*Director*	*Address*
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaacs	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Buffalo Cove	*	*
Bethany	H. F. Curtis	Finley
Bethel	*	*
Concord	W. P. Richard	Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	A. L. Underdown	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Conways Chapel	*	*
Center Grove	J. M. Edwards	Rt. 1, Hudson
Central	*	*
Dudley Shoals	S. L. Reid	Granite Falls
Edgemont	*	*
Flemings Chapel	F. A. Blankenship	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Granite Falls	Mrs. P. L. Moore	Granite Falls
Green Valley	*	*
Grandin	*	*
Globe	*	*
Green Rock	F. C. Hawkins	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	Claude McCall	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Lindsay R. Annas	Rt. 1, Hudson
Hartland	*	*
Johns River	Burma Estes	Upton
Kings Creek	A. W. Laxton	Kings Creek
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye	Lenoir
Lenoir, First	Robert J. Stevens	Lenoir
Lenoir, South	Bill R. Pinson	Lenoir
Lovelady	*	*
Long Fork	Mrs. Coy Church	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Mulberry	*	*
Mountain Grove	A. L. Pearson	Granite Falls
Mount Zion	L. M. Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Miller Hill	Donald Perry	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Maple Grove	J. V. Bean	Globe
Mulvale	*	*
Nelsons Chapel	*	*
Oak Grove	Blain Myers	Rt. 1, Granite Falls
Pisgah	John Hart	Lenoir
Piney Grove	Charlie Winkler	Yadkin Valley
Poovey's Grove	Garland Keller	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Poovey's Chapel	W. F. Hatley	Hudson

Rhodhiss	C. F. Kirby	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	Dalas Key	Collettsville
Rufus	L. A. Bradshaw	Rt. 9, Lenoir
Sardis	Finley Phillips	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Union	Ralph McRary	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Whitnel	J. F. Griffin	Whitnel
Yadkin	Isaac Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Yadkin Valley	Luther Miller	Yadkin Valley

* No Choir Director or Leader

STATISTICAL TABLES

of the

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

TABLE ONE — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Village, Town, City or Country	When Constituted	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP									Weekly Prayer Meets.	Revivals Held, Year	Obs. Lord's Supper	Fam. Rec. Bap. Paper
				GAINS					LOSSES							
				Mem. Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Tot. Pres. Mem.				
Blairs Fork	V	1891	1	186	4	4	...	...	8	...	...	2	184	*	1	2	...
Buffalo Cove	C	1857	2	110	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	112	...	1	1	...
Bethany	C	1902	2	94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	92	...	1	2	...
Bethel	C	1894	1	122	...	2	...	...	8	...	...	1	113	...	1	...	...
Concord	T	1900	All	278	9	3	...	...	12	78	...	...	200	*	2	1	...
Clark's Chapel	C	1900	1 4	161	3	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	162	*	2	0	1
Conway's Chapel	C	1900	2 4	68	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	69	*	1	...	...
Center Grove	C	1914	2 4	162	20	6	...	...	4	...	...	1	183	*	1	4	...
Central	V	1938	2 4	225	21	6	...	...	4	...	...	3	275	*	1	2	...
Dudley Shoals	C	1861	2	243	10	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	251	...	1	1	4
Edgemont	C	1935	2	14	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	1	1
Flemings Chapel	C	1888	1 3	109	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	113	*	1	1	...
Granite Falls	T	1890	All	326	21	11	...	...	3	...	...	1	354	*	1	4	6
Green Valley	C	1888	1	34	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	34	...	2	2	...
Grandin	C	1914	4	66	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	65	...	1	1	6
Globe	C	1855	.....	122	4	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	130	...	1	2	...
Green Rock	C	1889	2	34	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	33	...	1	...	...
Grandview Park	C	1930	2	122	14	6	...	...	7	1	...	...	134	...	2	...	...
Harris Chapel	C	1912	2 4	196	...	1	...	...	5	4	...	2	186	...	...	1	1
Hartland	C	1938	1 4	100	13	10	2	...	1	...	...	1	123	...	2	1	...
John River	C	1899	.....	123	5	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	128	*	1	2	...
King Creek	C	1779	1 4	391	16	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	402	...	1	1	3
Lower Creek	C	1826	All	515	13	8	...	1	8	...	...	2	527	*	1	4	...
Lenoir First	T	1889	All	751	28	21	...	...	42	...	...	4	754	*	1	4	110
Lenoir South	T	1910	All	780	24	7	1	1	31	...	...	5	759	*	2	4	25
Lovelady	C	1880	1	40	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	...	2	1	...
Long Ford	C	1734	1	174	...	7	...	...	4	1	...	1	175	*	...	1	...
Mulberry	C	1853	1 3	72	5	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	77	*	1	1	...
Mountain Grove	C	1884	2 4	170	24	10	...	2	2	...	...	2	202	*	2	2	...
Mt. Zion	V	1889	All	311	3	7	...	...	10	...	3	1	307	*	2	1	...
Miller Hill	C	1935	2 4	97	10	10	...	2	3	...	1	...	115	*	2	1	...
Maple Grove	C	....	1 3	123	5	...	...	...	4	...	1	1	122	*	1	3	...
Mulvale	C	1941	2	53	...	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	59	...	...	...	...
Nelson Chapel	C	1905	4	152	...	1	...	...	4	2	56	...	91	...	...	1	1
Oak Grove	C	1942	4	62	...	1	...	...	7	...	...	...	56	*	1	2	...
Pisgah	C	1877	All	211	24	3	2	1	6	28	...	...	207	*	2	2	...
Piney Grove	C	1867	2	156	10	8	...	...	6	...	...	...	168	*	2	1	...
Pooveys Grove	C	1898	2 3	175	5	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	176	*	1	1	...
Pooveys Chapel	C	1932	1 3	86	...	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	93	*	1	2	...
Rhodhiss	T	1906	All	377	16	9	1	...	9	...	...	1	393	*	2	4	6
Rocky Springs	V	1847	2 4	75	8	1	...	...	6	...	...	1	77	*	1	1	...
Rufus	C	1940	3	36	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	35	...	...	2	...
Sardis	V	1831	All	391	18	6	...	...	15	...	1	1	397	*	1	1	6
Union Grove	C	1898	1 3	202	2	4	...	...	9	...	...	1	198	...	1	1	...
Union	C	1914	1 3	336	4	2	...	...	3	...	...	3	348	...	1	1	...
Whitnel	V	1910	All	205	5	9	...	...	5	...	...	...	214	*	1	2	...
Winklers Grove	C	1894	All	89	4	6	...	...	2	...	...	...	97	*	1	2	...
Yadkin	V	1791	2 4	288	25	17	3	...	3	...	...	3	327	*	2	2	...
Yadkin Valley	C	1935	3	52	5	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	57	*	1	2	...
TOTALS	..	....	.....	9255	383	220	14	7	259	114	62	42	9433	...	57	78	170

* Yes

TABLE TWO — SUNDAY SCHOOLS

CHURCHES	Cradle Roll, Under 3	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults, 25 and Up	Extension Dept.	Gen., Dept. Officers	Tot. Enrollment, Officers, Teachers, Pup.	What is Av. Attend.?	Baptisms from SS	Is School Graded?	Teachers Holding Dip.	Enrollment Vac. Sch.	Av. Att. Vac. School
Blairs Fork	...	21	21	17	21	39	44	...	12	175	99	...	*	...	64	58
Buffalo Cove	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	...	...	...	...
Bethany	...	23	...	16	24	...	23	...	2	88	53	...	*	6	...	...
Bethel	...	...	16	10	16	13	17	...	2	72	48	...	*	...	...	...
Concord	17	30	46	50	43	26	70	95	15	392	163	6	*	...	67	51
Clark's Chapel	...	17	14	22	11	20	39	...	7	130	75	2	*	...	...	...
Conway's Chapel	...	9	5	9	10	11	12	...	9	65	63	...	...	...	...	...
Center Grove	9	22	43	47	24	20	37	...	3	205	129	15	*	...	...	...
Central	24	18	16	29	39	64	46	...	8	244	175	...	*	...	...	...
Dudley Shoals	...	19	12	22	25	29	45	...	3	155	76	10	*	...	...	...
Edgemont	5	3	3	2	5	3	9	...	1	31	10	2	*	...	...	...
Flemings Chapel	7	10	10	20	18	12	25	...	3	105	85	...	...	...	...	...
Granite Falls	35	18	39	61	48	65	49	12	12	339	150	20	*	4	82	68
Green Valley	...	9	...	13	15	...	20	...	...	57	50	...	...	...	...	...
Grandin	...	8	10	9	8	12	12	...	2	60	38	...	*	5	14	12
Globe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	42	...	...	...	...	...
Green Rock	...	3	...	4	...	...	15	...	2	24	10	...	*	...	...	...
Grandview Park	6	20	18	33	16	16	35	...	2	146	80	...	...	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	10	28	...	19	28	10	37	...	2	134	77	...	*	...	...	...
Hartland	...	32	...	30	...	40	47	...	2	151	95	...	...	...	...	...
John River	...	15	...	...	10	15	10	...	3	53	35	...	*	...	...	...
King Creek	29	32	24	25	32	46	64	15	...	267	127	16	*	...	62	54
Lower Creek	19	29	37	68	47	65	131	26	8	430	227	12	*	...	...	...
Lenoir First	53	23	33	84	70	67	189	20	63	602	312	27	*	...	83	73
Lenoir South	32	55	83	120	100	80	175	...	10	655	300	15	*	...	...	...
Lovelady	4	5	6	18	7	12	7	...	2	61	50	1	*	...	...	...
Long Ford	6	15	10	10	12	17	8	16	6	110	96	...	*	...	...	...
Mulberry	...	...	8	...	10	8	7	...	7	40	40	...	*	...	...	...
Mountain Grove	9	15	15	46	40	15	62	...	2	249	127	...	*	...	...	...
Mt. Zion	16	36	29	16	24	46	80	10	3	250	130	1	*	...	...	...
Miller Hill	...	24	24	21	...	39	32	...	2	142	78	8	*	...	...	...
Maple Grove	14	34	21	...	14	26	18	...	11	138	66	...	*	...	...	...
Mulvale	...	16	11	10	15	14	35	...	8	51	...	...	*	...	...	...
Nelson Chapel	...	14	...	7	7	14	10	...	7	67	42	...	*	...	...	...
Oak Grove	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	50	...	...	...	...	...
Pisgah	...	15	18	10	15	20	35	...	4	117	100	...	...	1	...	...
Piney Grove	...	37	14	19	...	25	31	...	6	132	60	10	*	...	20	15
Pooveys Grove	7	7	13	19	30	22	47	...	...	145	80	5	*	...	24	20
Pooveys Chapel	...	27	...	27	29	24	15	...	...	122	81	...	...	...	...	...
Rhodhiss	22	24	59	52	55	52	94	14	4	376	163	11	*	4	64	54
Rocky Springs	...	13	...	15	18	18	20	...	...	84	45	7	*	...	...	...
Rufus	...	17	...	10	...	...	35	...	...	62	35	...	*	...	...	...
Sardis	10	24	27	55	41	69	75	15	8	324	150	16	*	...	...	...
Union Grove	4	8	10	32	16	48	60	...	2	180	119	2	*	...	...	...
Union	...	14	16	21	25	28	18	...	...	122	80	...	*	...	...	...
Whitnel	16	16	24	30	32	35	72	...	8	233	130	5	*	...	...	...
Winklers Grove	...	24	...	12	15	...	39	...	...	90	45	4	...	...	...	...
Yadkin	14	32	46	32	52	67	46	...	6	295	215	16	...	4	...	...
Yadkin Valley	...	...	13	13	...	13	19	...	5	63	38	...	...	...	...	14
TOTALS	368	861	794	1185	1067	1265	2017	223	262	8168	4577	211	...	24	480	419

* Yes

TABLE THREE — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	Adult Unions	Yng. People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Tot. Unions, Sto. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrol'd.	Intermediates Enrol'd	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Tot. Enrolled, Unions and Story Hours	Daily Bible Readers	No. Taking St. Course	Tot. Systematic Givers	Students in College	No. Gen. Dept. O'cers.
Concord	...	1	1	1	1	4	...	14	11	11	12	48	19	36	35	...	8
Clark's Chapel	1	1	1	1	...	4	11	10	13	13	...	47	13	23	...	...	...
Center Grove	1	1	2	1	1	6	12	11	14	26	9	72	25	30	45	...	...
Central	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	6	33	19	12	92	15	23	23	...	...
Granite Falls	1	...	1	1	1	4	13	...	26	28	8	75	32	36	54	...	...
King's Greek	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	11	9	14	...	34	25	27	...	...	...
Lower Creek	1	1	1	1	1	5	28	19	26	25	5	103	30	40	55	...	24
Lenoir First	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	25	40	25	...	90	...	25	55	3	7
Lenoir South	1	...	1	1	1	4	21	...	13	15	13	67	22	32	52	...	5
Love Lady	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	5	12	16	8	48	...	...	...	3	...
Mt. Grove	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	9	18	20	5	64	31	38	...	...	21
Mt. Zion	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	17	11	14	16	75	22	31	...	...	12
Poovey's Grove	1	1	1	1	...	4	9	12	8	12	...	41	...	28	...	...	9
Rhodhiss	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	7	14	16	10	55	28	44	35	...	...
Sardis	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	9	14	16	9	57	20	39	57	...	6
Whitnel	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	9	11	7	16	61	19	32	37	1	4
Yadkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS	14	14	17	16	12	77	187	164	273	277	123	*	301	484	448	7	92

* Total Enrolled, Unions and Story Hours, 1029.

*—Other Churches reported no B. T. U.

TABLE FOUR — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	Number W. M. S.	Number Y. W. A.'s	Number G. A.'s	Number R. A.'s	Number Sunbeams	Total W. M. S. Orgs.	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Tot. Members Enrol'd	Tot. Enr. Mis. St. Cse.	Contributions (Local Work) By W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) By W. M. U.
Blairs Fork	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	8	...	2.40	29.03
Concord	1	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	14	248.50	74.07
Center Grove	1	1	...	...	...	2	15	11	...	...	...	26	...	76.58	15.81
Central	1	1	...	...	...	2	19	18	...	...	...	37	...	56.50	30.50
Dudley Shoals	1	...	...	...	...	1	17	...	...	...	...	17	7	.....	14.00
Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	40	8	30	22	20	120	26	.....	139.20
Grandin	1	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	7	7	60.00	61.75
Grand View Park	1	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	26.27	15.93
Kings Creek	1	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	10	10	.....	36.73
Lower Creek	1	1	1	1	1	5	60	15	12	5	10	102	43	126.18	1007.39
Lenoir First	1	1	2	1	1	6	104	17	24	13	30	188	...	.....	84.00
Lenoir South	1	2	...	...	1	4	48	25	...	...	10	83	25	38.68	471.57
Mountain Grove	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	22.87	19.10
Mt. Zion	1	1	...	...	...	2	18	8	...	...	...	26	...	.....	49.26
Nelson Chapel	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	12	5.25	22.25
Pooveys Grove	1	1	...	...	1	3	14	14	...	...	20	48	...	.....	77.51
Rhodhiss	1	1	...	...	1	3	21	12	...	...	25	58	...	.....	258.95
Sardis	1	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	20	7	.....	9.72
Union	1	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	50.00	18.75
Whitnel	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
TOTALS...	20	10	5	4	6	43	480	128	66	30	115	809	151	713.23	2435.52

Other Churches Reported No W. M. U.

TABLE FIVE — CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCHES	Own House Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Dept. Assem. Rooms	No. Sep. Class Rooms	Value Church House and Grounds	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
irs Fork.....	Yes	1891	Wood	300	7	1	6	2000	.....	2000	101.96	1000
ffalo Cove.....	Yes	1895	Wood	370	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
hany.....	Yes	1902	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
hel.....	Yes	1912	Wood	300	5	1	4	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
ıcord.....	Yes	1926	Brick	400	17	2	16	15000	2000	17000	297.00	9500
rk's Chapel....	Yes	1905	Wood	300	7	2	6	1600	.....	1800	.....	.....
ıway's Chapel.	Yes	....	Wood	250	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
ıter Grove.....	Yes	1918	Wood	400	8	1	7	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
ıtral.....	Yes	1938	Wood	300	6	1	5	3800	2000	5800	.....	.....
dley Shoals....	Yes	1904	Wood	350	15	3	14	4500	.....	4500	.....	2000
gemont.....	Yes	1915	Wood	150	2	1	1	200	.....	200	.....	.....
mings Chapel..	Yes	1888	Wood	500	8	1	7	2200	.....	2200	.....	.....
ınite Falls.....	Yes	1907	Brick	350	27	3	24	20000	3000	23000	2000.00	12000
en Valley.....	Yes	1941	Wood	200	1	1	...	850	.....	850	.....	.....
ındin.....	Yes	1925	Wood	300	3	1	2	4000	.....	4000	.....	1000
be.....	Yes	1872	Wood	150	2	1	1	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
en Rock.....	No	1922	Wood	100	1	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ındview Park..	Yes	1930	Wood	500	9	1	2	3000	.....	3000	445.00	1000
rris Chapel....	Yes	1924	Wood	500	7	1	6	2300	.....	2300	.....	1000
rtland.....	Yes	1938	Wood	200	6	1	5	1000	.....	1200	.....	800
n River.....	Yes	1890	Wood	150	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
g Creek.....	Yes	1928	Brick	500	10	1	9	10000	.....	10000	.....	5000
wer Creek.....	No	....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	4500	4500	.....	.....
ıoir First.....	Yes	1924	Stone	700	41	7	34	160000	.....	180000	9000.00	90000
ıoir South.....	Yes	1935	W-B	500	52	8	44	40000	.....	40000	.....	25000
relady.....	Yes	1937	Wood	400	5	1	4	2000	.....	2000	.....	400
g Ford.....	Yes	1936	Wood	250	6	1	5	1500	.....	1500	.....	600
lberry.....	Yes	1853	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
untain Grove..	Yes	1936	Brick	300	7	1	6	3800	.....	3800	.....	2000
Zion.....	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	2	8	5500	1500	7000	1500.00	2000
ler Hill.....	Yes	1935	Wood	200	7	1	6	2000	2000	4000	1279.00	2800
ple Grove.....	Yes	1936	Wood	200	1	...	...	1800	.....	1800	.....	.....
lvale.....	Yes	1941	Rock	200	1	...	...	3586	.....	3586	1500.00	1500
son Chapel....	Yes	1906	Wood	300	5	1	4	2000	.....	2000	.....	.....
k Grove.....	Yes	1900	Wood	150	1	...	...	500	.....	600	.....	300
gah.....	Yes	1888	Wood	300	1	1	4	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
ey Grove.....	Yes	1941	Wood	400	3	1	3	5000	.....	5000	730.00	4000
veys Grove....	Yes	1938	Brick	300	12	2	10	5500	.....	6100	115.00	1700
veys Chapel..	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
odhiss.....	Yes	1903	W.B.	400	14	1	13	9000	.....	9000	.....	3000
ky Springs....	Yes	1906	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
us.....	Yes	1940	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
dis.....	Yes	1925	Wood	325	7	1	6	5000	.....	5000	.....	2000
on Grove.....	Yes	....	Brick	400	10	1	9	4500	.....	4800	750.00	2000
on.....	Yes	1942	Stone	600	9	7	6	8000	.....	9000	1000.00	.....
itnel.....	Yes	1925	Brick	400	18	1	18	10000	.....	10200	.....	4000
nklers Grove..	No	....	.....	.....	...	...	...	150	.....	150	.....	.....
lkin.....	Yes	1902	Brick	400	8	1	8	6000	.....	6000	1100.00	2000
lkin Valley....	Yes	1935	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
TOTALS....		....	.....	14895	376	61	309	317736	15000	287836	19817.96	177600

TABLE SIX — GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK

CHURCHES	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for S. S., B. Y. P. U., W. M. S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing Minutes and Clerk of Assn.	Other Objects	Total for Local Purposes Givey By Church and its Orgs.	Pledged to Cooperative Program	Pledged to Associational Missions	Number of Tithers
Blairs Fork	369.37	.....	17.50	104.09	45.10	43.75	50.97	.....	3.20	80.87	714.85	.....	24.00	...
Buffalo Cove	170.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00	.....	2.00	.....	196.00	.....	12.00	...
Bethany	92.10	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	13.57	.....	1.00	.....	121.67	.....	36.00	...
Bethel	331.28	.....	40.00	66.75	.....	74.08	46.24	.....	5.00	13.15	576.50	.....	36.00	...
Concord	1514.50	.....	58.90	404.23	322.14	357.78	222.63	39.63	5.00	120.00	3074.81	.....	12.00	25
Clark's Chapel	460.00	.....	53.00	.....	.....	75.60	.....	.....	2.00	101.32	691.92	.....	24.00	...
Conway's Chapel	197.12	.....	22.50	340.50	.....	20.50	15.56	.....	1.80	.....	597.98	.....	48.00	...
Center Grove	975.50	.....	76.67	26.58	.....	199.75	107.80	33.57	6.00	59.00	1484.87	.....	.....	22
Central	1309.00	.....	47.12	88.26	281.82	126.10	137.02	.....	.....	505.07	2494.49	.....	.....	10
Dudley Shoals	365.65	.....	51.13	23.48	.....	141.29	54.36	3.60	3.50	.....	650.01	.....	.....	...
Edgemont	23.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	29.85	15.00	.....	...
Flemings Chapel	172.00	14.00	.....	.....	.....	38.90	38.00	20.00	6.30	74.00	363.20	.....	.....	...
Granite Falls	1556.58	36.00	100.00	269.28	541.14	470.20	215.20	19.90	6.00	88.70	3303.00	600.00	36.00	...
Green Valley	57.11	5.52	.....	.....	.....	9.32	5.31	.....	.50	.....	77.76	.....	.....	...
Grandin	313.47	.....	31.00	8.20	.....	39.50	25.50	40.00	2.00	.....	458.67	75.00	12.00	12
Globe	122.56	.....	13.13	.....	.....	39.00	24.50	.....	1.50	.....	200.79	.....	.....	...
Green Rock	60.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	1.00	15.00	83.50	.....	.....	...
Grandview Park	197.27	.....	43.97	.....	190.32	31.52	58.61	15.00	3.00	71.39	611.08	52.00	12.00	...
Harris Chapel	493.08	.....	9.90	14.60	116.92	48.87	51.90	19.27	4.00	.....	761.54	.....	12.00	...
Hartland	625.19	64.55	89.80	16.80	119.78	124.47	37.83	33.00	5.60	150.00	1261.52	50.00	.....	10
John River	97.00	10.00	40.00	.....	.....	12.00	12.60	15.00	2.00	30.00	218.60	.....	.....	...
King Creek	540.15	.....	68.27	9.56	.....	147.67	141.50	.....	5.00	.....	912.15	.....	24.00	...
Lower Creek	2220.00	.....	110.00	271.67	.....	434.86	235.97	.....	15.00	1107.19	4394.61	.....	60.00	...
Lenoir First	3600.00	409.00	188.82	6716.09	2400.00	2475.85	484.13	387.71	15.00	818.88	27495.48	3000	60.00	...
Lenoir South	2000.00	77.00	275.00	720.00	314.33	1054.19	667.30	155.80	10.00	231.04	5504.72	800.00	36.00	60

Miller Hill.....	665.98	.....	129.84	514.20	325.44	97.47	49.62	10.00	3.15	3.52	1737.31	100.00	.....	17
Maple Grove.....	99.44	.....	.....	35.80	.....	.....	18.21	36.25	.25	3.52	193.42	.....	.....	...
Mulvale.....	120.00	.....	.....	3526.00	.....	32.14	36.39	.....	2.00	11.80	3728.33	.....	.....	..
Nelson Chapel....	146.47	29.31	.....	614.03	.....	40.62	36.30	.....	3.00	12.85	882.58	.....	12.00	..
Oak Grove.....	84.05	.....	10.06	44.56	.....	46.93	22.20	.....	1.80	33.00	242.60	.....	.....	2
Pisgah.....	537.75	.....	152.00	.....	.....	48.00	34.18	45.00	2.00	8.00	836.93	.....	.....	2
Piney Grove.....	158.53	.....	75.30	.....	790.18	100.18	53.88	10.00	2.75	30.60	1221.41	.....	12.00	1
Pooveys Grove....	529.15	.....	49.31	9.75	652.25	54.55	74.04	.....	2.00	7.00	1378.05	.....	24.00	15
Pooveys Chapel...	138.17	.....	31.21	.....	.....	40.06	36.61	18.21	.....	39.94	304.20	.....	12.00	...
Rhodhiss.....	1850.00	.....	125.00	587.76	480.76	205.07	140.25	50.00	5.00	50.00	3493.84	500.00	36.00	70
Rocky Springs....	183.35	.....	73.67	444.18	.....	66.27	46.40	14.65	2.00	7.00	837.52	.....	12.00	...
Rufus.....	135.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.26	11.46	.....	3.00	.....	180.72	.....	.....	...
Sardis.....	1300.00	.....	90.80	.....	.....	276.67	159.39	167.61	7.00	.....	2001.44	.....	24.00	42
Union Grove.....	416.00	.....	61.00	.....	357.00	73.00	54.00	.....	5.00	97.00	1063.00	.....	12.00	...
Union.....	450.00	.....	55.04	.....	220.32	92.00	165.00	.....	2.00	.....	984.36	.....	24.00	6
Whitnel.....	1405.00	.....	153.00	783.18	.....	184.36	200.24	52.78	6.00	80.82	2875.38	.....	60.00	26
Winklers Grove...	132.59	98.64	27.81	.....	300.00	6.40	28.60	.....	2.00	57.43	655.57	.....	.....	12
Yadkin.....	435.00	15.00	216.00	143.40	1015.89	191.06	144.61	223.40	3.30	41.42	2430.08	.....	12.00	15
Yadkin Valley....	149.52	.....	33.91	.....	.....	34.21	14.37	.....	3.00	.....	235.01	.....	.....	...
TOTALS....	28641.56	810.38	3173.40	27352.28	9861.49	7991.11	4312.37	1682.86	168.15	4164.22	87694.95	500.00	780.00	137

TABLE SEVEN — MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ALL BENEVOLENCES

CHURCHES	Total to Cooperative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Theological Seminaries	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	Other Objects	Total Given for Missions and Benevolences by Church and All Depts.	Grand Total, All Purposes, Given By the Church and All Orgs.
Blairs Fork	.....	.....	.....	24.00	.....	.....	.....	10.76	25.00	.....	.....	.....	59.76	774.61
Buffalo Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19.42	.....	.....	.....	19.42	215.42
Bethany	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.35	5.50	.....	.....	.....	11.85	133.52
Bethel	.....	.....	18.02	.....	.....	.....	40.00	4.08	12.40	.....	.....	12.00	86.50	663.00
Concord	204.42	36.00	8.67	.....	12.69	.....	.....	107.10	11.81	.....	2.00	20.40	403.09	3477.90
Clark's Chapel	.....	12.00	.....	8.00	9.00	.....	.....	15.00	10.00	.....	.....	8.00	62.00	753.92
Conway's Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	604.98
Center Grove	27.63	.....	33.28	25.00	25.00	.....	.....	177.30	16.00	.....	.....	.....	303.21	1788.08
Central	6.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	19.60	.....	.....	.....	231.50	50.10	2544.59
Dudley Shoals	6.40	12.20	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	63.96	8.57	.....	.....	.....	95.13	745.14
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29.85
Flemings Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.25	374.45
Granite Falls	365.45	36.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82.70	88.76	.....	.....	.....	572.91	3875.91
Green Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	7.00	84.76
Grandin	64.15	.....	5.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.21	6.20	6.00	.....	14.43	130.29	588.96
Globe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	15.00	215.79
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	88.50
Grandview Park	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.07	12.86	.....	.....	.....	47.93	659.01
Harris Chapel	.....	12.00	3.00	4.63	4.00	.....	.....	76.20	20.00	.....	.....	.....	119.83	881.37
Hartland	25.00	6.00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	25.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	81.00	1342.52
John River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.65	5.45	.....	.....	.....	9.10	227.70
King Creek	101.42	32.31	16.36	8.00	10.00	.....	.....	184.70	17.68	.....	12.00	.....	382.47	1294.62
Lower Creek	1283.97	65.00	14.08	.....	.....	.....	.....	321.04	45.90	.....	170.57	104.45	2004.85	6399.54
Lenoir First	2467.27	75.00	56.92	44.05	149.61	112.50	.....	309.85	440.00	144	146.71	.....	3945.91	31441.39
Lenoir South	530.00	36.00	25.00	36.00	24.75	25.00	.....	146.00	50.00	.....	53.00	50.00	976.75	6481.47
Lovelady	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	369.31
Long Ford														

Miller Hill.....	53.90	.....	7.25	6.00	10.00	6.00	4.00	46.57	15.00	5.00	6.00	2.00	161.72	1899.03
Maple Grove.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.70	.....	.....	.....	12.70	206.12
Mulvale.....	60.34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	7.70	.....	.....	.....	98.04	3826.37
Nelson Chapel....	22.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	22.75	.....	.....	15.00	71.00	953.58
Oak Grove.....	.....	.....	2.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.92	244.72
Pisgah.....	14.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	28.90	.....	.....	10.00	72.90	909.83
Piney Grove.....	.....	7.00	3.35	.....	.....	.....	7.00	33.90	11.60	.....	.....	23.00	79.85	1301.27
Pooveys Grove....	20.12	25.00	13.50	.....	48.83	.....	.....	15.00	30.00	.....	9.00	.....	160.95	1539.00
Pooveys Chapel...	.....	.....	11.39	12.00	40.15	.....	.....	84.76	11.39	.....	.....	.....	123.69	427.89
Rhodhiss.....	380.10	36.00	.....	3.00	15.00	12.56	.....	110.00	14.65	.....	6.00	50.80	644.21	4138.05
Rocky Springs....	.....	.....	7.64	5.50	5.50	.....	.....	13.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	42.64	880.16
Rufus.....	13.69	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.07	23.41	.....	.....	.....	67.17	247.89
Sardis.....	164.00	24.00	36.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	135.58	17.55	40.20	7.00	48.10	472.59	2474.03
Union Grove.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	21.00	1084.00
Union.....	53.59	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	15.42	17.72	.....	.....	.....	93.71	1078.07
Whitnel.....	133.89	57.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	220.89	3096.27
Winklers Grove..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.86	3.50	.....	.....	.....	17.36	672.93
Yadkin.....	.....	15.00	28.00	28.00	28.02	.....	.....	90.00	63.23	.....	.....	10.50	259.58	2689.66
Yadkin Valley....	10.00	.....	10.00	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.50	.....	.....	.....	52.50	287.51
TOTALS....	6097.82	510.51	334.92	259.18	468.07	156.06	51.00	2550.16	1220.65	213.95	412.22	484.72	12728.59	106531.82

HISTORICAL TABLE OF CALDWELL BAPTIST ASS'N.

Time and Place of Meeting of Caldwell Association from Its Organization, with Names of Moderator, Clerk and Preacher

	Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis	H. O. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry

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Directory

of the

Caldwell Baptist Association

1943-1944

OFFICERS

Zeb A. Caudle, Moderator _____ Lenoir

S. A. Stroup, Vice-Moderator _____ Granite Falls

R B. Burnett, Clerk and Treasurer _____ Hudson

Miss Ruth Keller, Associational Missionary _____ Granite Falls

R. L. Palmer, Mission Treasurer _____ Lenoir

P. D. Fletcher, Sunday School Superintendent ___ Granite Falls

Miss Pearl Keller, Training Union Director _____ Granite Falls

G. G. Steel, Orphanage Representative _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir

Luther Robinson, Biblical Recorder Representative ____ Lenoir

J. R. Swanson, Historian _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir

Mrs. C. A. Bowman, President of W. M. S. _____ Granite Falls

Executive Committee

Zeb Caudle, Lenoir; S. A. Stroup, Granite Falls; R. B. Burnett, Lenoir; H. W. Chester, Lenoir; Carter Powell, Lenoir; M. A. Jenkins, Lenoir; P. O. Frye, Lenoir; C. T. Smith, Hudson; W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls;

Tom J. Moore, Collettsville; R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss.

Council on Ordination of Ministers and Constitution of Churches

S. A. Stroup, Chairman, Granite Falls; H. S. Benfield, Lenoir; O. R. Mangum, Lenoir; Grant Miller, Rt. 1, Lenoir; R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss.

Trustees of Associational Property — Ridgecrest

Zeb A. Caudle, one year; C. M. Abernathy, two years; W. F. Kerley, three years.

Committee on Administration of Assn. Property — Ridgecrest

Ruth Keller, Granite Falls; P. D. Fletcher, Granite Falls; Pearl Keller, Granite Falls; Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls; Sara Posey, Lenoir.

Messenger to Southern Baptist Convention

H. S. Benfield

Messenger to State Baptist Convention

S. A. Stroup

Note: The above were all elected by the association.

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1944

Cooperative Program—(State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement) _____ H. S. Benfield

Woman's Work _____ Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls

Sunday Schools _____ Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls

Baptist Training Union _____ Miss Pearl Keller, Granite Falls

Orphanage _____ R. B. Burnett, Lenoir

Evangelism _____ S. A. Stroup, Granite Falls

Religious Literature _____ R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss

Memorials _____ S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls

Public Morals and Law Enforcement __ C. M. Abernathy, Lenoir

W. M. U. ASSOCIATION

Officers

Mrs. C. A. Bowman _____ Superintendent

Mrs. O. L. Grice _____ Associate Superintendent

Mrs. Fred Bowman _____ Secretary-Treasurer

Mrs. J. A. Boldin _____ Mission Study Leader

Mrs. Dewey Annas _____ Stewardship Leader

Miss Annie Bell Steel _____ Community Missions

Miss Ella Dickson _____ Librarian

Mrs. C. T. Smith _____ Literature Chairman

Miss Ruth Keller _____ Young Peoples Leader

CALDWELL SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Philip D. Fletcher, Superintendent _____ Granite Falls

R. F. Mayberry, Associate Superintendent _____ Rhodhiss

Malcom Laxtion, Associate Superintendent _____ King Creek

G. G. Steel, Secretary and Treasurer _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

Miss Pearl Keller, Director _____ Granite Falls

Grant Miller, Associate Director _____ Granite Falls

Miss Lanta Odom, Secretary and Treasurer _____ Lenoir

For other officers see B. T. U. report.

Note 1: B. T. U. Association meets separately from association.

Note 2: We have no associational brotherhood organizations.

Note 3: We have no schools, hospitals, orphanages, state or southwide boards or institutions within the bounds of the association.

Note 4: The Sunday School Association held four meetings during the year.

MINISTERS OF CALDWELL ASSOCIATION

Pastors	Addresses
Benett, Edward	Morganton
Bean, L. B.	Morganton
Benfield, H. S.	Lenoir
Burnett, R. B.	Hudson
Bolick, W. P.	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Caudle, Zeb A.	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Curtis, C. M.	Rhodhiss
Colvard, C. W.	Hudson
Cook, R. C.	Globe
Eller, A. W.	North Wilkesboro
Pletcher, Philip D.	Granite Falls
Fox, J. W.	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Greer, J. W.	Granite Falls
Harris, Horace	Lenoir
Hodges, E. C.	Hendrix
Johnson, W. O.	Taylorsville
Knight, Frank	Patterson
Mangum, O. R.	Lenoir

Matney, James ---------- Blowing Rock

Mayberry, R. F. ---------- Rhodhiss

Miller, L. A. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir

Miller, Grant ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir

Minton, Grady ---------- Vilas

Moss, W. R. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir

Payne, T. E. ---------- Hudson

Ray, Roy ---------- Rt. 6, Lenoir

Silvers, J. S. ---------- Rt. 4, Lenoir

Snipes, L. E. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls

Stroup, S. A. ---------- Granite Falls

Stroupe, S. M. ---------- Granite Falls

Smith, Henry ---------- Deep Gap

Wilson, Paul ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton

NEW PASTORS

Bolick, W. C. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir

Cook, R. C. ---------- Globe

Harris, Horace ---------- Lenoir

Hodges, E. C. ---------- Hendrix

Wilson, Paul ---------- Rt. 2, Morganton

MINISTERS NOT PASTORS IN THIS ASSOCIATION

Baker, Zeb ---------- Lenoir

Barnett, P. C. ---------- Yadkin Valley

Byrley, W. H. ---------- Rt., Lenoir

Elrod, J. M. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls

Bristol, Ira ---------- Collettsville

Blackburn, M. D. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

Bradshaw, W. M. ---------- Hudson

Cook, C. F. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson

Coffey, G. G. ---------- Lenoir

Coffey, W. E. ---------- Buffalo Cove

Dellinger, O. C. ---------- Collettsville

Driver, J. E. ---------- Lenoir

Hagaman, J. P. ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir

Hass, L. P. ---------- Rhodhiss

Hice, W. H. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls

Lee, D. S. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

Miller, O. L. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson

Miller, R. B. ---------- Hudson

Nelson, J. H. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

Philyaw, R. D. ---------- Collettsville

Prestwood, R. L. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson

Penley, E. G. ---------- Globe

Penell, Howard ---------- Lenoir

Richards, G. T. ---------- Granite Falls

Robbins, Rondell ---------- Lenoir

Shaver, J. M. ---------- Granite Falls

Shoemaker, T. P. ---------- Lenoir

Secrest, David ---------- Lenoir

Watson, Thomas J. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Rondal Robbins ---------- R-8, Lenoir

W. P. Bolick ---------- R2, Lenoir

Paul Wilson ---------- R2, Morganton

R. C. Cook ---------- Globe

Howard Pennel ---------- Lenoir

Horace Harris ---------- Lenoir

Messengers To The Association

BLAIRS FORK—

BUFFALO COVE—J. J. Matney, J. W. Hamlet.

BETHANY—Mrs. Henry Rich, H. F. Curtis, Henry Rich, Mrs. J. F. Story, J. F. Story.

BETHEL—

CONCORD—S. A. Stroup, Mrs. W. F. Barlow, George W. Hollar.

CLARKS CHAPEL—W. R. Stone, Mrs. W. R. Stone.

CONWAYS CHAPEL—Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Mrs. J. S. Silvers.

CENTER GROVE—C. W. Colvard, Lona Belle Bolick, Mamie Bolick, Mrs. G. L. Kirby.

CENTRAL—Mrs. C. T. Tedder, Mrs. Wade Livingston, J. H. Crisp.

CEDAR ROCK—Mrs. Irvin Hollar, Irvin Holalr, Mrs. Ida Hollar, Will Bolick.

DUDLEY SHOALS—Fred G. Bowman, Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

EDGEMONT—

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—L. A. Holeman, Mrs. C. R. McCall, Mrs. D. S. Richards, Mrs. E. E. Holder, W. R. Moss, C. R. McFeller, Mrs. C. R. McFeller.

GRANITE FALLS, FIRST—Mrs. Car Cline, Mrs. Horace Russell, R. L. Bolick, Mrs. W. F. Kerley, W. F. Kerley, E. C. Kirby, Mrs. W. T. Sherill, Mrs. Ollie Austin, Mrs. Raymond Miller, W. T. Sherill,P. D. Fletcher, Mrs. P. D. Fletcher.

GREEN VALLEY—B. B. Green, W. B. Green.

GRANDEN—Miss Cora Greer, Miss Ida Greer, Miss Dortha Lackey.

GLOBE—Not represented.

GREEN ROCK—

GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. Charles Melton, Mrs. Sidney Watson, Mrs. E. B. McCall, Mrs. W. H. Byerley.

HARRIS CHAPEL—Robert Farr, Ransom Joplin, C. F. Cook, Mrs. Doyle Annas, Mrs. Ernest Bean.

HARTLAND—W. S. McCall, J. F. Poarch, Mrs. Oscar Martain, Oscar Martain.

JOHN'S RIVER—E. E. Tolbert, Clifton Crump.

KINGS CREEK—G. A. Ferguson, Fred Price, Mrs. Fred Price, A. G. Beach, H. M. Beach, G. W. Kirby, Victor Roberts, Mrs. Victor Roberts.

LOWER CREEK—J. R. Swanson, Mrs. Ralph Land, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. Ellen Sherrill, Zeb Caudle, Edith Steel, Annie Belle Steel, G. G. Steel.

LENOIR FIRST—Mrs. Nettie P. Carson, E. C. McCall, Will Watson, Mrs. R. L. Palmer, R. L. Palmer, A. F. Sharpe, Mrs. A. F. Sharpe, Mrs. O. R. Mangum, O. R. Mangum, C. M. Abernathy.

LENOIR SOUTH—Zeb Baker, Miss Sara Posey, H. S. Benfield.

LOVELADY—Marvin E. Bolick.

LONGFORD—C. L. Turnmire, G. W. Keys, A. C. Teague.

MULBERRY—Eliza Green, H. T. Green, Etta Harmon.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—T. A. Barber, L. E. Snipes, W. M. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Hollar, J. L. Green, J. E. McLeod, Mrs. Walter Bolick, Mrs. W. A. Woods.

MT. ZION—N. R. Watters, J. L. Julian, Mrs. Lillie Annas.

MILLER HILL—

MAPLE GROVE—

MULVALE—Mrs. T. J. Moore, T. J. Moore, Mrs. Glenn Sudreth.

NELSONS CHAPEL—Mrs. Luther Sudreth, Mrs. R. E. Robbins, Mrs. Joseph H. Craige.

OAK GROVE—J. T. Richards.

PISGAH—Pearl Bryant, Bertha Bryant, Clyde Bryant, Noah Austin.

PINEY GROVE—W. D. Goble, George Sullivan, Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Mrs. J. R. Wike.

POOVEY'S GROVE—S. M. Stroupe, Mrs. S. M. Stroupe, Miss Ruth Keller, Miss Pearl Keller, Mrs. H. J. Starnes, H. J. Starnes.

POOVEY'S CHAPEL—J. J. Fox, R. L. Hartley, Mrs. Katie Keller, Mrs. Olin A. Hartley, Mrs. Everett Austin.

RHODHISS—Mrs. C. E. Hunsucker, R. F. Mayberry, Mrs. J. C. Harrill, Mrs. R. F. Mayberry, Mrs. Aster Peeler, Dewey Annas.

ROCKY SPRINGS—H. S. Harris, M. C. Estes, Mrs. Lelia Spencer, C. F. Annas.

RUFUS—Mrs. Coy Greene, W. C. Green.

SARDIS—H. H. Crisp, R. B. Burnett, Z. V. Johnson, Mrs. Z. V. Johnson, Mrs. Clyde Smith.

UNION GROVE—O. L. Gibson, L. M. Craige.

UNION—Mrs. Pender Shaver, R. P. Shaver, Mrs. A. A. Cooke, R. L. Downs, Mrs. Clyde Roberts, W. C. Roberts, Will Reid, Mrs. Will Reid.

WHITNEL—B. D. Setzer, Mrs. B. D. Setzer.

WINKLER'S GROVE—Ray A. Page, Mrs. Lee Maynard, Mrs. Will Smith, J. C. Keller.

YADKIN—Mrs. Earnest Pierce, Mrs. A. F. Greene, Mrs. J. H. Crisp, W. J. Bentley.

YADKIN VALLEY—P. C. Barrett, Paul E. Steel, Mildred Steel, Mrs. J. L. Sutton.

ABSTRACT PRINCIPLES, CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

CONSTITUTION OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the Churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members of fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association, and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the Association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moderator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or grievances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Associations requiring any attention thereon,

shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, nor any of her Churches and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This Association shall in all matters, except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association, in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator, or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other cases he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism taught in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every Church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

for the

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

which met with the

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

September 23 and 24, 1943

FIRST DAY — Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... S. A. Stroupe

10:15—Enrollment—Appointment of Committees, Recognition of Visitors and Announcements.

10:30—Biblical Recorder ..... R. B. Burnett

10:50—Other Religious Literature ..... A. W. Laxton

11:10—Miscellaneous and Announcements

11:15—Annual Sermon ..... Philip D. Fletcher

12:00—Lunch

FIRST DAY—Afternoon Session

1:30—Praise and Prayer ..... E. P. Bennett

1:40—Woman's Work ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman

2:00—Report of Associational Worker ..... Miss Ruth Keller

2:15—Report of Mission Treasurer, General Discussion and plans for next year.

2:40—Cooperative Program ..... O. R. Mangum

4:00—Announcements and Adjournment.

FIRST DAY — Evening Session

8:00—Praise and Prayer ..... J. M. Laxton

8:10—Sunday School ..... Philip D. Fletcher

8:45—Special Music

8:50—Baptist Training Union ..... Miss Pearl Keller

9:25—Adjourn

SECOND DAY—Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... W. R. Moss

10:10—Temperance, Public Morals and Law Enforcement, J. F. Reece

10:40—Orphanage ..... L. E. Snipes

11:10—Election of Officers

11:30—Message by Moderator ..... Zeb Caudle

12:00—Lunch

SECOND DAY — Afternoon Session

1:00—Praise and Prayer ..... S. M. Stroupe

1:10—Evangelism ..... R. F. Mayberry

1:40—Recognition of, and Prayer for, our members in the Armed Forces ..... H. S. Benfield

2:00—Memorials ..... J. T. Richards

2:10—Report of Committees:

1.—Executive ..... H. S. Benfield

2.—Treasurer ..... H. S. Benfield

3.—Trustees of Associational Property .... C. M. Abernathy

4.—Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ..... S. A. Stroupe

5.—Resolutions

6.—Historian ..... J. R. Swanson

7.—Time, Place and Preacher

Miscellaneous Business and Final Adjournment.

ZEB A. CAUDLE, Moderator

S. A. STROUPE, Vice-Moderator

H. S. BENFIELD, Clerk

Committee.

Proceedings

Thursday Morning, September 23, 1943

1. At ten o'clock on Thursday morning, September 23, 1943, the Caldwell Baptist Association convened in the fifty-ninth annual session with the Mount Zion Baptist Church.

2. The opening hymn, "Crown Him Lord of All." Prayer led by R. B. Burnett.

Hymn—"We're Marching to Zion."

3. S. A. Stroup brought the devotional message.

4. Words of welcome were spoken by the host pastor, Grant Miller. Prayer was led by O. R. Mangum.

5. On motion the order of business, with some minor changes, was adopted.

6. The following committees were appointed by the Moderator to report this year:

Enrollment—Grant Miller, R. B. Burnett and L. E. Snipes.

Petitionary Letters—S. A. Stroup, H. S. Benfield, O. R. Mangum, Grant Miller and R. F. Mayberry.

Time, Place and Preacher—Miss Ruth Keller, Charlie Cook, J. H. Crisp.

Resolutions—Philip D. Fletcher, Miss Sara Posey, and Mr. J. A. Boldin.

Nominating—C. M. Abernathy, C. W. Colvard, George Hollar.

Committee on Committees—O. R. Mangum and Ruth Keller.

Finance—G. G. Steel, T. J. Moore and H. M. Beach.

7. Enrollment committee reported 169 delegates and 10 visitors.

8. Visitors recognized and welcomed during the session of the Association: M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill, N. C.; Mrs. Netta Allen, Detroit, Michigan; Nane Starnes, West Asheville; R. K. Benfield and W. B. Bryant, South Fork Assn.; W. B. Sprinkle, Catawba River Ass'n.; John Arch McMillan, Baptist Orphanage, Thomasville; Smith Hagaman, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem; E. L. Spivey, Mooresville, representing State Missions.

9. R. B. Burnett read the report on the **Biblical Recorder.** Report was discussed by R. B. Burnett and O. R. Mangum.

Report adopted.

REPORT ON BIBLICAL RECORDER

The circulation of the *Biblical Recorder* has reached approximately 18,000 this year, which is an increase of 7,000 over the high mark of 1942.

In our own association the following churches are receiving the *Recorder* through the club subscription plan, namely: Granite Falls, Harris Chapel, Mountain Grove, Rhodhiss, South Lenoir, Sardis, and Whitnel. Lenoir First has 217 coming to her membership through the family plan.

It is now possible for each church to have three or more Biblical *Recorders* coming to her membership each week at the price of $1.50 annual subscription.

The Recorder has three subscription plans: $2.00 a year for individual subscriptions; $1.50 for clubs—a minimum of at least three subscriptions is required for each church reporting less than a hundred members, and five subscriptions for each church reporting more than a hundred members; $1.20 a year for the budget or family plan, and one subscription for each active resident church family is required.

We are informed of our Baptist activities through the *Biblical Recorder,* and it contains good reading material each week for the entire family.

Respectfully submitted,

R. B. Burnett.

10. Report on Orphanage was read by L. E. Snipes and discussed by John Arch McMillan.

Report adopted.

REPORT ON ORPHANAGE

We hear much talk these days about old time religion, and most every one has his idea, right or wrong. But James 1:27 says pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to visit the fatherless and widows in their afflictions and to keep himself unspotted before the world. According to information received, the first child was received into the orphanage Nov. 11, 1885. Since that time more than 4,000 needy children have been taken care of or helped by the orphanage. Children are received between the ages of 2 and 12 years.

The orphanage receives many more applications than it is able to take care of that have to be turned away withous a home. The writer has been confronted with four children in this county without a home. I was told they had been sleeping in barns or anywhere they could. Surely the need for more room is great. The children in the orphanage are being well cared for. No church should fail in this part of our work. Remember the words of our Master, "As much as ye did it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye did it unto me."

Respectfully submitted,

Your Committee,

L. E. Snipes.

11. On motion of S. A. Stroup, Article 4 of the Constitution is to be changed so as to leave out the clause that the officers are to be elected by ballot.

12. Time having arrived for the annual sermon, S. A. Stroup led the audience in singing "Amazing Grace." Sermon preached by Philip D. Fletcher. Text, John 10:10. Subject, "Life Extraordinary." A very helpful and inspiring message.

Closing prayer led by P. D. Fletcher.

13. The assembly adjourned for lunch

Thursday Afternoon, September 23, 1943

14. After singing the hymn "O for a Closer Walk," J. M. Shaver led in prayer. Hymn: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

15. Mrs. C. A. Bowman read report on Woman's Work. Report was discussed by Mrs. Bowman and O. R. Mangum and Zeb Caudle.

REPORT ON W. M. U.

Praise the Heavenly Father for His blessings on the work of Caldwell Association, and for the faithful presidents and all young people's leaders—also associational officers who have made this report possible.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of Caldwell Association was held at Grandin Baptist Church. The hospitality, Christian fellowship and spirituality were indeed notable. Six pastors attended. That added inspiration to the meeting.

Four meetings were held during the year with good attendance.

Gifts are steadily increasing, along with marked interest.

As our sons go out in service for our country, our women feel the deep need of more Christian labor, unselfish giving, and praying.

A new associational undertaking, presented in the resolutions by Miss Ruth Keller, and adopted—a W. M. U. Training School scholarship fund. We feel that this fund will grow and prove to be a great blessing to the young people in our association.

Miss Katheryn Abee, now our State Young People's Leader, gave the address at the annual meeting, which was a very inspiring message. All present seemed to feel the need of climbing toward higher ground, with hearts and hands more willing than ever to be used in God's service and Kingdom work.

How we beg the Heavenly Father to guide the work and may we watch for His hand in keeping and sustaining His trusting children.

May we be found striving to enlist our people in Kingdom work as strongly as our government is enlisting and organizing military service; that all the kingdoms of the earth may know that Thou art the Lord, even Thou only.

The past year 381 letters and postals were written and 88 bundles of report blanks sent to societies. Miles traveled, 748. Number of organizations represented at annual meeting, 14. Number of organizations having community mission work, 43. Total gifts given by Women's Missionary Unions and Young People, $4049.46. Number of associational points reached toward standard of excellence, 8.

Miss Ruth Keller is now our young people's leader and will do much toward organizing our youth.

How gracious of the Lord to use each of us in His service, that are willing to obey these words: "Yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God." Rom. 6:13. And whatever the burden, problem, or difficulty, His word is plain, true and powerful: "My grace is sufficient for thee."

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

16. On motion by O. R. Mangum a committee is to be appointed by the Moderator to cooperate with the W. M. U. in raising a scholarship fund. Committee: O. R. Mangum, chairman, Philip D. Fletcher, and Grant Miller.

17. Miss Ruth Keller, associational missionary, gave an excellent report of her year's work in the churches.

REPORT OF ASSOCIATION WORKER

Study courses held—W. M. U., 12; Sunday School, 5; B. T. U., 6. Conducted 5 prayer meetings, made 23 special talks, led 21 special programs and meetings; held 7 planning meetings.

Organized—1 W. M. S., 1 B. T. U., 2 G. A.'s; reorganized 1 B. T. U. Conducted 9 socials and 1 G. A. house party; conducted 13 Vacation Bible Schools. Told stories for public schools 5 days.

Worked with state in one Sunday School enlargement—Albemarle; led 4 associational Sunday School conferences under supervision of L. L. Morgan. Attended 4 state meetings: W. M. U. Convention, Sunday School Convention, Baptist State Convention, Mars Hill Pastors' School.

Spent 3 weeks at Ridgecrest. Attended 4 associational Pastors' Conferences.

Attended 22 W. M. U. meetings, 25 prayer meetings; visited in 320 homes; traveled approximately 5,057 miles.

Ridgecrest: Attending, 163; 7 conversions; 8 dedications to special service.

Vacation Bible Schools: 29 held; 1220 enrolled; $75.00 mission offering.

The following assisted outside of own church: Mrs. Fletcher, Dave Teague, Martha Stroupe, Helen Teague, Gloria Abernethy, Rebecca Kirby, Mrs. Kerley, Pearl Keller. Sunday School Board gave $50 to help pay expenses of workers.

Ruth Keller.

18. Report of mission treasurer was read by R. L. Palmer, treasurer of mission fund.

REPORT ON MISSION FUND

Balance in Bank as of end of September, 1943	$ 83.50	
Received from twenty-four churches	586.00	
Received from State Mission Board	300.00	
		$969.50
Disbursements		
Checks to Miss Ruth Keller for year—Sept., 1942, through August, 1943	$383.90	
To Collector of Internal Revenue—Victory Tax—January through June	6.90	
Balance in Union National Bank as of September 23, 1943, including $9.20 reserve for withholding tax	78.70	
		$969.50

19. The executive committee recommended that the Association raise Miss Keller's salary from $75 to $90 per month, and that, if the contributions are sufficient, the executive committee be given authority to raise it to $100 per month. An amendment was made by C. M. Abernathy to raise the salary to $100 per month. Amendment was adopted.

20. Pledges were taken for the churches for the Associational Missionary work another year. Most of the churches increased their pledges. Pledges amounted to $80 per month.

21. On motion the mission treasurer is asked to write the churches that have not pledged to this fund and try to secure their pledges.

22. On motion of S. A. Stroup each church is asked to send in their contribution by the tenth of each month.

23. O. R. Mangum read the report on Cooperative Program. The report was discussed by O. R. Mangum, E. L. Spivey, Smith Hagaman and M. H. Kindall.

Report adopted.

THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Cooperative Program continues to grow in favor with our people. It is sane, scriptural, and successful. It provides a way whereby all our people can share fairly in the intelligent, systematic, and adequate support of all our work. It grew out of the feeling common among our people that all our causes should be supported systematically and according to their relative needs. It provides that the individual contributor can make 52 offerings a year to each cause and every cause will receive 52 offerings a year from every regular contributor. The Cooperative Program is based upon the assumption that all causes will be treated fairly and that all agencies will cooperate faithfully in its promotion. It further assumes that all pastors will represent all causes and is recommended as the best plan for enlisting the people in the support of the causes in the Program.

We note with profound gratitude that the Cooperative Program receipts have increased 171 per cent since 1933 and that receipts for first quarter 1943 show a substantial increase over the corresponding months in 1942.

The Special Days

The special days should not be thought of as conflicting with the Cooperative Program, but rather as complementary and supplementary thereto. The purpose is primarily educational. Our people need to know about our work, especially about our missionary en-

deavor, our educational and benevolent institutions. How can they be interested in them unless they know. Most especially does this hold true of our ever increasing army of young people.

These special days are provided for by special programs. They seek to inform, inspire, and enlist.

There are reasons why special offerings should be taken. Good pedagogy demands that impression be followed by expression. The combined offerings, though individually small, will make an appreciable sum and help greatly in promoting our work.

Then it is highly possible there will be some present who are not contributing regularly or are not contributing worthily to these causes. There may even be some who have had special blessings for which they are grateful and are desirous of giving adequate expression in substantial gifts. They ought to be given an opportunity. Your promotional director seeks in all legitimate ways to help in the observance of these special days.

The Cooperative Program Dollar

Every dollar contributed by North Carolina Baptists is divided as follows: To State Missions, our colleges, hospitals, camp work, etc., 60 cts.; to Southwide causes, 40 cts.

A Symmetrical Program

The Cooperative Program embodies in it Foreign, Home and State Missions, Colleges, Seminaries, Hospitals, in fact all that Baptists are doing except the Orphanage. That great institution is supported by the Sunday Schools, individuals, and the Thanksgiving offerings by the Churches. In the Cooperative Program every Christian has the privilege of supporting all the work of the denomination. It gives us a well-balanced program without making a Joseph's coat out of any cause. In fact, it is symmetrical giving. Our State and Southwide programs are all included.

Reasons for Rejoicing

Ten years ago our Southwide debt was $6,500,000.00. The Cooperative Program and the Hundred Thousand Club have changed that picture. September 1 the picture was as follows: The Foreign Mission Board was lifted out of debt March 12th. The Home Mission Board May 19. The Southern Baptist Hospital in New Orleans paid all its debt August 14. The Baptist Bible Institute canceled its debt August 24. Only three others remain whose debts are to be paid by December 30: The Southwestern Seminary owes $24,103.81,

the Southern Baptist Seminary owes $44,848.35, and the Old Convention Note $220,578.81. So instead of $6,500,000.00, the whole Southwide debt September 1 was $289,530.97. This should be paid out this year. North Carolina will have some debt when the year closes—on Meredith, the Hospital, and Wake Forest Chapel. This can be paid next year.

We should reach 1945 with all debts paid and a real program for post-war expansion.

O. R. Mangum.

24. After singing hymn, "O How I Love Jesus," and prayer led by W. R. Moss, the assembly adjourned to meet at 8:30 p.m.

Thursday Evening Session

25. At 8:00 p.m. the association reassembled. Hymn: "Take Time To Be Holy." J. M. Laxton led the devotional, reading from the 17th chapter of John's gospel and leading in prayer.

26. Philip D. Fletcher read report on Sunday School work. Miss Pearl Keller read report on Baptist Training Union. Hymn: "I Need Thee Every Hour." Miss Pearl Keller was in charge of program. Miss Ruth Keller delivered a message on Stewardship.

R. K. Benfield, Hickory, addressed the body on the Sunday School and Training Union work. Scripture text: "What shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and lose his own soul?"

Reports adopted.

Closing hymn, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?" R. F. Mayberry led the closing prayer.

Adjourned to meet Friday, 10:00 a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The churches of Caldwell Association have shown a renewed interest in their teaching program the past year. We have all labored under some difficulties and have all felt the tension of war and its

attendant evils and hardships. With all this and the loss of so many of our young people to the armed service and defense work, we have gone forward.

Greater interest has been manifest in training. Not only does the number of training schools reveal this fact, but the vital interest shown in the churches in all their work where these schools have been held prove this fact.

The Daily Vacation Bible Schools this year are a witness within themselves that there is an undercurrent of hungering and thirsting after righteousness. We have already had twenty-nine schools this year in our Association, with one still to be held.

About twenty from our Association attended the Sunday School weeks at Ridgecrest.

One of our greatest needs now and one that would be an offensive as well as a defensive move is for each church to organize an Extension Department. We recommend that each church organize this department now.

We held quarterly Associational meetings this year and the meetings were reasonably well attended.

The first part of our Master's great commission is to teach. Paul says, "The things thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also." 2nd Tim. 2:2.

REPORT ON BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

The Associational Training Union is grateful that the Baptists of this Association own the "Caldwell Cottage" at Ridgecrest. Through it a large number of Juniors, Intermediates, Young People, and Adult Training Union members were enabled to have a mountain-top experience this summer during the three weeks for this state and south. Had it not been for ours, many of this number would have missed this great opportunity.

The Training Union has had two meetings during the year. No district meetings were held.

Last Friday night at the Associational W. M. U. meeting a short time on the program was given over to the Training Union. During this time the following officers were elected:

Associate Director ..... G. G. Steele

Secretary ..... Miss Lanta Odem

Adult Leader ..... Mrs. W. F. Kerley

Young People's Leader ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele

Intermediate Leader ..... Miss Sarah Posey

Junior Leader ..... Mrs. Nora Annas

Story Hour Leader ..... Mrs. W. W. Hinson

Group Leader for Lenoir District ..... Mrs. R. J. Smith

Group Leader for Hudson District ..... C. A. Keller

Group Leader for Granite Falls District ..... George Hollar

The Director is to be elected by the Association.

We are to be "doers of the Word and not hearers only." In the Training Union we study how to be "doers" and there our knowledge is put into practice. This is not a day to excuse ourselves from training, and go on a vacation for the duration, but a time to put forth a greater effort than ever before.

May we, with renewed interest and determination, begin the new year by working faithfully in training in our own churches, encourage some neighbor church, without the training program, to organize. May we seek that fellowship, information and inspiration that we can have in the group meetings, and may we cooperate in the carrying on of Associational work in general.

In these testing days, may we be not "dodgers" or "quitters", but faithful soldiers in the training program of the Master.

Respectfully submitted,
Pearl Keller.

SECOND DAY

Friday Morning — Ten O'clock

27. W. R. Moss led the devotion. Hymn: "Majestic Sweetness." Scripture, Psalm 103, and prayer.

28. Report on Temperance, Public Morals and Law Enforcement was read by J. F. Reece. An amendment to the report was made by O. R. Mangum.

Amendment

That it is the desire of this body that the Christian League

of Caldwell County affiliate with the Allied Church League of North Carolina.

Amendment and report were adopted after being discussed by J. F. Reece, O. R. Mangum and others.

TEMPERANCE, PUBLIC MORALS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORT

The question of temperance and its relation to public morals and law enforcement is possibly one of the most vital problems facing the American people today. Upon the proper solution of this vital issue depends the future welfare of our nation. To realize that the question of temperance is given but little consideration one does not have to travel beyond the realms of his own immediate community, and the fact that public morals are at a low ebb is a realization to every sane thinking citizen and certainly to every wide-awake church member.

It is an astonishing fact that our law enforcement officers are still busy, notwithstanding the fact that only boys under the age of eighteen and men beyond the draft status are in our midst—the able-bodied men, between the ages of 18 and 38 years of age, being enlisted in our armed forces. This condition brings us face to face with the reality that much of our crime of today is being committed by our youths under eighteen years of age; and back of much of these crimes committed is the "grim monster" Strong Drink.

Facts are prevalent at all times as to the harm of drink. Medical Science has condemned it, giving every evident reason that it is harmful to the body. Society proves through every example that it is destructive and uplifting in no manner whatsoever. Results of the "grim monster" are available at all times, producing evidence that it never contributes anything of value to the physical, mental, social, or spiritual upbuilding of mankind.

If the problem is ever solved, the church and society must come to a realization of the facts facing us; and but little can be done in the way of reforming the victims now within its clutches, but the correction must be done through a process of education, proper training in the home, and definite work accomplished by the church with the youths who are to become the citizens of tomorrow.

Another aid to the solution of this problem would be the removal of temptation of drink by eliminating its presence through

proper legislation, thereby improving local conditions to such an extent that its very presence would be condemned by everybody.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. Reece.

September 23, 1943.

29. A. W. Laxton read and discussed the report on Other Religious Literature. Remarks on report also by O. R. Mangum and Miss Ruth Keller.

Report adopted.

OTHER RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

"Dreams, books, are each a world; and books, we know, are a substantial world, both pure and good. 'Round these, with tendrils strong as flesh and blood, Our pastime and our happiness will grow."—Wordsworth.

From a few centuries ago when there was little reading matter to be had, and few people who could read what there was, we have come to the place where our news stands and book stores are overflowing with books and magazines of all kinds and types. While many of them are good, it is alarming to realize how many and how much more widely sold are those which are made to appeal to the baser tastes of the public, particularly of the youth of our land. It is a challenge to the Church and to all thinking citizens, that filthy reading matter with all its contaminating influence should be allowed to pervert the minds and morals of our young people.

However, it is the place of this report rather to praise the good than to condemn the evil.. May we give our attention to the following religious publications:

THE COMMISSION, is a comparatively new publication, now in its sixth year, whose purpose is truly based on the Commission "Go ye into all the world . . ." Its subject matter is that of interesting news and stories from mission fields both far and near. Read it and be informed. Its price is only 50c per year. Published monthly by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, P. O. Box 1595, Richmond, Virginia. Their goal—100,000 subscriptions by 1945.

Southern Baptist HOME MISSIONS, at 25c per year, does for

the home field what THE COMMISSION does for the Foreign. Its motto is "Trust the Lord and Tell the People."

Of particular interest to women is ROYAL SERVICE and other publications of the Woman's Missionary Union.

CHARITY AND CHILDREN, founded in 1887 by John H. Mills, is now well past the half century mark in service. Under the leadership of Editor John Arch McMillan for the past 15 years ,it has grown to a circulation at present of more than 30,000 copies weekly; and it is surpassed in this respect by only one Baptist state paper in the South—the BAPTIST STANDARD of Texas. CHARITY AND CHILDREN owns its own printing press and equipment, valued at approximately $50,000, and does job printing in addition to its regular work. After paying all expenses it has an average of above $5000 left each year to turn over to the orphanage treasury. Sixteen boys are given training and experience in newspaper work by helping in the preparation and printing of the paper.

The editorial policy of CHARITY AND CHILDREN is to provide a variety of reading material for thinking men and women. Mr. McMillan, being an extensive reader of all religious papers of the nation, gives us the benefit of his reading by including in each issue a large number of thought-provoking articles from these papers.

The subscription price is $1 per year, single subscriptions, or 60c in clubs of ten or more. It will be sent free to any pastor or Sunday School superintendent who will send request by postal card or letter, stating his office in church. It is good to note that so many of the Sunday Schools of our Association are taking it at the club rate and distributing it to all members. May we urge that all pastors and Sunday School Superintendents endeavor to get CHARITY AND CHILDREN into their organization by this method.

There is, too, the large list of Sunday School literature available from the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee, which is too well known to need mention here.

Good reading is also found in the Sunday *Charlotte Observer,* Section Three—a page headed "In the Religious World," Sunday School lessons for the following week are discussed by two competent writers: Rev. William T. Ellis and Rev. J. G. Garth, editor of the page. Other religious matter is also given.

Religious articles appealing to both pastor and layman are often found in *Readers' Digest.* A few of these articles, and the issue in which each may be found, are: "A Business Man Looks at Prayer,"

July, 1940; "God and My Father," August, 1940; "Now I'm For the Churches," January, 1941; "Why I Go to Church," February, 1941; "One Day Can Change Your Life," August, 1942; "Prayer is Power," March 1941; "Hitler's Ersatz Religion," May, 1941.

Most important of all ,best, and best loved, the Bible. A recent story tells of the Y. M. C. A. distributing Bibles to Russian prisoners in a German prison camp. There were only a few copies printed in the Russian language, and when one of these was handed to a young Russian, the man distributing them was amazed to see him jump up and start tearing the pages out. But his amazement took a different turn as he noted that the soldier was tearing out one page at a time and giving them to the eager hands which his comrades held out for them. They tell us that weeks later these worn pages were still in circulation, and that some of the prisoners were swapping bits of food for them.

A. W. Laxton.

30. Election of officers: The Nominating Committee, composed of C. M. Abernathy, Geo. Holler and C. W. Colvard, nominated for Moderator, Zeb Caudle; Vice-Moderator, S. A. Stroup; Clerk and Treasurer, H. S. Benfield. On request of H. S. Benfield, Clerk, the Association released him from this office and R. B. Burnett was nominated for Clerk. The Association expressed its appreciation for the long years of service of the retiring Clerk. He served as Clerk for a period of 18 years. He is to compile the minutes of the 1943 session.

31. All officers and committees nominated by the Nominating Committee were unanimously elected by the body. For a complete list see the Directory of the Association, page __.

32. The Moderator delivered a very helpful and inspiring message to the Association. After singing "How Firm A Foundation" and prayer led by R. B. Burnett, adjourned for lunch.

SECOND DAY — AFTERNOON SESSION

33. Hymn: "Alas and Did My Savior Bleed." Devotion led by S. M. Stroupe, reading and commenting on verses from 24th chapter of Luke. Prayer led by S. A. Stroup.

34. Report on Evangelism, written by R. F. Mayberry, was

read by Mrs. Nora Annas and discussed by Mrs. Annas and S. A Stroup.

Report adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

We find in the Bible great emphasis on evangelism. Jesus came to seek and to save that which was lost. His marching orders to His disciples were: "Go ye, therefore, and make disciples of all the nations." If the churches fail in this great undertaking we fail in the greatest task Jesus has given us. We may have money, a good organization, trained teachers, and an educated ministry; but if we fail to be soul-winners, we fail in the most important and vital mission of the church.

Personally, I feel that my church needs to be more evangelistic, and I am sure that all of us would say that all the churches in our Association need to give more concern to the lost in our communities. We have reported in our Associational Minutes for 1942 a membzership of 9433, and baptisms from all churches 383. It took 24 members to win one person to Christ

In view of the above facts, may it be resolved:

1. That we seek to make our services more evangelistic.

2. That we go out into the highways and hedges and win them to Christ.

3. That we seek to know the great heart of Christ and share His passion for a lost world.

4. That we pray for a Bible Revival, Heaven born, God sent, to sweep our churches and communities of the Caldwell Association.

Respectfully submitted,

R. F. Mayberry.

35. H. S. Benfield led in a service of recognition and prayer for our members in the armed forces. Thirty of the forty-nine churches reported 537 members in the armed forces. Nine teen churches made no report. Let all our churches pray for our boys in service.

36. R. T. Richards read report on Memorials. An appro-

priate poem was composed and read by him, after which a duet was sung by Mrs. Nora Annas and Mrs. Leona Hunsucker. The assembly stood with bowed heads while the Moderator led in prayer. See Memorial page.

37. C. M. Abernathy made the report on Ridgecrest property. Report discussed by C. M. Abernathy, Zeb Caudle, and O. R. Mangum, L. E. Snipes and R. B. Burnett.

REPORT ON RIDGECREST PROPETRY

SEPTEMBER 15, 1943

Balance reported last year		$324.55

Receipts for this Associational year

Week	*Amount*	
B. S. U.	$ 3.00	
Y. W. A.	13.00	
G. A.	8.00	
N. C.-B. T. U.	25.50	
S. S. Conference, 1st week	8.00	
S. S. Conference, 2nd meek	18.00	
Southwide B. T. U. con. 1st week	28.00	
Southwide B. T. U. con., 2nd week	19.50	
Foreign Mission	7.50	
Preaching Week	5.50	$460.55
Total Receipts	$136.00	

Disbursements since last report, to date

Carolina Power & Light Co., 10-9-42	$ 3.86	
Perry Morgan, water bill, 10-9-42	12.05	
Perry Morgan—Repair on Bldg, 1-21-43	13.00	
Total disbursements	$ 33.91	
Balance in Bank of Lenoir, September 15, 1943		$426.64

C. M. Abernethy, *Chairman*

Zeb A. Caudle, *Secretary*

C. T. Smith, *Member.*

38. Report of Committee on Ordination of Pastors and Constitution of Churches was made by S. A. Stroup. During the year the following ministers were approved by the committee and ordained by a Presbytery called by their churches: Rondal Robbins, W. P. Bolick, Paul Wilson, Clell Cook, Howard Pennel, and Horace Harris.

Cedar Rock Church was approved by the committee, has been organized and received into the Association this year.

39. Finance Committee reported a total of $181.75 minute fund for 1943 session. For the complete report see Table 7, minute fund column.

40. Executive Committee did not meet during the year. At this Association they met and the only item of business was recommending the increasing of the salary of the Associational Missionary from $75.00 per month to $90.00, and to $100.00 if pledges are sufficient. C. M. Abernethy amended the recommendation by moving that the salary be raised to $100.00 per month. The amendment and recommendation were adopted.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE ASSOCIATION

Receipts

Balance in Treasury, 1942	$ 22.37
Rufus Church for Missions	13.69
Special Offering for Temperance	16.20
Minute Fund received at 1942 session	163.32
Total Receipts	$215.58

Disbursements

To M. A. Huggins, Rufus Church	$ 13.69
M. A. Adams, One-Half of Special Offering	8.10
Christian League, One-Half of Special Offering	8.10
Postage and Express on Minutes	9.72
Clerk fee	25.00
To Record Publishing Co.	138.00
Balance in Treasury	12.97
	$215.58

H. S. Benfield, *Treasurer.*

42. Time, Place and Preacher for 1944 Session: Time: Thursday and Friday before the fourth Sunday in September: 21 and 22. Place: Kings Creek Baptist Church. Preacher: S. M. Stroupe; Alternate, L. E. Snipes.

Miss Ruth Keller

Charlie F. Cook

J. H. Crisp,

Committee.

43. Historian's report read by J. R. Swanson.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

The Caldwell Association reported last year (1942) a membership of 9433 with 386 baptisms. This year 369 baptisms are reported, a falling off of 17, which can be accounted for in part by some of the churches not having held a revival this year; however, we should not be discouraged, and grow weary in welldoing.

Mount Zion Church, with which the Caldwell Association is meeting in its 59th session, was organized on the 9th day of August, 1889, with 26 charter members, the constituting presbytery consisting of Isaac Oxford, D. W. Conway, J. R. J. Annas, ordained ministers, and W. H. H. Hartley and J. A. Woods, Deacons; the following have served as pastors (viz): D. W. Conway, Isaac Oxford, L. H. Hice, J. M. Harris, D. L. Miller, W. N. Cook, G. C. Ivery, R. G. Mace, J. T. Higgins, H. B. Chronister, R A. Branch, J. L. Teague, I. C. Miller, S. B. McCall, G. W. Sebastian, C. F. Cook, J. Roy Miller, and Grant Miller, Jr., present parsor. The following have served as Church Clerks (viz): J. A. Woods, J. G. Annas, J. A. Turnmire, G. J. Miller, M. T. Miller, A. P. Annas, W. A. Miller, Boyd Curtis, Glenn Storie, Pearl Annas, and Dwight, Smith, the present Clerk.

The Caldwell Association met with this church in 1929 and since that time Sunday School rooms have been added and the church, we believe, is in good condition, with a membership of 328—a gain of 21 members over last year. We see a bright future for Mt. Zion Church.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, *Historian.*

44. Philip D. Fletcher made the report on Resolutions.

Resolutions adopted.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Be it resolved:

That we, the Caldwell Baptist Association:

(1) Express to the Pastor, Rev. Grant Miller, and the people of the Mount Zion Baptist Church our deepest appreciation for the graacious way in which they have provided for our comfort and entertainment during this session.

(2) Express our grateful appreciation to the officers of our Association for their untiring efforts in providing the program for us, also, to the Sunday School and Training Union and W. M. U. Officers who serve throughout the year. For Miss Ruth Kellar we are most grateful. She serves joyously and unceasingly.

(3) Express our Appreciation to the speakers who have represented the institutions of our state—the Orphanage, the Hospital, the State Board, the schools and colleges.

Philip D. Fletcher
Sara Posey
Mrs. J. A. Bolden

REPORT ON RESOLUTIONS

45. By order of Association (1942 Session), these resolutions are to be reprinted in the Minutes each year until otherwise ordered by the Association.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local church or to insist that the candidate for ordinance be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry. And to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines. And believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denominational recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

(1). That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

(2). If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advicec and concurrence of other churches.

(3). This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the Association.

(4). That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

(5). That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advice of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

Respectfully submitted,

S. A. Stroup
R. B. Burnette
Zeb Caudle,
Committee.

RESOLUTIONS ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved:

I. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association desiring to constitute themselves into a Baptist Church, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

Respectfully submitted,
S. A. Stroup
R. B. Burnette
Zeb Caudle,
Committee.

46. The Association expressed by a rising vote their ap-

preciation to the Mt. Zion Church for the splendid entertainment given the Association.

47. Report of Committee on Committees.

(See Standing Committees to report 1944, near front of Minutes.)

Miscellaneous.

48. S. M. Stroupe called attention to the Pastor's Conference which meets monthly in the First Baptist Church, Lenoir, and the splendid entertainment given the pastors by the church.

49. O. R. Mangum spoke words of appreciation for the fine spirit of cooperation of pastors of the Association. He also called attention to the pastors' library located in the First Baptist Church of Lenoir.

50. Grant Miller spoke words of appreciation for the church meeting with Mt. Zion Church.

51. After singing Hymn, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," the closing prayer was led by C. W. Colvard. Moderator declared the Association adjourned, to meet September 21 and 22, 1944, with Kings Creek Church.

Zeb Caudle, Moderator

S. A. Stroup, Vice-Moderator

H. S. Benfield, Clerk

Note. I wish to express my appreciation to the good people of Caldwell Baptist Association for the confidence they have had in me by electing me to this responsible office for a period of eighteen years. I tendered my resignation because of certain physical handicaps May God's richest blessings rest upon the Caldwell Baptist Association.

H. S. Benfield, Clerk.

Minutes compiled by H. S. Benfield.

DIGEST OF LETTERS

	1942	1943
Sunday School enrollment	8,168	7,529
Church membership	9,433	9,450
Baptisms	383	355
Total B. T. U. Organizations	77	72
Total Enrollment of B. T. U. Members	1,029	1,018
Total W. M. U. Organizations	43	40
Total Enrollment of W. M. U. Members	809	751
Total Gifts of W.M.U. and All its Orgs, Mis.	$ 3,165.95	$ 3,380.44
Gifts for Local Church Work	87,694.95	114,631.53
Gifts for Cooperative Program and Ben.	12,728.59	16,629.05
Gifts to Orphanage	2,550.16	3,220.01
Grand Total	$102,973.70	$134,480.59

CHURCH DIRECTORY

PASTORS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Pastor	Post Office
Blairs Fork	Grady Minton	Vilas
Buffalo Cove	James Matney	Blowing Rock
Bethany	Henry Smith	Deep Gap
Bethel	E. P. Bennett	Morganton
Concord	S. A. Stroup	Granite Falls
Clark's Chapel	L. E. Snipes	Granite Falls
Conway's Chapel	J. S. Silver	Lenoir, Rt. 4
Center Grove	C. W. Colvard	Hudson
Central	J. H. Crisp	Whitnel
Dudley Shoals	No	
Edgemont	L. B. Bean	Mortimer
Flemings Chapel	W. R. Moss,	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Granite Falls	P. D. Fletcher	Granite Falls
Green Valley	R. C. Cook	Globe
Grandin	W. O. Johnson	Taylorsville
Globe	L. B. Bean	Globe
Green Rock	James Matney	Blowing Rock
Grandview Park	Paul Wilson	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Luther E. Snipes	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Hartland	L. A. Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 3
John River	J. H. Crisp	Whitnel
King Creek	Grant Miller	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lower Creek	Zeb A. Caudle	Lenoir
Lenoir First	O. R. Mangum	Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. S. Benfield	Lenoir

Lovelady	J. W. Greer	Granite Falls
Long Ford	A. W Eller	N. Wilkesboro
Mulberry	L. B. Bean	Globe
Mountain Grove	L. E. Snipes	Granite Falls
Mt. Zion		
Miller Hill	L. A. Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 3
Maple Grove	J. W. Fox	Lenoir
Mulvale	Zeb A. Caudle	Lenoir
Nelson Chapel	J. J. Matney	Blowing Rock
Oak Grove	J. W. Fox	Lenoir
Pisgah	C. M. Curtis	Rhodhiss
Piney Grove	E. C. Hodges	Hendrix
Poovey's Grove	S. M. Stroupe	Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	Frank Knight	Shulls Mills, Rt. 1
Rhodhiss	R. F. Mayberry	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	Horace Harris	Lenoir
Rufus	J. H. Crisp	Lenoir
Sardis	R. B. Burnett	Hudson
Union Grove	Homer Messer	Valdese
Union	Grant Miller	Lenoir, Rt. 1
Whitnel	No Pastor	
Winklers Grove	L. R. Holland	Hickory
Yadkin	T. E. Payne	Hudson
Yadkin Valley	Roy Ray	Lenoir, Rt. 6

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Superintendent	Post Office
Blairs Fork	Fred Mathis	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Buffalo Cove	Y. W. Hamlet	Buffalo Cove
Bethany	Wesley Coffey	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Bethel	Ralph Moore	Rt. 2, Morganton
Concord	George W. Hollar	Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	W. R. Stone	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Conways Chapel	J. C. Braswell	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Center Grove	Avery Bumgarnr	Granite Falls
Central	J. M. Smith	Whitnel
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Holar	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith	Granite Falls
Edgemont	Mrs. Maynard Hollander	Edgemont
Flemings Chapel	S. A. Blankenship	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Granite Falls	W. F. Kerley	Granite Falls
Green Valley	P. D. Philyaw	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Grandin	Hill Lackey	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Globe	Robert Coffey	Globe

Green Rock		
Grandview Park	Dewey Snyder	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas	Rt. 1, Hudson
Hartland	Oscar Martin	Rt. 3, Morganton
John's River	R. C. Estes	Rt. 8, Lenoir
King's Creek	V. W. Roberts	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lower Creek	G. G. Steel	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall	Lenoir
Lenoir South	M. A. Jenkins	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Lovelady	Coy Suddreth	Granite Falls
Longford	A. C. Teague	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Mulberry	C. E. Chandler	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Mountain Grove	Ivey Hall	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Miller Hill	Dwight Triplett	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Maple Grove	T. V. Bean	Mortimer
Mulvale	Cecil Clark	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers	Granite Falls
Pisgah	N. L. Kincaid	Lenoir
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Pooveys Grove	Harvey Sherrill	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Echard	Hudson
Rhodhiss	B. W. Curtis	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert	Collettsville
Rufus	W. C. Green	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Sardis	C. T. Smith	Hudson
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Union	Clyde Wilkey	Rt., Lenoir
Whitnel	W. D. Goble	Whitnel
Winklers Grove	W. E. Keller	Rt. 3, Hickory
Yadkin	Johnie Suddreth	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Yadkin Valley	Luther Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir

CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Clerk	Post Office
Blairs Fork	H. B. Holseclaw	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey	Buffalo Cove
Bethany	Vera Coffey	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Bethel	Charles Stezer	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Concord	Mrs. R. G. Teague	Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	Hazel Clark	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Conways Chapel	D. D. Braswell	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards	Rt. 1, Hudson

Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Hollar	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	Fred Bowman	Rt., Granite Falls
Edgemont	Mrs. Archie Coffey	Edgemont
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Richards	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Granite Falls	R. L. Bolick	Granite Falls
Green Valley	B. B. Green	Collettsville
Grandin	Hill Lackey	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Globe	R. C. Cook	Globe
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	Fritz Kincaid	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas	Rt., Hudson
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Pruett	Rt. 3, Morganton
John's River	B. C. Estes	Rt. 8, Lenoir
King's Creek	H. M. Beach	Rt., Lenoir
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lenoir First	Carter Powell	Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. W .Chester	Lenoir
Lovelady	W. P. Younts	Rt. 1, Granite Falls
Longford	Fred W. Pearson	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Mulberry	H. I. Green	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Mountain Grove	J. L. Smith	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Mt. Zion	Dwight Smith	Rt. 1, Hudson
Miller Hill	Don H. Perry	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey	Mortimer
Mulvale	Walter Estes	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Oak Grove	Miss Ruby Myers	Granite Falls
Pisgah	C. O. Bryant	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Piney Grove	Mr. Charles Winkler	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Pooveys Grove	Pearl Keller	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	G. S. Hartley	Hudson
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore	Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	Dewey Rhodes	Collettsville
Rufus	W. B. Green	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Sardis	Z. V. Johnson	Hudson
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Union	W. T. Land	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Whitnel	M. A. Setzer	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand	Rt. 3, Hickory
Yadkin	D. D. Green	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Yadkin Valley	C. S. Ford	Rt. 5, Lenoir

REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES

Church	Treasurer	Post Office
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaacs	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Buffalo Cove		
Bethany	Paul Curtis	Finley
Bethel		
Concord	R. C. Icenhour	Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George Craige	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Conways Chapel		
Center Grove	D. W. Fox	Rt. 1, Hudson
Central	B. O. Camble	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Cedar Rock	Ervin Hollar	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Dudley Shoals	Maynard Starnes	Granite Falls
Edgemont		
Flemings Chapel		
Granite Falls	P. L. Moore	Granite Falls
Green Valley	T. B. Hayes	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Grandin	Miss Ida Green	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Globe	R. C. Cook	Globe
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson	Yadkin Valley
Grandview Park	J. L. Owens	Lenoir
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan	Rt. 1, Hudson
Hartland	Floyd Green	Rt. 4, Lenoir
John's River	R. C. Estes	Rt. 8, Lenoir
King's Creek	H. M. Beach	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye	Lenoir
Lenoir First	Will Watson	Lenoir
Lenoir South	H. W. Chester	Lenoir
Lovelady	L. L. Yount	Granite Falls
Longford	C. H. Coffey	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Mulberry	L. B. Bean	Mortimer
Mountain Grove	Carl Cannon	Rt. 5, Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	A. J. Barker	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Miller Hill	Charles Triplett	Rt., Lenoir
Maple Grove	J. V. Bean	Mortimer
Mulvale	Mrs. F J. Moore	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards	Granite Falls
Pisgah	C. F. Crisp	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Pooveys Grove	Howard Starnes	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Pooveys Chapel	Oron Hartley	Hudson
Rhodhiss	W. H. Barker	Granite Falls

Rocky Springs	Mrs. C. F. Annas	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Rufus	W. B. Green	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Sardis	Cade Shaver	Hudson
Union Grove	F. E. Smith	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Union	Ralph McRary	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Whitnel	Ivey W. Craige	Whitnel
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand	Rt. 3, Hickory
Yadkin	A. E. Pierce	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Yadkin Valley	George Sutton	Rt. 5, Lenoir

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS

Church	Director	Address
Buffalo Cove	Martha Philyaw	Buffalo Cove
Bethel	Mary Prestwood	Rt. 7, Lenoir
Concord	Mrs. H. D. Travis	Granite Falls
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Toy Clark	Rt. 3, Lenoir
Center Grove	S. G. Phillips	Rt. 1, Hudson
Central	Mrs. Carl Swanson	Whitnel
Dudley Shoals	Carter Livingston	Granite Falls
Granite Falls	Mrs. L. G. Capshaw	Granite Falls
Lower Creek	Mrs. Roy McGarr	Lenoir
Lenoir First	Noah Roberts	Lenoir
Lenoir South	B. B. Byers	Lenoir
Mountain Grove	Miss Hazel Bean	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Mt. Zion	G. S. Woods	Rhodhiss
Pooveys Grove	J. D. Craig	Granite Falls
Rhodhiss	Mrs. D. D. Annas	Rhodhiss
Sardis	Bain Harris	Hudson
Whitnel	Harley Porch	Rt. 6, Lenoir
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin	Rt. 5, Lenoir

All other churches made no B. T. U. Report.

W. M. U. PRESIDENTS

Church	Name	Address
Concord	Mrs. J. J. Carpenter	Granite Falls
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard	Hudson
Central	Mrs. D. C. Bradford	Whitnel
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears	Granite Falls
Granite Falls	Mrs. E. Carr Cline	Granite Falls
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Kings Creek	Mrs. G. M. Icenhour	Kings Creek
Lower Creek	Miss Anniebelle Steel	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Lenoir First	Mrs. C. L. Wilson	Lenoir
Lenoir South	Mrs. Clyde Goble	Rt. 3, Lenoir

Longford	Mrs. Roy Kirby	Rt. 5, Lenoir
Mt. Zion	Mrs. M. F. Roberson	Rt. 1, Hudson
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J H. Craige	Rt. 8, Lenoir
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Virgie McCorkle	Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. C. Hunsucker	Granite Falls
Sardis	Mrs. R. B. Burnett	Hudson
Union	Mrs. Argus Story	Rt. 2, Lenoir
Whitnel	Mrs. Fred Price	Rt. 3, Lenoir

Note. The other churches made no W. M. U. report.

Annual Session

Woman's Missionary Union

Grandin Baptist Church

May 11th, 1943

MORNING SESSION

10:00 Hymn ..... All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Watchword ..... That all the earth may know
..... That Thou Art Lord, even Thou Only

Devotional ..... Miss Ruth Kellar

10:20 Greetings ..... Mrs. Bill Howell

10:30 Response ..... Mrs. O. R. Mangum

10:40 Appointments of Committees .....

10:45 Roll Call of Societies and Report of Local Presidents

11:00 Report of Superintendent ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman

11:05 Report of Secretary ..... Mrs. Fred Bowman

11:10 Report of Librarian ..... Miss Ella Dickson

11:15 Report of Literature ..... Mrs. C. T. Smith

11:20 Report of Personal Service ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele

11:25 Report of Mission Study ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin

11:30 Report of Stewardship ..... Mrs. Dewey Annas

11:40 Special Music ..... Lundie Lenoir

11:50 Address ..... Miss Kathryn Abee

Announcements and Benediction

12:30-1:30 Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 Hymn ..... Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone
Devotional ..... Mrs. C. L. Wilson

1:45 Christ Exahted through Missionary
Education of our Young People ..... Miss Ruth Kellar

2:00 Open conference conducted by state worker

2:30 Reports

3:00 Adjournment

REPORT OF PERSONAL SERVICE

Twenty-two W. M. S. organizations;

Total number of women and young people in W. M. U. organization 809.

Number of letters and postals written, 381

Number of societies organized, 1.

Number of miles traveled, 1,248

Number of organizations having Community Missions, 43

Number of Associational points, reached for Standard of Excellence, 8; 4 points lacking.

REPORT OF W. M. U. LIBRARY

Books loaned	21
Books returned	34
Books purchased	8
Books donated	2
Total books in Library	303

LITERATURE REPORT

Biblical Recorders	50
Royal Service	116
Worlds Comrade	25
Window of Y. W. A.	17

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

In behalf of the Woman's Missionary Union of The Caldwell Association, we express our deep appreciation to the Woman's Missionary Society and all members of the Grandin Baptist Church for their gracious hospitality.

We are grateful for the presence and help of our Pastors.

We thank Mrs. Bowman for her faithful work through the year and for this well-planned program.

We are deeply grateful to Miss Kathryn Abee for her wonderful and inspiring address, and to everyone who has contributed in any way to the pleasure and profit of the day.

With renewed strength and courage, may we go from this meeting with a prayer in our hearts for faith sufficient for these days of stress and strain; and that peace may soon come to our earth.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. J. A. Boldin

Miss Annie Belle Steele

Mrs. F. F. Nifong

RECOMMENDATIONS

Deeply grateful for the blessings of God which have been upon us during the past year and recognizing the seriousness of the hour and the greatness of the task before us, we recommend:

1. That we adopt the year book of the Southern Baptist Convention.

2. That we accept the watchword. "That all the Kingdoms of the earth may know that thou art the Lord, even Thou only."

3. That 5 new missionary societies be organized.

4. That each of our organizations be represented at the Missionary Conferences at Ridgecrest.

5. That each W. M. U. organization take as its goal a 5 per cent increase in gifts to the Cooperative Program.

6. That we continue to give our support to our Colleges and

Training Schools, encouraging our finest young people to matriculate.

7. That we make special offerings to a scholarship fund for the use of Caldwell Baptist Young People at the Training Schools aand Seminaries.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth Kellar

Mrs. W. F. Kerley

Mrs. C. W. Pennell

REPORT OF ANNUAL MISSION STUDY

No. Mission Study Classes	28
No. Record Cards	44
No. Certificates	12
No. Official Seals	15
No. Small Seals	181
No. Enrolled in Societies reporting Mis. Study	410
No. Engaged in Study	230
No. receiving Awards	122

OFFICE REPORT

No. Books ordered for Associationaal Library	12
No. Examination papers graded	6
No. Letters and postals written	80
No. Telephone calls	20

SUGGESTED AIMS FOR 1943

1. A Consecrated Mission Study Chairman in every Church.
2. *More* of our women enlisted in real Bible and Mission Study.
3. At least *Two* classes in every *Y. W. A., G. A., R. A.,* and *Sunbeam Band.*
4. *Three* or *More* "Church Schools of Missions."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mis. Study Sec.

ANNUAL PERSONAL SERVICE REPORT FOR ASSOCIATION

Number of Bible Study Classes to prepare for Personal Service 0
Societies engaged in the following activities

	WMS	YWA	GA	RA	SB
Mission Sunday School	2				
Cottage Prayer Meeting	3				
Rescue Work	1	1			
Interracial Work	1	1			
Helping needy families	11	3	1	1	1
Good Will Center		1			
Vacation Bible School	5	2		1	1
Homemakers Clubs	1				
Holding services in Institutions	1	1			
Friends of Israel	1				
Transients	1				
Organizations engaged in organized Personal Service	6	4	1	1	1
Organizations with a Personal Service Committee	7	4	1		
Organizations engaged in definite Soul Winning	4	1		1	1
Number organizations reporting	13	4	1	1	1
Number of Organizations in Association	20	10	5	4	6

Results Noted:

1 Several Conversions in Cottage Prayer Meetings

2 One R. A. organization reports that only one R. A. member lost.

Our Aims for 1943 are:

To do more service since the personal service has been changed to Community Missions.

That every W. M. U. will Study the Book, "Guide for Community Missions," and send in a report each quarter to our Associational Supt., by sending the report we hope you will strive harder to do the mission work. "He that believeth on me, the works that I do also and greater works than these shall he do." (John 14:-12.)

Respectfully submitted,

Annie Belle Steele

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, the nominating committee of Caldwell W. M. U. Association suggest the following names as officers for the ensuing year:

Superintendent ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman

Assistant Superintendent ..... Mrs. O. L. Grice

Young Peoples Director ..... Miss Ruth Keller

Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. Fred Bowman

Stewardship Chairman ..... Mrs. Dewey Annas

Mission Study Chairman ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin

Librarian ..... Miss Ella Dickson

Community Missions ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele
Literature Chairman ..... Mrs. C. T. Smith

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. L. Wilson

Mrs. J. N. Moore

Mrs. Clyde Goble

REPORT OF TIME AND PLACE

The First Baptist Church of Lenoir wishes the W. M. U. to meet with them next year, 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. M. F. Roberson

Mrs. Dewey Annas

W. M. Ferguson

ROLL CALL

Blairs Fork, 0; Concord, 0; Center Grove, 0; Dudley Shoals, 2; Grandin, 7; Granite Falls, 1; Lower Creek, 6; Lenoir First, 7; Lenoir South, 4; Kings Creek, 4; Mt. Grove, 2; Mt. Zion, 2; Nelson's Chapel, 0; Pooney's Grove, 1; Rhodhiss, 2; Sardis, 0; Union, 0; Whitnel, 0; Whitnel Central, 3; Yadkin, 0; Piney Grove 6.

IN MEMORIAM

BETHANY—
Mrs. S. E. Harrison.
BLAIRS FORK—
Mr. Avery Keys (Deacon)
Mrs. Martha Watson.
BUFFALO COVE—
Mr. L. A. Robbins.
CENTER GROVE—
Mrs. Naomi Richards.
CENTRAL—
Mr. Dewey A. Lutz.
CLARK'S CHAPEL—
Mr. Maynard Stone
Mrs. Charlie Parson
Mrs. Viney Craig.
DUDLEY SHOALS—
Mrs. Harmon Smith
Mrs. F. G. Bowman
Miss Frennie Hayes
Mrs. Collie Hawkins
Mr. John Cobb.
FLEMING CHAPEL—
Mr. London Rader.

GRANITE FALLS FIRST—
Mrs. J. E. Fisher

HARTLAND—
Mrs. W. S. McCall

KINGS CREEK—
Mrs. Mary Ann Coffey
Mrs. Lucy Icenhour
Mrs. Amanda Kirby
Mrs. J. F. Brookshire.

LOWER CREEK—
Mrs. Malinda Clippard
Mrs. Lou Barlow
Mrs. Amanda Wallace
Mr. J. J. Powell.

LENOIR FIRST—
Mr. L. W. Anderson
Mr. Robley C. Killian
Mr. P. A. Fare (Deacon)
Mr. J. E. Poteat
Mr. Lem R. May.

LOVELADY—
Mrs. W. T. Yount
LONG FORD—
Mr. Eugene Bryant
Mrs. Earl Pendergrass.
MULBERRY—
Mrs. Victoria Shoemake
MT. ZION—
Mr. David Annas
Mr. U. S. Cannon.
MAPLE GROVE—
Mrs. Elsie Coffey
Mr. Calvin Penley
Mr. Sam Rich.

MULVALE—
Mrs. Texie Estes
Mr. G. W. Clark.

PINEY GROVE—
Mr. George Winkler
Mrs. D. L. Maltba.

POOVEYS GROVE—
Mrs. Laura Hinson
Mr. W. P. Aikon
RUFUS—
Mrs. L. H. Moore.
SOUTH LENOIR—
Mrs. W. T. Turmmyre
Mr. W. S. Crump
Mr. John Setzer
SARDIS—
Mrs. Sarah Bynum
Mr. Hazel Keller

IN MEMORIAM (Continued)

UNION—
Mr. John J. Roberts
Mr. Granville McRary
Mrs. George Wilkie
Mr. S. R. Tolbert.

WHITNEL—
Mr. J. C. Farries, (Deacon)
Mr. J. J. Triplett

WHITNEL (Continued)—
Mrs. E. W. Roberts
Mrs D. P. Griffin.

YADKIN—
Mr. J. L. Coffey.

YADKIN VALLEY—
Mr. D. H. Burress (Deacon)

Statistical Tables Begin

TABLE 1—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	City, Town, Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Weekly Prayer Meets	Revivals Held, Year	Obs. Lord's Supper	Fam. Rec. Bap. Paper
					GAINS					LOSSES			TOTAL					
					Mem. Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Tot. Pres. Mem.				
Blairs Fork	V	1887	Grady Minton, Vilas	*	186	9	2	...	...	4	...	...	2	191	...	2	2	...
Buffalo Cove	C	....	James Matney, Blowing Rock	4	110	18	...	...	...	5	1	...	1	121	...	1	1	...
Bethany	C	....	Henry Smith, Deep Gap	2	94	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	1	84	...	1	2	...
Bethel	C	....	Edward Benett, R.2, Morganton	1 3	122	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	126	...	...	...	...
Concord	T	....	S. A. Stroup, Granite Falls	*	200	17	6	...	...	8	...	...	...	215	*	2	1	1
Clark's Chapel	C	....	L. E. Snipes, R.2, Granite Falls	1 3	162	14	4	...	...	3	...	...	3	174	*	1	...	...
Conway's Chapel	C	....	J. S. Silver, R.4, Lenoir	z	69	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	73	*	1	...	...
Center Grove	C	....	C. W. Colvard, Hudson	*	182	2	...	...	...	8	...	86	1	97	*	1	4	...
Central	V	....	J. H. Crisp, Whitnel	*	275	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	1	258	*	2	1	...
Cedar Rock	C	....	Will Bolick, R.3, Lenoir	1 3	Org	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	*	2	1	...
Dudley Shoals	V	....	....	2	259	8	...	...	...	12	...	...	4	251	...	1	1	4
Edgement	V	....	L. B. Bean, Mortimer	2	12	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	10	...	...	1	...
Flemmings Chapel	C	....	W. R. Moss, R.3, Lenoir	1 3	112	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	114	...	1	1	...
Granite Falls	T	....	Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	*	354	43	13	...	...	3	...	20	1	386	*	1	4	17
Green Valley	C	....	R. C. Cook, Globe	2	34	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	*	1	2	...
Grandin	C	....	W. O. Johnson, R.2, Taylorsville	4	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	...	1	1	6
Globe	V	....	L. B. Bean, Mortimer	2 4	130	7	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	140	...	1	2	...
Green Rock	C	....	James Matney, Bowing Rock	2	34	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	31	...	1	1	...
Grand View Park	C	....	Paul Wilson, Lenoir	z	134	12	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	134	...	2	1	...
Harris Chapel	C	....	Luther Snipes, R.2, Granite Falls	z	186	15	14	...	1	6	...	...	...	210	...	2	2	8
Hartland	C	1938	Lawrence Miller, R.3, Lenoir	z	123	7	2	2	...	6	...	...	1	128	*	2	1	...
John's River	C	....	J. H. Crisp, Rt., Lenoir	1	128	12	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	139	*	1	2	...
Kings Creek	C	....	E. V. Bumgarner, Taylorsville	1	402	8	4	...	...	2	...	1	4	407	...	1	1	3
Lower Creek	C	....	Zeb Caudle, R.6, Lenoir	*	527	...	3	...	...	11	...	...	4	515	*	...	4	...
Lenoir First	T	....	O. R. Mangum, Lenoir	*	754	15	19	...	...	16	...	4	5	763	*	...	4	218
Lenoir South	T	....	H. S. Benfield, Lenoir	*	759	18	12	1	...	19	...	...	3	769	*	1	4	30
Lovelady	C	....	J. W. Greer, Granite Falls	1 3	40	7	2	...	...	6	...	...	1	42	...	1	...	...
Longford	C	....	A. W. Eller, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	3	175	13	17	1	...	4	...	...	2	200	*	2	2	...
Mulberry	C	....	L. B. Bean, Mortimer	1 3	77	6	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	85	*	1	1	...

Mountain Grove	C	....	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	z	211	4	8	...	...	1	1	1	...	220	*	1	2	7
Mt. Zion	V	....	Grant Miller, Granite Falls	z	311	8	12	...	...	...	...	...	2	328	*	1	1	...
Miller Hill	C	....	L. A. Miller, Rt. 3, Lenoir	z	115	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	119	*	1	2	1
Maple Grove	C	....	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	1 3	122	6	...	1	...	4	...	...	3	122	*	1	2	...
Mulvale	C	....	Zeb Caudle, R.6, Lenoir	2	59	11	8	1	...	...	...	...	2	77	*	2	2	...
Nelsons Chapel	C	....	J. J. Matney, Blowing Rock	1 3	91	...	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	87	*	1	1	1
Oak Grove	C	....	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	2 4	56	1	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	53	...	1	2	...
Pisgah	C	....	C. M. Curtis, Rhodhiss	*	182	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	173	*	2	2	...
Piney Grove	C	....	E. C. Hodges, Hendrix	4	168	8	...	1	...	6	...	...	2	169	*	1	1	...
Pooveys Grove	C	....	S. M. Stroupe, R.2, Granite Falls	1 3	176	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	2	168	*	1	1	2
Pooveys Chapel	C	....	Frank Knight, Shulls Mills, Rt. 1	1 3	93	17	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	112	*	1	1	...
Rhodhiss	T	....	R. F. Mayberry, Rhodhiss	*	377	2	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	360	*	2	4	...
Rocky Springs	V	....	Horace Harris, Lenoir	2 4	77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	...	1	...	...
Rufus	C	....	J. H. Crisp, Whitnel	2	35	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	38	...	1	2	...
Sardis	T	....	R. B. Burnett, Hudson	*	397	2	5	1	...	25	...	...	2	376	*	2	1	6
Union Grove	C	....	Homer Messer, Valdese	z	198	2	13	...	...	7	...	...	...	207	*	1	1	...
Union	C	....	Grant Miller, Granite Falls	1 3	348	12	5	...	...	6	...	...	4	355	...	1	...	...
Whitnel	V	....	....	*	214	15	12	3	...	11	...	...	4	229	*	2	4	5
Winklers Grove	C	....	J. R. Holland, Longview, Hickory	*	97	5	13	3	...	4	...	...	...	114	*	1	2	...
Yadkin	V	....	....	2 4	315	2	6	...	...	11	...	...	1	211	*	2	1	...
Yadkin Valley	C	....	Roy Ray, R.6, Lenoir	*	57	8	5	1	...	2	...	...	1	68	*	2	2	...
Totals	..	....	....	.....	9414	355	205	18	5	282	2	112	58	9450	...	61	81	309

* Full Time

z One Service Each Sunday

TABLE 2—SUNDAY SCHOOLS

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll, Under 3	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults, 25 and Up	Extension Dept.	Gen., Dept. Officers	Tot. Enr'm't, Off'cers, Teachers, Pupils	What Is Av. Attend.?	Baptisms from S. S.	Is the School Graded?	Teachers Holding Dip.	Enr'ment Vac. School	Av. Att. Vac. School
Blairs Fork	Fred Mathis, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	21	21	18	18	39	46	...	...	163	105	...	*	...	...	...
Buffalo Cove	Y. W. Hamlet, Buffalo Cove	...	12	10	20	25	....	28	...	...	95	48	...	*	...	...	...
Bethany	Wesley Coffey, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	14	...	10	17	15	22	...	...	78	46	...	*	...	...	...
Bethel	Ralph Moore, Rt. 2, Morganton	...	...	15	11	13	12	16	...	...	67	33	5	*	...	34	20
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls	10	20	35	48	48	19	62	80	15	337	130	5	*	...	64	58
Clark's Chapel	W. R. Stone, Rt. 3, Lenoir	...	14	32	23	16	16	34	...	2	137	71	14	*	...	...	...
Conway's Chapel	J. C. Braswell, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	9	5	5	13	10	17	6	3	68	60	...	*	...	...	...
Center Grove	Avery Bumgarner, Granite Falls	10	10	25	30	25	10	22	...	2	144	105	2	*	...	...	...
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel	14	14	14	19	19	32	22	...	6	141	105	...	*	...	...	...
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Holar, R.1, Lenoir	5	10	...	11	....	13	20	...	7	66	46	3	*	2	...	...
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls	...	20	10	15	30	20	55	...	3	153	78	8	*	...	15	14
Edgemont	Mrs. Maynard Hollander, Edgemont	4	...	2	5	3	2	15	...	2	33	10	...	*	...	16	15
Flemmings Chapel	S. A. Blankenship, Rt. 4, Lenoir	7	10	10	16	18	12	20	...	2	95	70	...	*	...	...	...
Granite Falls	W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls	40	26	35	75	57	78	51	44	23	429	160	38	*	5	91	76
Green Valley	P. D. Philyaw, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	18	...	5	20	....	20	...	3	66	50	...	*	...	...	...
Grandin	Hill Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	5	5	5	4	11	....	18	...	1	47	35	...	*	...	15	15
Globe	Robert Coffey, Globe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	....	30	...	...	...	...	...
Green Rock	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand View Park	Dewey Snyder, Lenoir	15	12	15	25	24	9	37	...	3	138	80	...	*	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson	15	16	16	16	26	9	27	...	2	117	79	13	*	...	...	...
Hartland	Oscar Martain, Rt. 3, Morganton	...	30	...	25	....	24	47	...	3	126	95	...	*	...	...	...
John's River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	15	...	...	10	....	18	12	...	4	59	35	...	*	...	25	20
Kings Creek	V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir	23	31	23	43	35	21	76	18	3	270	116	8	*	...	70	64
Lower Creek	G. G. Steel, Rt. 1, Lenoir	14	29	38	53	47	46	74	24	8	332	179	9	*	...	...	...
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	25	27	49	94	69	27	205	20	18	534	300	15	*	15	93	82
Lenoir South	M. A. Jenkins, Rt. 6, Lenoir	28	41	37	121	87	76	137	...	25	602	270	16	*	8	117	82
Lovelady	Coy Suddreth, Granite Falls	3	4	4	8	6	7	8	...	2	42	40	...	*	...	...	...
Longford	A. C. Teague, R.5, Lenoir	...	...	17	35	34	29	27	...	2	152	94	8	*	...	...	...

Mountain Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	19	14	15	23	31	12	72	...	3	189	123	4	*	3	28	24
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	23	20	31	29	26	36	81	10	3	259	135	8	*	...	...	...
Miller Hill	Dwight Triplett, Rt. 3, Lenoir	...	25	25	22	15	16	45	...	3	148	70	...	...	...	...	...
Maple Grove	J. V. Bean, Mortimer	16	30	...	12	11	14	9	...	3	103	65	...	...	...	21	15
Mulvale	Cecil Clark, Rt. 4, Lenoir	...	21	9	16	21	13	21	...	2	101	38	...	...	...	...	...
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	15	...	14	10	9	23	...	2	72	48	...	*	...	23	18
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, Granite Falls	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...
Pisgah	N. L. Kincaid, Lenoir	...	6	12	12	10	20	25	...	3	93	90	...	*	...	...	...
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	37	14	24	....	32	51	...	3	170	61	8	*	...	25	20
Pooveys Grove	Harvey Sherrill, Rt. 2, Granite Falls..	5	9	9	15	27	14	42	24	...	145	70	...	*	...	25	25
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Echard, Hudson	...	32	...	24	20	28	18	...	8	130	84	17	*	...	...	...
Rhodhiss	B. W. Curtis, Rhodhiss	17	15	57	37	25	22	16	54	4	290	130	2	*	...	88	78
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettesville	...	13	...	10	17	24	20	...	3	84	44	...	...	...	...	...
Rufus	W. C. Green, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	8	...	10	....	....	30	...	2	48	....	30	*	...	...	...
Sardis	C. T. Smith, Hudson	...	29	24	45	27	33	40	...	10	208	130	2	...	6	57	45
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir	6	5	7	22	22	36	70	...	2	170	104	3	...	...	40	35
Union	Pearl McRary, Rt. 3, Lenoir	...	15	10	26	25	40	15	...	3	141	100	12	*	...	...	...
Whitnel	W. D. Goble, Whitnel	18	16	18	43	23	30	62	...	6	215	125	14	*	...	...	...
Winklers Grove	W. E. Keller, Rt. 3, Hickory	...	29	...	14	12	....	36	...	2	91	50	5	...	...	...	...
Yadkin	Johnie Suddreth, Rt. 5, Lenoir	13	31	35	32	20	47	40	...	8	226	156	2	...	...	35	20
Yadkin Valley	Luther Miller, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	...	13	17	....	21	18	...	5	70	45	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	....	350	763	697	1194	1003	1000	1852	280	216	7529	4208	251	...	39	882	726

TABLE 3—BAPTIST TRAINING UN ION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Young Peop. Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Tot. Unions, St. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young Peop. Enrolled	Intermediates Enroll'd	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Tot. En., Un., St. Hrs.	Daily Bible Readers	No. Tak. Study Course	Tot. Systematic Givers	Students in College	No. Gen., Dept. Of'cers
Buffalo Cove	Martha Philyaw, Buffalo Cove	1	1	1	1	...	4	15	9	8	17	...	49	...	...	...	...	1
Bethel	Mary Prestwood, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	5	...	14	...	19	...	...	...	...	1
Concord	Mrs. H. D. Travis, Granite Falls	...	1	1	1	1	4	...	10	14	12	10	46	22	...	42	...	5
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	16	10	11	14	10	61	14	22	...	...	5
Center Grove	S. G. Phillips, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	...	17	13	7	46	13	13	34	2	2
Central	Mrs. Carl Swanson, Whitnel	1	...	1	1	...	3	10	...	15	15	...	40	14	26	16	...	4
Dudley Shoals	Carter Livingston, Granite Falls	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	...	...	12	6	12	11	...	6
Granite Falls	Mrs. L. G. Capshaw, Granite Falls	2	1	2	2	1	8	40	22	24	35	8	125	59	49	64	6	11
Lower Creek	Mrs. Roy McGarr, Rt., Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	28	14	25	10	10	87	26	33	73	6	1
Lenoir First	Noah Roberts, Lenoir	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	30	25	...	55	...	22	35	7	4
Lenoir South	B. B. Byers, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	1	4	25	...	25	54	8	112	50	44	59	3	5
Mountain Grove	Miss Hazel Bean, Granite Falls	1	...	1	2	1	5	14	...	16	24	12	66	31	36	...	...	9
Mt. Zion	G. S. Woods, Rhodhiss	1	1	1	1	1	5	13	10	20	16	12	71	28	33	71	...	6
Poovey Grove	J. D. Craig, Rt., Granite Falls	1	...	1	1	...	3	10	...	10	8	...	28	13	22	20	...	6
Rhodhiss	Mrs. D. B. Annas, Rhodhiss	1	...	1	1	1	4	8	...	14	14	18	54	18	26	27	...	...
Sardis	Bain Harris, Hudson	1	...	1	1	1	4	9	...	9	13	9	40	19	17	27	5	2
Whitnel	Harley Porch, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1	1	...	1	1	4	18	16	...	12	16	49	19	28	35	2	...
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	...	4	14	14	12	18	...	58	12	22	58	4	6
TOTALS	....	15	10	16	19	11	72	229	122	250	314	120	1018	344	405	572	33	74

TABLE FOUR — W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	Number of W. M. S.	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Orgs.	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Mem. Enrolled	Tot. En. Miss. St. Crse	Contributions (Local Work) by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) by W. M. U.
Concord	Mrs. J. J. Carpenter, R1, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	14	...	252.30	76.47
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard, Hudson	1	1	...	...	...	2	16	8	...	...	...	24	...	16.52	43.86
Central	Mrs. D. C. Bradford, Whitnel	1	1	...	...	...	2	17	15	...	...	...	32	...	.....	14.00
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	18.25	37.00
Granite Falls	Mrs. E. Carr Cline, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	2	7	40	13	40	25	28	146	95	.....	203.00
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	8	8	100.00	68.01
Kings Creek	Mrs. G. M. Icenhour, Kings Creek	1	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	12	8	1.25	49.70
Lower Creek	Mrs. Anniebell Steel, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	60	12	10	6	15	103	15	.....	978.90
Lenoir First	Mrs. C. L. Wilson, Lenoir	1	1	2	...	1	5	115	12	26	...	25	178	178	3580.25	1204.16
Lenoir South	Mrs. Clyde Goble, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	...	...	...	2	40	10	...	...	...	50	19	1555.61	573.44
Longford	Mrs. Roy Kirby, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.00	10.00
Mt. Zion	Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	1	...	...	...	2	24	10	...	...	...	34	...	.....	33.02
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craige, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	19	...	...	...	...	19	15	25.06	40.00
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Virgie McCorkle, R.2, Granite F.	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	8	15	...	...	37	...	16.33	93.40
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. C. Hunsucker, Granite Falls	1	1	...	...	1	3	19	12	...	...	10	41	7	.....	308.00
Sardis	Mrs. R. B. Burnett, Hudson	2	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	.....	72.23
Union	Mrs. Argus Story, Rt. 2, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	85.00	14.25
Whitnel	Mrs. Fred Price, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	8	...	112.50	6.00
TOTALS	....	19	9	6	4	6	40	467	100	91	31	78	751	345	5773.07	3830.44

TABLE SIX—CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Own House Worship?	When Was It Built?	What Materials Used?	How Many Seated?	Number of Rooms	Dept. Assembly Rms.	No. Sep. Class Rooms	Value Church House and Grounds	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Amount of Insurance Carried
Blairs Fork	H. B. Holseclaw, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1891	Wood	300	6	1	6	2000	.....	2000	44.60	1000
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Buffalo Cove	Yes	1895	Wood	370	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Bethany	Vera Coffey, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1902	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Bethel	Charles Stezer, Rt. 7, Lenoir	Yes	1912	Wood	300	4	1	4	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Concord	Mrs. R. D. Teague, Granite Falls	Yes	1926	Brick	400	17	2	16	20000	2500	22500	.....	9500
Clark's Chapel	Hazel Clark, Rt. 2, Lenoir	Yes	1905	Wood	200	7	2	6	2000	.....	2000	.....	.....
Conway's Chapel	D. D. Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	....	Wood	250	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1918	Wood	400	8	1	7	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1938	Wood	300	6	1	5	1800	2000	2800	100.00	1500
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mannie Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1942	Wood	250	1	1	1	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Dudley Shoals	Fred Bowman, Rt., Granite Falls	Yes	1904	Wood	350	1	3	14	4500	.....	4500	.....	2000
Edgemont	Mrs. Archie Coffey, Edgemont	Yes	1913	Wood	150	2	1	2	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Flemmings Chapel	D. S. Richards, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1888	Wood	500	7	1	6	2200	.....	2200	.....	.....
Granite Falls	R. L. Bolick, Granite Falls	Yes	1907	Brick	350	27	3	24	22000	3000	25000	.....	12000
Green Valley	B. B. Green, Collettsville	Yes	1941	Wood	200	1	1	1	850	.....	850	.....	.....
Grandin	Hill Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1925	Wood	300	3	1	3	4000	.....	4000	.....	1000
Globe	R. C. Cook, Globe	Yes	1832	Wood	150	2	1	2	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson, Yadkin Valley	Yes	1922	Wood	100	1	1	1	400	.....	400	.....	.....
Grand View Park	Fritz Kincaid, Lenoir	Yes	1930	Wood	500	9	...	8	3000	.....	3000	124.44	1000
Harris Chapel	Doye Annas, Rt., Hudson	Yes	1924	Wood	500	7	1	6	2300	.....	2300	.....	1000
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, Rt. 3, Morganton	Yes	1928	Wood	200	1	1	5	1200	.....	1200	.....	800
John's River	B. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1890	Wood	150	1	1	1	500	.....	500	.....	.....
Kings Creek	H. M. Brach, Rt., 1, Lenoir	Yes	1928	Brick	500	13	1	12	10000	.....	10000	.....	5000
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1943	Brick	600	50	7	34	55000	4500	59600	20000.00	50000
Lenoir First	Carter Powell, Lenoir	Yes	1924	Stone	700	61	7	54	170000	.....	185000	.....	125000
Lenoir South	H. W. Chester, Lenoir	Yes	1935	W-B	500	52	7	44	40000	.....	40000	.....	25000
Lovelady	W. P. Younts, Granite Falls	Yes	1937	Wood	500	5	1	5	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
Longford	Fred W. Pearson, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1938	Wood	300	7	1	5	5000	4000	9000	250.00	.....

Mt. Zion	Dwight Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	1	8	7000	1500	8500	525.00	2000
Miller Hill	Don H. Perry, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1935	Wood	200	7	1	6	2000	2000	4000	.....	2800
Maple Grove	Agness Coffey, Mortimer	Yes	1936	Wood	200	1	...	...	1800	.....	1800	.....	.....
Mulvale	Walter Estes, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1941	Rock	200	1	...	...	4736	.....	4736	1043.80	1500
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1906	Wood	300	5	1	4	2000	.....	2000	.....	.....
Oak Grove	Miss Ruby Myers, Granite Falls	Yes	1900	Wood	150	1	...	...	500	.....	600	.....	300
Pisgah	C. O. Bryant, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1877	Wood	390	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Piney Grove	Mrs. Charles Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1941	Wood	400	3	1	4	5000	.....	5000	.....	4000
Pooveys Grove	Pearl Keller, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Yes	1938	Brick	300	12	1	10	5500	.....	6100	.....	4000
Pooveys Chapel	G. S. Hartley, Hudson	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss	Yes	1903	W-B	400	14	1	13	9000	.....	9000	.....	3000
Rocky Springs	Dewey Rhodes, Collettsville	Yes	1906	Wood	300	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Rufus	W. B. Green, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1940	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Sardis	Z. V. Johnson, Hudson	Yes	1925	Wood	325	7	1	6	5000	2500	7500	.....	4500
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir	Yes	1939	Brick	400	10	1	9	4800	.....	4800	.....	2000
Union	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir	Yes	1942	Stone	400	9	1	8	8000	.....	9000	585.00	1000
Whitnel	M. A. Setzer, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1925	Brick	400	18	1	17	10000	.....	10200	.....	8000
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 3, Hickory	Yes	1943	Wood	200	1	1	...	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Yadkin	D. D. Green, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1902	Brick	400	8	1	7	6500	.....	6500	.....	2000
Yadkin Valley	C. S. Ford, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1935	Wood	150	3	1	2	1500	.....	1600	.....	.....
Totals	....		....	.....	15795	424	62	373	438816	18000	468416	22422.84	274500

TABLE SEVEN — GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastor's Salary Paid This Year	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs Spent This Year	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Church Use, S. S., etc.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing Minutes and Clerk of Assn.	Other Objects	Total, Local Purposes, Given by Church and All Its Organizations	Pledged to Cooperative Program	Pledged to Associational Missions	Number of Tithers
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaacs, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1173.13	.....	84.60	36.74	37.00	57.75	72.86	24.50	3.00	15.92	1533.40	.....	.....	...
Buffalo Cove	....	194.00	38.00	.....	.....	.....	13.00	32.00	.....	2.00	75.00	354.00	.....	.....	...
Bethany	Paul Curtis, Finley	117.00	.....	17.00	.....	.....	23.00	15.12	.....	3.50	.....	175.62	.....	.....	...
Bethel	....	597.36	.....	118.00	126.22	.....	54.84	60.41	.....	5.00	23.00	987.83	.....	.....	...
Concord	R. C. Icenhour, Granite Falls	1650.00	.....	119.00	698.34	239.06	379.49	332.11	.....	5.00	119.65	3541.65	.....	48.00	25
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. Geo. Craige, R.3, Lenoir	118.15	.....	42.50	.....	.....	50.90	82.17	25.00	3.20	51.25	672.97	.....	.....	...
Conway's Chapel	....	332.03	14.06	35.00	.....	88.20	25.40	22.52	.....	2.40	70.19	589.80	.....	.....	...
Center Grove	D. W. Fox, Rt. 1, Hudson	991.67	.....	60.00	.....	.....	226.77	153.13	34.37	4.00	17.25	1487.19	.....	.....	23
Central	B. O. Camble, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1300.00	.....	75.00	.....	500.00	120.00	125.00	.....	3.00	.....	2123.00	.....	48.00	20
Cedar Rock	Ervin Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir	82.21	.....	70.79	713.72	.....	.....	30.95	40.00	2.00	.....	937.67	.....	.....	...
Dudley Shoals	Maynard Starnes, Granite Falls	374.00	.....	80.00	28.55	.....	151.80	73.19	.....	5.00	48.85	761.39	.....	24.00	...
Edgemont	....	23.46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.46	.....	.....	...
Flemmings Chapel	....	242.75	.....	31.00	57.80	.....	75.03	35.65	30.66	5.10	66.50	544.49	.....	12.00	...
Granite Falls	P. L. Moore, Granite Falls	2198.54	.....	255.00	371.52	1985.73	712.29	256.40	35.00	10.00	34.00	5858.48	600.00	72.00	...
Green Valley	J. B. Hayes, Rt. 7, Lenoir	54.41	.....	20.00	.....	.....	9.90	11.95	.....	1.00	2.00	99.26	.....	.....	...
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, Rt., Lenoir	478.08	12.00	42.25	.....	.....	27.00	20.93	10.00	2.00	6.00	598.26	100.00	18.00	10
Globe	R. C. Cook, Globe	180.34	.....	25.00	.....	.....	9.60	.....	.....	3.00	.....	217.94	.....	.....	...
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson, Yadkin Valley	72.48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	74.98	.....	.....	...
Grand View Park	J. L. Owens, Lenoir	414.43	.....	130.31	14.80	190.32	34.20	50.00	.....	3.00	.....	937.06	.....	.....	...
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson	648.90	.....	50.05	.....	.....	93.43	71.26	6.30	4.00	256.54	1140.48	75.00	24.00	...
Hartland	Floyd Green, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1021.25	80.00	86.00	32.60	.....	127.87	22.20	40.91	.....	31.51	1482.34	.....	.....	10
John's River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	137.00	.....	52.29	.....	.....	136.00	13.29	5.75	3.00	.....	344.33	.....	.....	...
Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, Rt. 1, Lenoir	465.20	.....	96.00	424.44	.....	87.11	97.54	.....	5.00	97.00	1372.29	.....	36.00	...
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Lenoir	2360.00	.....	.....	29687.41	.....	275.64	228.20	.....	10.00	136.41	32697.66	.....	90.00	...
Lenoir First	Will Watson, Lenoir	4000.00	1684.42	25.00	1051.42	1180.00	2982.70	428.70	586.67	15.00	319.05	12428.93	.....	120.00	...
Lenoir South	H. W. Chester, Lenoir	2026.00	917.15	253.00	719.40	.....	1139.26	662.10	52.23	10.00	1342.42	7122.01	1200.00	48.00	125
Lovelady	L. L. Yount, Granite Falls	180.69	.....	18.82	.....	100.00	20.00	25.00	10.00	.....	.....	357.51	.....	.....	10
Longford	C. H. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir	273.30	.....	35.00	288.33	.....	126.68	55.42	10.00	3.00	99.81	890.94	.....	12.00	...

Miller Hill	Charles Triplett, Rt., Lenoir	920.00		108.26	79.77	323.44	116.91	76.34	24.36	3.00	72.98	1725.10	125.00			1
Maple Grove	J. V. Bean, Mortimer	144.24		17.86			3.07	60.36		2.25		227.78				...
Mulvale	Mrs. T. J. Moore, Rt. 4, Lenoir	120.00		113.16	615.91	382.62	8.83	35.28	10.00	2.50	68.99	1359.98		12.00		...
Nelsons Chapel	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir	260.56	38.01	15.54	117.59		40.50	39.74	21.00	5.00	49.47	587.41		18.00		...
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, Granite Falls	113.79	9.00		207.92		48.95	42.37			41.99	464.02		12.00		1
Pisgah	C. F. Crisp, Rt. 8, Lenoir	484.25		219.75			75.60	20.00	87.00	2.70	20.00	909.30				...
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble, Rt. 8, Lenoir	209.58		55.82		857.05	102.31	51.89	10.35	2.55		1308.68	50.00	12.00		...
Pooveys Grove	Howard Starnes, Rt. 2, Granite	515.17		37.81	1050.00	115.00	95.70	87.56		3.75	50.15	1955.14		36.00		11
Pooveys Chapel	Oron Hartley, Hudson	256.80		42.21			37.75	41.19	57.16	4.50	28.57	468.18	35.00	12.00		...
Rhodhiss	W. F. Barker, Granite Falls	2131.20		181.00	241.51		567.35	152.75	39.51	5.00	457.65	3776.07		48.00		13
Rocky Springs	Mrs. C. F. Annas, Rt. 8, Lenoir	90.00	37.75	29.60	278.44		45.20	48.37		4.00	27.00	560.36		18.00		...
Rufus	W. B. Green, Rt. 7, Lenoir	135.00		45.00	20.37		33.24	13.72		4.50		251.83				...
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson	1500.00		100.00	251.81	2409.00	214.40	222.83	195.23	7.00	53.00	4953.27	400.00	36.00		17
Union Grove	S. E. Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir	636.00		48.00		817.00	95.00	58.00	18.00	5.00	85.00	1762.00				...
Union	Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir	378.56		81.61	400.00	339.75	124.80	75.62		5.00	5.00	1410.34		48.00		12
Whitnel	Ivey W. Craige, Whitnel	1925.00		119.00	998.95	150.00	291.88	203.20	84.00	6.00		3960.41				30
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt 3, Hickory	246.88		39.25	721.25		28.80		10.35	3.00	18.89	1068.42		12.00		...
Yadkin	A. E. Pierce, Rt. 5, Lenoir	465.01		227.10	407.70	994.79	208.62	144.19		3.00	47.40	2498.51		24.00		6
Yadkin Valley	George Sutton, Rt. 5, Lenoir	276.80	20.61	56.19	417.77		42.09	16.01	27.50	2.25	25.00	884.55		24.00		...
Totals		34476.21	2942.58	3595.89	41011.43	11794.56	9369.13	4694.22	1687.37	198.25	3936.54	114631.53	2735.00	960.00		348

TABLE EIGHT — GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES

CHURCHES	Total to Cooperative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Theological Seminaries	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	Other Objects	Totals to Missions and Benevolences by the Church and all Depts.	Total, All Purposes, Given by Church and All Its Organizations
Blairs Fork	.....	.....	26.00	.....	.....	.....	....	40.00	36.00	.....	.....	.....	102.00	1635.40
Buffalo Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	7.00	12.00	.....	.....	.....	19.00	373.00
Bethany	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	185.62
Bethel	.....	.....	10.00	.....	26.74	.....	....	.....	8.19	.....	13.60	32.11	90.64	1078.47
Concord	263.97	36.00	10.78	.....	19.64	.....	....	107.12	24.15	.....	9.00	.....	480.56	4022.31
Clark's Chapel	.....	6.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	....	15.00	18.00	12.00	.....	22.00	83.00	765.97
Conway's Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	599.80
Center Grove	30.00	25.00	.....	4.79	173.78	.....	....	162.93	15.06	.....	.....	30.50	442.06	1927.26
Central	3.00	8.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	47.00	2170.00
Cedar Rock	.....	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	....	5.13	8.50	.....	.....	.....	25.73	963.40
Dudley Shoals	37.00	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	....	123.21	16.86	.....	.....	.....	191.07	952.46
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.80	27.26
Flemmings Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	10.00	8.00	.....	.....	.....	18.00	562.49
Granite Falls	425.00	36.00	.....	.....	203.00	.....	....	168.60	49.32	.....	.....	.....	881.92	6740.40
Green Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	5.21	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.21	104.47
Grandin	42.57	12.00	.....	10.54	.....	.....	....	32.20	5.69	.....	8.50	34.24	146.74	745.00
Globe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	11.31	.....	.....	.....	11.31	228.25
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74.98
Grand View Park	.....	.....	2.00	.....	3.10	.....	....	38.00	8.50	.....	.....	.....	51.70	988.76
Harris Chapel	48.00	22.00	13.35	5.00	5.00	.....	....	60.00	30.00	.....	.....	13.45	196.80	1337.28
Hartland	50.00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....	54.20	214.20	1696.54
John's River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	3.36	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.36	337.69
Kings Creek	59.89	26.00	69.20	20.00	18.15	.....	....	229.04	52.00	.....	12.00	.....	486.28	1758.57
Lower Creek	1189.16	60.00	28.65	22.90	42.94	.....	....	270.84	66.47	.....	218.17	59.66	1959.78	34657.44
Lenoir First	3773.69	60.00	74.65	.....	175.91	76.45	....	535.27	192.19	.....	266.04	181.94	5336.14	17765.07
Lenoir South	966.65	36.00	62.50	.....	6.00	101.10	....	238.86	75.00	.....	25.00	16.00	1527.11	8649.12
Lovelady	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	377.51
Mountain Grove	181.86	3.00	31.85	5.00	3.00	.....	....	45.28	31.25	.....	.....	36.61	337.85	3688.67

Mountain Grove	101.00													
Mt. Zion	.....	24.00	21.79	9.90	9.00	.....	....	95.22	26.00	.....	.....	36.61	224.52	3688.67
Miller Hill	150.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	58.38	.....	.....	.....	16.00	224.22	1949.38
Maple Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	20.57	.....	.....	.....	20.57	248.35
Mulvale	60.00	.....	9.85	.....	15.00	.....	....	42.00	12.00	.....	.....	27.29	166.14	1526.12
Nelsons Chapel	40.00	12.00	.....	11.00	.....	.....	....	20.00	30.42	.....	.....	17.50	130.92	718.33
Oak Grove	.....	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00	488.02
Pisgah	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	31.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....	71.00	980.30
Piney Grove	10.00	19.00	.....	11.25	.....	.....	....	29.50	9.00	.....	.....	.....	78.75	1386.83
Pooveys Grove	4.69	25.00	25.00	42.80	75.00	.....	....	19.25	25.00	.....	25.00	.....	241.74	2196.88
Pooveys Chapel	.....	12.00	11.06	7.00	7.57	.....	....	110.98	16.91	.....	.....	.....	165.52	633.70
Rhodhiss	520.00	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	150.73	29.81	.....	23.30	.....	743.84	4519.91
Rocky Springs	.....	12.00	.....	5.69	5.00	.....	....	30.74	17.03	.....	.....	.....	70.46	630.82
Rufus	.....	.....	18.80	.....	.....	.....	....	43.60	20.57	.....	.....	.....	82.97	334.80
Sardis	261.11	24.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....	....	154.38	30.06	6.68	14.00	.....	540.23	5493.50
Union Grove	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	....	15.00	36.00	.....	.....	.....	53.00	1815.00
Union	.....	24.00	15.12	13.00	13.00	.....	....	76.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	156.12	1566.46
Whitnel	289.76	55.00	25.00	25.00	15.00	.....	....	90.00	95.00	.....	.....	10.00	655.76	4616.17
Winklers Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	16.57	7.57	.....	.....	.....	24.14	1092.56
Yadkin	.....	.....	18.50	18.50	18.49	.....	....	40.00	69.46	.....	.....	49.05	200.00	2698.51
Yadkin Valley	.....	.....	15.80	11.00	.....	.....	....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	3.00	39.80	924.35
Totals	8346.34	590.00	577.05	246.37	886.82	177.55	3.80	3220.01	1271.86	37.22	618.61	619.34	16629.05	131166.88

HISTORICAL TABLE OF CALDWELL BAPTIST ASS'N.

Time and Place of Meeting of Caldwell Association from Its Organization, with Names of Moderator, Clerk and Preacher

	Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis.....	H. O. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st.....	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals.....	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls.....	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel...	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove.....	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel...	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park...	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls.....	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin.....	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	R. F. Mayberry
1943	Mount Zion.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	Philip D. Fletcher

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1944-1945

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Bean, L. B. ---------- Rt. 4, Lenoir
Benfield, H. S. ---------- Lenoir
Bryant, H. G. ---------- Whitnel
Bolick, W. P. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
Caudle, Zeb A. ---------- Rt. 9, Lenoir
Colvard, C. W. ---------- Hudson
Cook, R. G. ---------- Rt. 8, Lenoir
Crisp, J. H. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
Crump, Gorden ---------- Hickory
Fletcher, Philip D. ---------- Granite Falls
Fox, J. W. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
Greer, J. W. ---------- Granite Falls
Harris, Horace ---------- Lenoir
Hester, Paul ---------- Granite Falls
Hodges, E. C. ---------- Hendrix
Holland, J. R. ---------- Longview

Hollar, L. C. ---------- Granite Falls
Johnson, W. O. ---------- Rt. 2, Taylorsville
Knight, A. F. ---------- Rt. 1, Shulls Mill
Knight, Hart ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Mangum, O. R. ---------- Lenoir
Matney, James ---------- Blowing Rock
Messer, Homer ---------- Valdese
Miller, Grant R. ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir
Minton, Grady ---------- Rt. 9, Lenoir
Moss, W. R. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
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Silvers, J. S. ---------- Rt. 4, Lenoir
Snipes, L. E. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Stroup, S. A. ---------- Granite Falls
Stroupe, S. M. ---------- Granite Falls
Smith, Henry ---------- Stony Fork
Wilson, Paul ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton
Younce, C. J. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

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Crump, Gorden ---------- Hickory
Hester, Paul ---------- Granite Falls
Holland, J. R. ---------- Longview
Hollar, L. C. ---------- Granite Falls
Knight, Hart ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Messer, Homer ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir

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Bumgarner, Alpha ---------- Granite Falls
Cook, C. F. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson
Coffey, G. G. ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton
Crisp, Henry ---------- Lenoir
Dellinger, O. C. ---------- Lenoir

Driver, J. E. ---------- Lenoir
Elrod, J. M. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Haas, L. P. ---------- Rhodhiss
Hice, W. H. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Lee, D. S. ---------- Rt. 8, Lenoir
Miller, D. L. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson
Miller, R. B. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson
Nelson, J. H. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Phillips, Harvey ---------- Lenoir
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Philyaw, Roy ---------- Globe
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Penley, E. G. ---------- Globe
Pennell, Howard ---------- Lenoir
Poarch, Geter ---------- Rhodhiss
Secrest, David ---------- Lenoir
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Shoemaker, T. P. ---------- Lenoir
Walker, Ira ---------- Lenoir
Watson, Thomas J. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Wilson, Paul ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton

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Walker, Ira ---------- Lenoir

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HARTLAND—G. G. Coffey, Oscar Martin, Sidney McCall. Frank Poarch, Jack Branch.

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MAPLE GROVE—J. V. Beane, Leonard Philyaw, Finley Coffey, Connie Philyaw, Luna Beane, Agnes Coffey.

MILLER HILL—James Teeters, C. M. Triplett, Mrs. Conrad Green, Mrs. Delos Lackay Mrs. Jimmie McNeil, J. S. Silver.

MT. ZION—Mrs. Lillie Annas, Mrs. J. L. Julian, Mrs. Dora Ogle, N. R. Walters, W. A. Miller.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—W. M. Smith, Mrs. B. B. Beane, H. R. Carpenter, Mrs. R. C. Eller, Mrs. A. L. Pearson, Mrs. J. E. McLeod, Mrs. O. A. Pope, J. L. Green, Mrs. M. L. Cock, Mrs. W. A. Woods.

MULBERRY—H. I. Green, B. F. Estes, Alice Bolick, Bettie Estes, Ina Green, Pansy Estes.

MULVALE—Walter Estes, Houston Clark, Jasper Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore.

NELSON'S CHAPEL—Miss Alice Miller, Mrs. Luther Suddreth, Mrs. R. E. Robbins, M. D. Blackbrun.

OAK GROVE—H. L. Richards, L. C. Hollar, J. W. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Richards, Marvin Bolick.

PINEY GROVE—Mrs. Charlie Winkler, W. D. Goble, J. R. Wike, Walter Sullivan.

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POOVEY'S GROVE—Garland Keller, Mrs. Wade Thompson. Mrs. Harry Keller, Miss Martha Stroupe, Miss Pearl Keller.

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ROCKY SPRINGS—C. F. Annas, Mrs. Lelia Spencer, M. C. Estes, Miss Vernie Tolbert, Mrs. C. L. Rader, Mrs. Glenn Penley.

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SARDIS—C. A. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Smith, Mrs. M. Clyde Smith, Mrs. Lillian McLean.

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UNION—A. P. Shaver, Jones McLeod, Mrs. A. A. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Will Reid, Lewis Reid, Edd Auton, Ralph McRary, Clyde Roberts, Maynard Teague.

WHITNEL—Geraldine Craig, Juanita Setzer, Mrs. W. D. Goble, Harley Poarch.

WINKLER'S GROVE—J. C. Keller, Claude Huffman, Mrs. Carl Winkler, Bertha Hoskins, Gordon Barnes.

YADKIN—C. A. Coffey, D. R. Collins Mrs. Oscar Pierce, Mrs. A. F. Greene, Mrs. C. A. Coffey, Mrs. A. E. Pierce, Mrs. I. M. Greene.

YADKIN VALLEY—C. S. Ford, Paul Steele, Mrs. James Sutton, Mrs. Paul Steele, Hiss Mildred Steele.

WEST LENOIR—W. F. Whittington, Eugene C. Storie.

ABSTRACT PRINCIPLES, CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

CONSTITUTION OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the Association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moedrator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or grievances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Association requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, nor any of her Churches and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This Association shall in all matters, except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association, in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, trangress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other case he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism taught in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every Church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

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RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local church or to insist that the candidate for ordinance be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry. And to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church

history and doctrines. And believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denominational recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

(1). That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

(2). If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advice and concurrence of other churches.

(3). This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the Association.

(4). That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

(5). That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advice of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved:

I. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association desiring to constitute themselves into a Baptist Church, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

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Order of Business

for the

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

which met with the

KING'S CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

September 21 and 22, 1944

FIRST DAY—Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... L. E. Snipes
10:30—Orphanage ..... G. G. Steele
11:00—American Bible Society ..... O. R. Mangum
11:10—Miscellaneous and Announcements

10:15—Organization—Recognition of Visitors and Announcements.
11:15—Annual Sermon ..... S. M. Stroupe
12:00—Lunch

FIRST DAY—Afternoon Session

1:15—Praise and Prayer ..... Paul Hester
1:25—Report of Associational Worker ..... Miss Elizabeth Campbell
1:40—Report of Mission Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
1:50—Planning Associational Work for Next Year.
2:20—Allied Church League ..... C. M. Abernethy
2:50—Co-operative Program ..... H. S. Benfield
4:00—Miscellaneous Announcements and Adjournment.

FIRST DAY—Evening Session

8:00—Praise and Prayer ..... Miss Sara Posey
8:10—Sunday School ..... Philip D. Fletcher
8:45—Special Music ..... A. W. Laxton
8:50—Baptist Training Union ..... Miss Pearl Keller
9:25—Adjourn

SECOND DAY—Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... H. G. Bryant
10:10—Reading of Minutes and Miscellaneous
10:25—Woman's Work ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:45—Religious Literature ..... R. F. Mayberry
11:15—Election of Officers
11:30—Address by Moderator ..... Zeb A. Caudle
12:00—Lunch

SECOND DAY—Afternoon Session

1:00—Praise and Prayer ..... T. E. Payne
1:10—Evangelism ..... S. A. Stroup
1:35—Recognition of and Prayer for our Members in the Armed Forces ..... O. R. Mangum
2:00—Memorials ..... S. M. Stroupe
2:10—Report of Committees:

1. Executive ..... Carter Powell
2. Treasurer ..... Carter Powell
3. Trustees of Associational Property ..... C. M. Abernethy
4. Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ..... S. A. Stroup
5. Resolutions
6. Historian ..... J. R. Swanson
7. Time, Place and Preacher

Miscellaneous Business and Final Adjournment.

Zeb. A. Caudle, *Moderator*
S. A. Stroup, *Vice-Moderator*
Carter Powell, *Clerk*
Committee.

Proceedings

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 21, 1944

1. At ten o'clock on Thursday morning, September 21st, 1944, the Coldwell Baptist Association convened in the sixtieth annual session with the Kink's Creek Baptist Church.

2. The opening hymn, "Crown Him Lord of All," was led by J. M. Laxton

3. Moderator Zeb. A. Caudle, called the meeting to order and there followed a short devotional led by L. E. Snipes.

4. Host Pastor, Grant R. Miller, was recognized and on behalf of his church membership, extended words of welcome.

5. Recognition was given J. R. Swanson who was a delegate to the Association when it met with King's Creek church fifty years ago and who has been present at every meeting of the Association since that date.

6. The motion was adopted that the program be changed to permit L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, to appear on the program at the morning session in place of the topic, "American Bible Society."

7. The following committees were appointed by the Moderator to report this year:

ENROLLMENT—J. M. Laxton, G. D. Keller, L. E. Snipes.

PETITIONARY LETTERS—S. A. Stroup, O. R. Mangum, Grant E. Miller

TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER—J. R. Swanson, A .G. Beach, G. B. Beach

RESOLUTIONS—O. R.Mangum, H. G. Bryant, Broadus Miller

NOMINATING—Grant R. Miller, Maynard Bumgarner, R. L. Palmer

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES—H. S. Benfield George Hollar, C. F. Cook

FINANCE—H. M. Beach, S. L. Austin, C. T. Smith

8. New Pastors in the Association, H. G. Bryant, Whitnel

church and E. C. Hodges, Piney Grove church, were recognized and welcomed to the Association as was also our new Associational Worker, Miss Elizabeth Campbell.

9. Enrollment Committee reported 183 delegates and 106 visitors from within the Association and 18 visitors from outside the Association.

10. Visitors recognized and welcomed during the session of the Association: E. C. Hodges, Brushy Mt. Assn., W. F. Jarvis, Brushy Mt. Assn.; Mrs. C. J. Poole, Brushy Mt. Assn.; E. C. Shoe, Alexander Assn.; V. Dare Teague, Ashe Assn.; Beulah Harris, Cabarrus Assn; M. H. Kendall, French Board Assn; Mrs. I. G. Greer, W. K. McGee, L .A. Martin, Liberty Assn.; Mrs. R. T. Crotts, North Catawba Assn.; Chas. C. Holland, South Fork Assn.; D. O. Green, Three Forks Assn.; I. G. Greer, Baptist Orphanage; Smith Hagaman, Baptist Hospital; L. L. Carpenter; Mrs. Archie A. Griest, Jr., Washington, D. C.; Edward P. Bennett, Morganton.

11. Report on Orphanage by G. G. Steele was read and discussed by G. G. Steele and I. G. Greer, Supt. of the Baptist Orphanage. The report was adopted.

N. C. BAPTIST ORPHANAGE REPORT

The object of the existence of the North Carolina Baptist Orphanage is to support, care for and train dependent children. Since the cooperative program does not embrace the Orphanage, our Sunday Schools and Churches must help provide for its maintenance with a once-a-month offering and a special Thanksgiving offering. On account of the increased cost of living the monthly contributions and Thanksgiving offering should be larger this year than they have ever been before.

We should not have to appeal to our Churches to support our Orphanage work, however a number of our Baptist Churches in Caldwell Association have not given anything to this worthy cause this year.

If we as Christians love Christ as we should, we would also love humanity, and if we love humanity, we must love and try to support, care for and train the orphan children, who became the victims of circumstances over which they had no control. James 1: 27 says "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world." This means supporting and

caring for them. So our provision for the orphans is apostolic, and is commended as pure and undefiled religion.

In 1943 our Orphanage cared for 698 in the Mills Home and the Kennedy Home,, 23 in boarding homes and 60 in their own homes.

The productive farm on which crops and fresh vegetables in abundance are grown, along with pork and beef, the dairy from which each child receives a quart of whole milk daily, the poultry yard where all of the chickens and eggs are produced, not only help in a material way, but helps to a great extent in the process of training the boys.

Clothing to a great extent is made and laundered by the girls, with the aid of competent supervisors.

Charity and Children is published each week and covers the activities of the entire Orphanage. Along with the paper a profitable commercial printing shop is maintained and large numbers of the boys are trained in this work.

The physical education program goes on the year round with trained directors in charge. A graded Sunday School, Baptist Training Union and Woman's Missionary Union both at Kennedy Home and Mills Home helps in rounding out the lives of the boys and girls.

We note from time to time in Charity and Children about some of the former orphans, for whom we are proud, being in the service of our country, and of possibly more than one making the supreme sacrifice.

In our enthusiasm to win the war, in our anxiety about our boys, who are at the front giving their last full measure of devotion, we should not overlook the things for which we are fighting. We must win the war, but in winning it let us continue to make men and women who will be worthy and capable of rebuilding a shocked world and carrying on the work of the Kingdom of God."

Each day almost 800 children depend on Baptists of North Carolina for support. We must not fail them.

In the name of Christ whose love for the orphan child was supreme and as an opportunity for enriching our own lives, let us rededicate ourselves to the task of supporting, caring for and training the boys and girls committed to our care.

Respectfully submitted,
G. S. Steele

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12. L. L. Carpenter, Editor, Biblical Recorder, spoke on behalf of the Biblical Recorder and the work it is doing.

13.—Time having arrived for the annual sermon, A. W. Laxton led the audience in singing, "I Gave My Life for Thee."

Sermon was preached by S. M. Stroupe. Text, Romans 8:31; subject, "God With You."

14. After miscellaneous announcements, the meeting adjourned for lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

15. At 1:15 o'clock the meeting convened after being led by A. W. Laxton in singing "Hark Ten Thousand Harps and Voices" and "Blessed Assurance." The devotional was conducted by J. H. Crisp.

Report of the Associational Worker, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, was read and discussed by Miss Campbell. She brought to the meeting a splendid message, using Scripture passages from the Books of Matthew, Acts, and Romans. Report was adopted.

CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Elizabeth Campbell

September 21, 1944

(For June, July and August)

CHURCHES VISITED: Eleven as follows: Concord, Lower Creek, Long Ford, Temple, Sardis, South Lenoir, Rhodhiss, Granitte Falls First, Whitnel First, Mountain Grove, Lenoir First.

Study Courses: Sunday School 1; Training Union 2; Prayer Meetings 4; Sunday Services 5; Special Talks 4.

ORGANIZED: 2 B. T. U.; Conducted 1 Social; Conducted 2 Vacation Bible Schools (Miss Dare Teague conducted 3 schools.) Other Vacation Bible Schools had to be cancelled due to the Polio.

Attended Mars Hill Pastors' School, One day of the Southeastern Sunday School Teachers' Clinic, Charlotte, State Baptist Training Union Conference, Southwide Sunday School Conference, Southwide Training Union Conferences.

Spent 4 1-2 weeks at Ridgecrest. Attended 3 associational Pastors' Conferences. 1 Training Union Rally.

Attended 2 W. M. U. Meetings. 6 Prayer Meetings; Visited in 49 Homes; Traveled approximately 783 miles. Letters sent out 154.

Ridgecrest: Attending Approximately 110; 2 Conversions; 6 dedications to special service.

Vacation Bible Schools: 7 Held; Mission Offering Approx. $30.00. This does not include all Schools, because some I did not get the report of.

It has been a happy privilege working in the Caldwell Association, but also a sad one, due to the fact that so much of our work has had to be cancelled due to the Polio. However, with the raising of the Ban we hope to go forward in a great way for the Lord. Pray for me. Call on me. I am at your service.

Elizabeth Campbell

17. Report on Mission Fund was read by R. L. Palmer, Mission Treasurer, and adopted.

CALDWELL BAPTIST MISSION FUND

Balance in Union National Bank		
Sept. 23, 1944		$ 78.70
Received from thirty-five churches		961.00
Received from State Convention		250.00
Total Receipts		$1,289.70
Disbursements:		
Miss Ruth Keller	$623.80	
Miss Dare Teague	43.20	
Miss Elizabeth Campbell	286.80	
Col. Internal Revenue	82.60	
Total Disbursements		$1,045.40
Balance in Bank (including $8.80 reserved for tax)		$ 244.30

R. L. Palmer, Treasurer

18. Report on the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was read and discussed by O. R. Mangum. The discussion included a recommendation that this fund be held by a committee, to be named by the Moderator, and administered by that committee for the purpose of assisting young men and young women to get an education for full time Christian service. The motion was adopted by the Association and O. R. Mangum was named

Chairman of that committee with Mrs. J. A. Boldin and Miss Sara Posey as members. The following regulation governing the administration of this fund was recommended by the committee and adopted by the Association:

"These funds are to be loaned and paid back to the Scholarship Fund at the earliest date possible after graduation. Interest at the rate of four percent will begin five years after graduation."

"Should the one using such funds decide not to enter full time Christian service, then a payment of four percent interest will be due with the payment of the principal sum and in such case, interest would be due on such loan from the date of the loan."

19. Report on Caldwell Pastors' Library was read and discussed by O. R. Mangum. The report was adopted.

This report showed the following receipts and disbursements:

Received from donations	$514.73
Received from fines	7.76
Total Receipts	$522.49
Disbursements:	
Baptist Book Store	$294.70
Cash Balance in Bank Sept. 9, 1944	$227.79

20. Planning of Associational Work was next on the Program and discussion of this matter was led by the Moderator. A motion was made that, inasmuch as additional funds were available from the State Convention for this work, that the Associational Worker's salary be set at $1500.00 for the coming year with an additional $100.00 for travel expense. This would require a contribution of $1000.00 by the Association. The motion was seconded and adopted by vote.

C. M. Abernathy called the roll of churches for subscriptions for this work and a total of $1,018.20 was subscribed.

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance 10-4-43 (from Ruth Keller)	$205.10
Receipts:	
3-3-44 Ruth Keller	60.00

4-13-44 Lenoir Chair Co.	200.00
6-12-44 Poovey's Chapel	3.00
6-15-44 Mt. Zion	10.00
6-18-44 Cedar Rock	2.00
6-21-44 Harris Chapel	5.00
7-1-44 Mulvale	5.00
7-15-44 Sardis	15.00
7-28-44 Nelson's Chapel	2.00
8-22-44 Lower Creek	60.00
9-8-44 Yadkin	3.00
9-12-44 Grandin	5.00
9-15-44 Lenoir First	150.00
9-21-44 Hartland	3.00
Total	$728.10

21. Report on Public Morals and Law Enforcement was made by C. M. Abernathy. L. L. Martin, Head of the Allied Church League of North Carolina was present and made an interesting talk on the work and purposes of the League. Further discussion was made by the Moderator and the report was adopted.

PUBLIC MORALS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

"I am not easily shocked or easily alarmed," said J. Edgar Hoover recently, "but today, like thousands of others, I am both shocked and alarmed. The arrests of teen-age boys and girls, all over the country, are staggering. Some of the crimes youngsters are committing are almost unspeakable. Prostitution, murder, rape—these are ugly words, but it is an ugly situation. If we are to correct it, we must face it."

A judge recently noted that youths are being tried today for crimes and offenses they have never been taught to regard as wrong. Remember, that these indictments are made against our youths—the teen-age group, boys and girls who are to be our citizens of tomorrow.

At least two vital questions face us: What is the cause? and, What is the remedy? Some of the causes naturally come about by the awful war in which we are engaged. Our whole social order has been disrupted. Unsettled home life, due to the demands of war production has thrown thousands of youths into the streets to roam at will without any home discipline. Thus they have drifted

into all types of places of amusement, the "juke joints," the "road houses," and many other places where liquor is served, and the prevalent drinking on the part of our teen-age youth is largely responsible for the appalling situation we face.

Ten years ago our country's expenditures for alcoholic beverages amounted to a little over two billion dollars. Last year, 1943, the bill was more than six billion dollars. This was an average of $46 for each man, woman, and child in the country. Last year our own state sold in liquor products the staggering sum of $27,297,524.25. The state's liquor bill has been increasing about four million dollars annually.

We are told by one of our outstanding correspondents that one of the chief problems of the capital of our nation is the increasing amount of whiskey drinking among the young women of Washington. Many of these young women are away from home for the first time. Statistics show that sixty-four out of every hundred people arrested in Washington are just plain drunks, and should you examine the records of our own county you would find that arrests of drunks far out number all others; and the sad fact is that many of these are young people.

Then, what is the situation? The highest rate of juvenile delinquency in our history; probably the greatest period of crime of all time: Our jails, penitentiaries, and insane asylums are more crowded than ever before. This is what we face, in what we hope to be the closing days of a war to end all wars. Soon, we hope, our boys will be returning. Many of them have found religion the hard way—in fox holes—many had religion when they went away; it has been a great comfort to them in these awful times through which they have passed. What will they find when they get back? What is the remedy?

The answer must be made by our homes and Churches. The homes and Churc hes must solve the problem if it is solved. The challenge is yours and mine. Will we meet it?

Respectfully submitted,
C. M. Abernethy

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22. Report on the Cooperative Program was made by H. S. Benfield showing the past year's accomplishments and stressing the goals for the coming year. Dr. Smith Hagaman discussed the program as it affects our Baptist Hospital. J. C. Canipe discussed the program as it is related to the State Mission Board. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

There has not been a better plan found for carrying out the "Great Commission" of our Lord, than the Cooperative Program. It is Scriptural, Educational and economical. It seeks to enlist all our people in the intelligent, systematic, cheerful and adequate support of all our work.

The Southern Baptist Convention will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of its organization in 1945. A great program is being prepared and a centennial crusade is being launched seeking to complete, celebrate, climax and crown the century for Christ. The objectives of this crusade are Evangelism, Education, Enlistment, Rehabilitation, Stewardship and Benevolence.

Goals For The Years

We hope to win a million souls to Christ; to enroll a million more in Sunday Schools, Training Unions, W. M. U. Organizations; to secure ten thousand volunteers for the ministry and definite Christian Service; to rebuild and enlarge our missionary work; and to enlist a million Christian stewards giving self, service and substance to the Kingdom of God.

To help realize these high and holy objectives we call upon all Churches and People:

1—To magnify the cooperative Program for the financial support of all our work.

2—To make the centennial crusade with all its objectives a matter of constant prayer and effort.

3—To observe the special days and seasons as listed in the Calendar of Denominational Activities.

4—To put on the Every Member Canvass prayerfully, patiently, and persistently seeking to enlist all our people in the support of all our work.

5—To stress Christian Stewardship and to enroll as tithers all who will contribute one tenth of their net income to the Lord's work.

6—To take a great Centennial Thank Offering on April 15 or the nearest convenient Sunday for the causes included in the Cooperative Program.

Crowning A Century For Christ:

Last year, 1943, the undesignated Cooperative Program receipts stepped up 25 percent over the previous year. Now, in 1944, they are up more than 20 percent over last year. This year, if the trend continues, our receipts through the *undesignated Cooperative Program* will amount to about $700,000.00. The total income of the Convention, including the undesignated and all designations, will come to perhaps more than one and one-half million dollars. It is

believed now that the special offerings for the hundred thousand club and Wake Forest Chapel will not have to be continued in the 1945 program. Therefore, it is hoped that the churches will step up greatly in their offerings to the Undesignated Cooperative Program. We hope that the Association may accept the goal suggested by the State Mission Board and each church will do likewise.

The Content of the Baptist Cooperative Programs

Defined:

1—It is a plan which enables the individual and the church to share in the support of every object which Baptists believe should be supported as a consequence of the program which Jesus began.

2—From the stand point of the objects which they support, it enables them to make a unified and a united appeal to individuals and to churches instead of a separate appeal for each object.

3—It makes an appeal to every member to contribute to the Cooperative Program since in so doing every member will share in the support of every object.

OBJECTS IN THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

1—State Missions:

a—A department of Christian Education in the churches

(1) Including the departments of Sunday School work, Baptist Training Union, B. S. U., and Brotherhood.

b—Work among the Indians is now a State Mission task.

c—Some work is being done among the 250,000 Negro Baptists in the State.

d—There is an effectual door open for work among the Prisoners in our prison camps.

As we are now out of debt, we should greatly enlarge our work of State Missions.

2—Home Missions:

The Home Mission Board is an agency of all Southern Baptists which seeks to give the Gospel in all its fulness to the peoples of the South and Cuba. Especial attention is given to the foreigners in our midst, to the Jews, to the Negroes, and to the deaf.

The Home Mission Board is also out of debt whereof we repoice.

3—Foreign Missions:

Our Foreign Mission work has been greatly cripled by the war. Many of our missionaries have been called home. Much of our Denominational property has been destroyed and will have to be replaced during post war days. The great debt that was hanging over the Foreign Mission Board has been wiped out. We are looking forward to a great day in Foreign Missions in years to come.

4—Christian Education:

Beginning with Wake Forest in 1834, North Carolina Baptists

have believed in and supported Christian Schools. The several colleges in the States together with the Theological Seminaries have had much to do with the progress that we have made as a Denomination by furnishing trained pastors and leaders for our churches.

5—Baptist Hospital Shares in Cooperative Program:

Jesus said, "heal the sick." Our hospital located at Winston-Salem, cares for approximately ten thousand patients annually. Last year 10,333 were treated. Of this number, 3,444, approximately one-third, were free patients or paid little.

The Baptist Hospital was established by our denomination in 1923 for the purpose of providing hospital facilities for the sick of our State who are not financially able to pay for treatment. During the twenty years of service rendered by our hospital, 77,000 patients have been treated to date. Of this number 28,000 were free patients, representing a cost of about $2,302,000.00. This cost was covered by one dollar per day, per patient, from the Duke Foundation, a little profit from pay patients, but largely by the Mothers' Day Offering in the churches. The Mothers' Day Offering this year amounts to date to about $90,000.00, the largest ever.

This institution is attempting to keep uppermost in mind always the purpose for which it was created, primarily the treatment of the poor in a Christian institution.

DIVISION OF FUNDS

Sixty percent of all undesignated funds are kept in the State and forty percent goes to all Southwide objects. However, it is believed that next year the funds will be divided fifty, fifty. This is as it should be.

It is very gratifying to note that each church in our Association this year has contributed something to Missionary and Benevolent enterprises. All except four, contributed something to the objects included in the Cooperative Program.

REPORT EVERY FIVE YEARS, BEGINNING 1920

Year	*Local*	*Missions and Orphanage*	*Total*
1920	$ 15,779.50	$ 4,172.74	$ 19,952.24
1925	50,450.02	3,893.87	54,343.89
1930	40,401.41	6,018.52	46,419.93
1935	40,327.39	5,298.05	45,625.44
1940	87,694.95	12,728.59	100,423.54
1943	114,631.53	16,629.05	131,260.58

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. Benfield.

23. S. A. Stroup placed before the Association the request of the Committee on Petitionary Letters that the Asso-

ciation vote on whether or not it desires to continue in effect the Resolutions previously adopted covering the Ordination of Ministers and Constitution of Churches. The Clerk read the resolutions adopted by the 1942 Association and after the reading of each resolution, the motion was made and adopted without a dissenting vote, that they remain in effect as heretofore.

24. A request by Bethel Church for a letter of recommendation and dismission from this Association to unite with the Catawba River Association was read and motion was made and adopted that the letter be granted.

25. Following miscellaneous announcements, the meeting adjourned until 8:00 o'clock.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION

26. At 8:00 p. m. the Association reassembled. Miss Sara Posey led the devotional, after which an anthem was sung by the Lower Creek church choir.

27. The report on Sunday School work, prepared by Philip D. Fletcher, was read by J. M. Laxton. Motion was made by S. A. Stroup that the report be adopted. The report was discussed by S. A. Stroup and adopted b y the Association.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The past year has not been a good one for the Sunday School work. The critical situation caused by so many of our people being away in the Armed Services and Defense work has been augmented by an epidemic of Infantile paralysis. This epidemic has kept the children under fifteen years of age away from our Sunday Schools and Church services.

This loss of Bible study and worship may leave its mark upon the youth of our land. Since we are already facing one of the worst juvenile delinquent problems our Nation has faced, we must be awake and on the alert when the ban is lifted and our children can come again. If they do not all return voluntarily we must go out after them.

During the past year we have had one Associational wide Sunday School meeting and one Officers planning meeting. Our task is an IMPERATIVE one, for our Master said," Go ye therefore ,and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit: Teaching them to observe all things

whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world."—Matt. 28:19-20.

Respectfully submitted,
Philip D. Fletcher, Com.

28. "Into the Woods My Master Went" was sung by a mixed quartet from the Lenoir First Church junior choir.

29. A report on Baptist Training Union work was read and discussed by Miss Pearl Keller. The motion to adopt the report was made and after further discussion by J. G. Benfield, the report was adopted.

REPORT ON THE BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

Three Associational Training Union mass meetings have been held during the year. These were well attended and interest was shown in the work.

At the meeting held at Lower Creek a splendid program was given by the Department Leaders.

The high spot of the meeting at Whitnel was the challenging message brought by Miss Margaret Sparks, State Intermediate Worker.

The two weeks enlargement campaign conducted in June by Mr. Harvey Gibson, State Training Union Secretary and his coworkers was a great blessing to us. Several new unions were organized and the work strengthened in each of the churches that took part. During this campaign, the Association was privileged to meet all the State Training Union force at the mass meeting held at Granite Falls.

Several from our Association attended the Regional Meeting at Wilkesboro in April. Approximately one hundred from Caldwell went to Ridgecrest for North Carolina or Southern Training Union Conference. Two of this number accepted Christ there and others dedicated their lives to special Christian service.

Renewed interest is being shown in Training Union work but still not half of our churches have an organization. Let us train that we may serve in a more efficient way in the Great Kingdom program. May His will be done in our churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Pearl Keller.

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Friday Morning Session

30. After a song, "Stand Up For Jesus," led by S. M. Stroupe, a short devotional was conducted by H. G. Bryant.

31. The following visitors from outside the Association

were recognized; M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill College and C.C Holland, Pastor, Brown Memorial Church, Hickory, N. C. Also recognized, were Mrs. Corbin Buell, Educational Director, Lenoir First Church and Paul Hester, Pastor at Mt. Zion and Dudley Shoals.

32. The minutes of the previous day's sessions were read by the Clerk and approved.

33. Report on Woman's Work was read by Mrs. C. A. Bowman. In connection with the discussion of this report, an inspiring message was brought to the Association by Mrs. Bowman. Further discussion of the work was given by Miss Elizabeth Campbell. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON W. M. U.

The past year has been one of uncertainty, anxiety and sacrifice because of the great world war in which we all find ourselves engaged. Changes have come in our way of life, in our homes, in our churches and societies. But our women and young people have been faithful and loyal to Woman's Missionary Union.

God's blessings have been upon us and we report the best year in offerings in our Association's history.

The chief aims of Woman's Missionary Union, are to enlist our women and young people in:

(1) Prayer

(2) Study of the missionary message of the Bible and world missions

(3) Tithes and offerings

(4) Missionary education of young people

(5) Community missions

Our people are making progress along all these aims.

The past year, the Superintendent held seven meetings; sent 329 letters and cards; visited sixteen societies; traveled 406 miles, mailed 77 bundles of report blanks.

Total gifts were $617.80.

We have approximately 809 members in the W. M. U. organizations.

The Associational Training School Scholarship Fund named in honor of Ruth Keller is growing and will prove to be a blessing to many of our young people in Caldwell Baptist Association.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, now our Associational worker, will mean much to our work.

Attendance at all Associational meetings this year has been

good although gasoline has been rationed. God's Spirit and blessings have been without measure.

Says one of our missionary leaders, "The Church must be the best in the worst time."

Let us renew our faith and courage by prayer, work, worship, giving and living. Our lives consecrated to Him, that the dust of sin may be washed from our hearts and eyes.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman

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34. Report on Religious Literature, prepared and read by H. G. Bryant was adopted.

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

To write a short report on Religious Litterature is rather a problem. The field is so broad, and so many things to say on each subject, makes it difficult to write a short report.

We will start this report with the Biblical Recorder, Journal of Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. The report for the past year is very encouraging indeed. The circulation for the past year has increased very rapidly, and is now well over 26,000. This means a net gain of 8,500 for the year. For this increase we are profoundly greatful to God, to the pastors, and to the leaders of North Carolina Baptists, also to our State Secretary Mr. M. A. Huggins, and to all the State workers, who have been untiring in their efforts to get the Recorder in the homes of our Baptist people.

The Recorder has been very successful this year financially. So far the editor has found it unnecessary to call upon the Convention for a penny of the $8,000 allocated for support of the Recorder. And it looks now as if the paper is entirely self-supporting. However the most important thing in the mind of both the editor and the Baptists of the State is that we get out the best paper possible, even if at times it may become necessary to call on the Convention for some support.

The Recorder has three simple subscription plans: $2.00 a year for individual subscriptions; $1.50 a year for clubs with at least three subscriptions a year for churches reporting less than a hundred members, and five subscriptions for all churches reporting more than a hundred members, $1.20 a year for the budget or family plan—one subscription for each active, resident church family is required. It is hoped that all pastors, superintendents, deacons, Training Unions, and W. M. U. leaders will encourage a good club in every Baptist Church.

The Recorder is a good, wholesome, attractive weekly, that

will be of interest and help to the whole family, and since it is the organ of the Baptist State Convention, and because it is the only medium by which the Baptists of the State can know what their own people are doing over the whole State, it should go into every Baptist home. One of the greatest needs of our people is information, trained and enlisted in the whole program of the church and Kingdom of God; and we feel that the Biblical Recorder is of untold value in this great cause.

CHARITY AND CHILDREN came into existence shortly after the orphanage was founded. The Orphanage and Charity and Children like two twins, have grown up together and are almost inseparable. It is hard for us to think of the Orphanage apart from Charity and Children. They are each a part of one great whole. What the Biblical Recorder is to Baptist State Convention, Charity and Children is to the Orphanage. The paper has a wide circulation, and is read with the same spirit of enthusiasm by both young and old alike. Charity and Children is not only self supporting, but turns back into the treasury of the Orphanage annually around $5,000. When we say the paper is edited by John Arch McMillan, to all of us who knew him is enough to say it is in safe hands. Some of his editorials are the best to be found in any publication. Under his wise editorial leadership, dozens of fine boys are well started in the newspaper business. The subscription is $1.00 a year single subscription, and 60c in clubs. No Sunday School can afford to be without a club.

THE COMMISSION, is a monthly publication of the Foreign Mission Board. It comes once each month filled with facts about our work yonder on the far-flung battle lines, in the fight of the truth of God for the conquest of the world. We are thrilled with the many stories coming to us of experiences of our missionaries on the fields. To read this periodical is to become a missionary both in spirit and action. The price of The Commission is 50c per year. We should have The Commission, to keep up with our missionaries, and our mission work around the world.

HOME MISSION, is another one of our mission periodicals. It is to the Home Mission Board what the Commission is to the Foreign Mission Board. From this periodical we have many fine stories given by our Home Missionaries, about their work over the South, in Cuba, Panama, and in various sections of the Home Mission territory. The price of this paper is 25c a year. It will stimulate our interest in the Home Mission program to read it.

ROYAL SERVICE, is another periodical, of immense value to our ladies in the W. M. U. work. The price is also 50c a year.

We also, have a large list of valuable publications from our own Sunday School Board. These are acknowledged by all Sunday School

workers as the very best. It yet remains, for any Baptist church to present a good reason for turning away from the literature of our own Board, to supplying the Sunday School of a Baptist Church with Union literature, which is of an inferior quality. It is like exchanging good money for counterfeit. Our literature is the very best of the best. So, let every church in the Caldwell Association stand by their own Board literature.

To help combat the flood of filthy literature, that is poisoning the land, North Carolina Baptists should give full support to their own denominational press. The doubling of six leading crimes during the past decade, especially among our young people, can be traced directly to the reading of 150 "smutty magazines," which are bought by more than 8,000,000 Americans each month. The only literature strong enough to rout this evil of darkness is the Bible, and literature inspired by God's holy word. The Bible needs no defense, it is well able to stand alone, without any props. If we will turn it loose it will make its own way and will take care of itself.

In the last place, we would in this report recommend that each Baptist church should have a good library of well selected books for its members. And that every Baptist home in North Carolina, should have the "Biblical Recorder," "Charity and Children," "The Commission, "Home Missions," and "other splendid periodicals published by our Sunday School Board," which will provide a missionary education to interest every member of the family.

Respectfully submitted,
H. G. Bryant

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35. A discussion of the American Bible Society's work and aims was given by O. R. Mangum.

36. M. H. Kendall brought greetings from Mars Hill College and delivered a fine message dealing with Christian Education.

37. Election of officers. The Nominating Committee composed of Grant R. Miller, Maynard Bumgarner, and R. L. Palmer, presented its report of nomination of officers of the Association for the next year. The report was adopted. For a complete list of officers see the Directory of the Association.

38. After being led by S. M. Stroupe in singing, "Am I A Soldier of the Cross," the Association heard an inspiring address by the Moderator.

39. Adjourned for lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

40. Following a devotional period led by T. E. Payne, the Association heard a report on Evangelism read and discussed by S. A. Stroup. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Jesus said "I Came to seek and to save that which is lost" and "As the Father hath sent me even so send I you" Fom these sayings we learn what the great business of the Church is. In this association we have 50 Churches with a total membership of 9,450 and last year we baptized 315 one for every 30 members. This year 387 were baptized.

The Southern Baptist Convention has set as a goal for this year one million to be led to Christ, will we do our part?

Our Lord said "Go out into the Highways and Hedges and bring them in, if we are to win them we must obey his command we cannot sit and wait for them to come to the Church, we must carry the message of our Lord to the homes.

Respectfully submitted,
S. A. Stroup

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41. O. R. Mangum led the meeting in a service of recognition and prayer for our members in the armed forces and concluded with a series of prayers. Forty-five churches reported a total of 864 members in the armed forces.

42. S. M. Stroupe read the report on Memorials. Scripture, Cor. 15th chapter was read and the assembly was led in prayer by S. A. Stroup. See Memorial page.

43. Report On Ridgecrest Property was read and discussed by C. M. Abernathy. Report was adopted.

REPORT ON RIDGECREST PROPERTY

At the beginning of the season the cabin was inspected, and it was found that considerable work would have to be done on the cabin before the season opened; therefore, Mr. C. T. Smith, contractor, was requested to investigate the property and submit estimates of the cost of the work that would be necessary to do on the cabin.

After this investigation was made, it was deemed advisable to erect steps to the cabin, repaint the cabin, close in the upstairs porch with windows, replace many of the screens, erect a brick wall back

of the cabin, and extend the kitchen to this back wall, and also to build a flue. Mr. C. T. Smith was therefore employed, and the said work was done. A large range was purchased and put in the cabin.

In order to make these essential repairs, your trustees found it necessary to borrow $250. A complete financial report follows and shows that $50 of this loan has been repaid, and that we have in the treasury today $67.38.

The First Baptist Church of Lenoir also furnished the cabin with four bunk beds with mattresses and springs to be used by the Association, but retained the ownership of these beds, springs, and mattresses, and stipulated that: "These beds, mattresses, and springs are to remain the property of this church and will be so marked as to identify them."

Respectfully submitted,
Trustees:
C. M. Abernethy, Chairman
Zeb. A. Caudle, Secretary
W. F. Kerley

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF RIDGECREST PROPERTY

Balance in Bank of Lenoir, September 15, 1943		$426.64
RECEIPTS		
May 29, 1944: Sale of Oil Stove	$ 9.00	
June 8: Gifts		
O. R. Mangum	5.00	
Noah Roberts	5.00	
O. L. Moore	5.00	
June 10:		
Loan—Bank of Lenoir	250.00	
First Baptist Church	60.00	
July 13:		
G. A. House Party	18.00	
N. C. BTU	9.32	
Y. W. A.	4.50	
First S. S. Week	12.00	
August 8:		
Sunday School Week	10.00	
B. T. U. Week	19.00	
*Southside Training Union Week	31.67	
August 23: Pearl Keller—Cabin Fees	24.50	
August 31.... *South Lenoir Church—Cottage Fees	17.00	
September 11: Preaching Week	3.25	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$483.24	$909.88

*The following had some money left over from their groceries and pooled their money, requesting that this be used to purchase linoleum for cottage floors:

South Lenoir Church	$4.00
1st Southside Training Union Week	$7.17

DISBURSEMENTS

October 5, 1943: J. N. Barnette—Cabin Items	$ 39.98	
May 9, 1944: C. T. Smith—Repairs on Cabin	50.00	
May 24: C. T. Smith—Repairs on Cabin	200.00	
May 27: Caldwell County Board of Education—Stove Part	7.00	
Hudson School—Stove	75.00	
June 10:		
C. T. Smith—Repairs on Cabin	382.57	
Bank of Lenoir—Interest on note	2.50	
August 11:		
C. M. Abernethy—Cabin Supplies	6.50	
Black Mt. Lumber Co.—Coal	8.95	
September 13:		
Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly—Water rent, Cleaning, fuel, etc.	16.00	
Bank of Lenoir—Payment on note	50.00	
Bank of Lenoir—Interest on note	4.00	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$42.50	$842.50

Balance in Bank of Lenoir, September 13, 1944	$67.33
Note: Bank of Lenoir Note—Due March 13, 1945	$200.00
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS	$132.62

Trustees:
C. M. Abernethy, Chairman
Zeb. A. Caudle, Secretary
W. F. Kerley

Motion was made by O. R. Mangum, seconded by S. A. Stroup, and adopted by the assembly thanking the Board of Trustees for their care in looking after the Association's property.

44. Report of the Executive Committee was read by the Clerk and adopted.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

On December 21, 1943, the Executive Committee met to con-

sider the resignation of the Association Worker, Miss Ruth Keller. It was found that she had decided to remain with her work until more definitely convinced that she should resign and go elsewhere. Also, at this meeting the committees recommended that the Pastors' Conference work out a fifth Sunday program of some kind to be used as inspirational meetings.

On February 12, 1944, the Committee was called together to again consider Miss Keller's resignation. The resignation was accepted with regret. A committee was appointed to seek out and recommend another worker to take Miss Keller's place. At this meeting a motion was adopted to continue the administration of the Ridgecrest property in the hands of the Trustees.

On April 10th the Executive Committee met to hear a report of the committee previously named to seek out an Associational worker. The report recommended the employment of Miss Elizabeth Campbell to begin work on or about June 1st. The recommendation was discussed and unanimously accepted. Also, at this meeting the resignation of the Clerk and Treasurer, R. B. Burnett, was presented and accepted with regret. Motion was made and adopted that the Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Committee write a letter to the McCabe Memorial Baptist Church, to which the retiring Clerk is going, and express our appreciation for his services. Carter Powell was elected to finish out the unexpired term of the Clerk and Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
Carter Powell, Clerk

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45. Report of Treasurer was next read and accepted by the assembly.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Following is a statement of the Receipts and Disbursements of Funds handled by the Treasurer of the Caldwell Baptist Association during Associational year beginning September 1, 1943, and ending August 31, 1944.

	Radio	*Regular*	*Total*
Cash on Hand beginning of Associational Year	$	$ 13.27	$ 13.27
Received from Churches	106.00	202.25	308.25
	$106.00	$215.52	$321.52
Disbursements:			
E. F. Sullivan, *Treas.*	$100.00	$	$

Postage		13.47	
Printing of 1943 Minutes		170.80	
Express on Minutes		2.25	
H. S. Benfield, *Clerk*		25.00	
Total Disbursements	100.00	211.52	311.52
Balance on Hand, August 31, 1944	$ 6.00	$ 4.00	$ 10.00

Respectfully submitted,

Carter Powell, *Treasurer.*

46. Next was heard the report of the Committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers given by S. A. Stroup. The Committee recommended the admission into the Association of West Lenoir Church. The motion was made and adopted that this church be accepted into our membership. Discussion of the work of the committee was further given by O. R. Mangum and Grant R. Miller.

As an amendment to the report of the Nominating Committee, the following resolution was recommended for consideration of the assembly:

Resolved that the Committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers be elected for the following terms: Grant R. Miller, one year; S. A. Stroup, two years; H. S. Benfield, three years; O. R. Mangum, four years; S. M. Stroupe, five years. Be it understood that members of this committee cannot succeed themselves.

Signed,
Grant R. Miller
S. A. Stroup
O. R. Mangum

This resolution was adopted by the Association.

47. The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read by O. R. Mangum and adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

Be it resolved that we, the Caldwell Baptist Association:

1. Extend to the Kings Creek Baptist Church our deepest thanks for their hospitality. They have been unfailing in their efforts.

2. That we express our appreciation of the Committee who prepared our program and to each one who has contributed to its success.

3. That we pledge our unanimous allegiance to the Centennial Program of Southern Baptists—"A Million Souls for Christ."

(Signed)
O. R. Mangum
H. G. Bryant
Broadus Miller

48. The Historian's report was read by J. R. Swanson.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

King's Creek Church with which the Caldwell Association is holding its sixtieth session was organized in June 1778 by Elders William Dotson, Moses Stansbury (or Stansberg) and John Carlton, but the first records were destroyed by fire when the home of Thomas Isbell, Clerk, was burned in 1860. Since then, the following is a brief history of the second oldest church in the Caldwell Association which has been served by the following Pastors. Edmond Tilly, John B. Powell, Smith Ferguson, D. M. Knight, W J. Bumgarner, H. D. Lequex, Isaac Smith, I. W. Thomas, J. J. Beach, J. G. Benfield, George Bumgarner, J. W. Watts, E. V. Bumgarner, and Grant Miller, the present Pastor. Those serving as Clerks were Thomas Isbell, Allen Laxton, M. L. Greer, N. A. Laxton, J. E. Tilly, and H. M. Beach the present clerk who has served for forty-six years. The first church house was of logs and was replaced by a frame structure about 1879 or 1880. This building was destroyed by fire in 1886. A new building was erected in a few months and was replaced in 1928 by the present commodious brick structure which compares favorably with any country church in the Caldwell or any other Association. Union Church and Lower Creek Church were in part constituted by members coming from King's Creek whose membership was listed last year at 407. We feel that the work of this grand old Church has only begun.

We wish to note the passing of Reverend W. R. Beach who died September 17, 1944 and was buried at his old home church, King's Creek, by the side of his wife who had preceded him in death just ten days. Brother W. R. Beach and J. J. Beach were ordained to the full work of the ministry by this church and went forth doing the work of the Master for many years and were gathered to their fathers being full of years leaving the memory of lives full of good deeds nobly done.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, Historian

49. Time, Place and Preacher for 1945 Session: Time, Thursday and Friday before the fourth Sunday in September; Place, Piney Grove Church about fourteen miles north of Lenoir; Preacher, J. H. Crisp; Alternate, Grant Miller.

J. R. Swanson
A. G. Beach
Boone Beach

50. After miscellaneous announcements and singing of the hymn, "A Charge to Keep I Have," benediction was pronounced by J. S. Benfield and the Moderator declared the Association adjourned to meet September 20 and 21, 1943 with Piney Grove Church.

Zeb. A. Caudle, Moderator
S. A. Stroup, Vice-Moderator
Carter Powell, Clerk

DIGEST OF LETTERS

	1943	1944
Sunday School enrollment	7,529	7,214
Baptisms	355	301
Church Membership	9,450	9,584
Total B. T. U. Organizations	72	82
Total Enrollment of B. T. U. Members	1,018	1,181
Total W. M. U. Organizations	40	42
Total Enrollment of W. M. U. Members	751	685
Total Gifts of W. M. U. & all its Org. Mis.	$ 3,380.44	$ 6,073.53
Gifts for Local Church Work	114,631.53	114,963.93
Gifts for Co-operative Program and Ben.	16,629.05	16,766.26
Gifts to Orphanage	3,220.01	3,816.07
Grand Total	$137,861.03	$141,619.79

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ANNUAL SESSION OF

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

FIRST LENOIR BAPTIST CHURCH

April 25, 1944

Theme: Face Today—Plan for Tomorrow

10:00 Hymn: "The Morning Light is Breaking"

10:05 Call to Worship ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman

10:10 Period of Praise and Worship ..... Mrs. R. E. Norman
10:30 Greetings ..... Mrs. R. E. Norman
10:35 Response ..... Mrs. J. N. Moore
10:45 Minutes, business, and appointment of committees.
10:55 Today's Achievements—"An Incentive for Tomorrow's Tasks"
Report of Superintendent ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Report of Secretary ..... Mrs. Fred Bowman
Report of Librarian ..... Miss Ella Dixon
Report of Literature ..... Mrs. C. L. Wilson
Report of Personal Service ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele
Report of Mission Study ..... Mrs. A. A. Boldin
Report of Stewardship ..... Mrs. Dewey Annas
Report of Young People's Work ..... Mrs. P. D. Fletcher
11:30 Message ..... Miss Kathryn Abee
11:50 Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"
11:55 Announcements and Offering
12:10 Address: "Today and Tomorrow in Missions"—Missionary
12:45 Adjournment

LUNCH

Afternoon Session

1:45 Hymn: "We've A Story to Tell to the Nations"
Prayer ..... Dr. O. R. Mangum
1:55 Conference "How to Teach Missions"
2:30 Report of Committees
2:40 Playlet
3:15 Adjournment

Blairs Fork		Sardis	1
Dudley Shoals	2	Whitnel	
Concord	6	Central	1
Grandin	6	Yadkin	
Granite Falls	11	Mt. Zion	5
Kings Creek	4	Piney Grove	
Center Grove	4	South Lenoir	2
Nelson's Chapel	3	Lower Creek	9
Poovey's Grove		First Lenoir	19
Rhodhiss	7	Union	
		Mt. Grove	

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

No. of Churches with W. M. S.	23
Total No. of Women and Young People in W. M. U. Organizations	751
No. of Letters and Postals written	327
No. of miles traveled	348

No. of Societies visited 16
No. of meetings held 7

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Bowman

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Be it resolved: That in behalf of the W. M. U. of Caldwell Association, we express our deep appreciation to the Woman's Missionary Society and every member of the First Baptist Church of Lenoir for their kind and gracious hospitality.

We thank each pastor for the help and inspiration shown us in every way. We thank Mrs. Bowman for her untiring effort and uncomplaining faithfulness in the work this year, and for the helpful program given today.

We are deeply grateful to Miss Abee for the inspiring address. With renewed strength and courage may we go forward to face the problems of tomorrow.

We thank Miss Lawton for taking us on a visionary trip for missions and giving us a glimpse of the needs of a lost world. May we look upon the fields that are white unto the Harvest."

We are deeply grateful to everyone who has contributed in any way to the pleasure and profits of this day. Especially for the playlet on community missions.

Mrs. J. N. Moore
Miss Cora Greer
Mrs. P. D. Fletcher

RECOMMENDATIONS

As we realize the seriousness of the situation of today, we bow in humble gratitude to God for his goodness and mercy toward us.

We recommend:

1. That we enter heartily into the plans outlined by the Southern Woman's Missionary Union for the observance of the seasons of prayer for Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and State Missions.

2. That we earnestly ask God's Blessings on our young men and women who are in the service of our country, and that we participate in seasons of prayer for World Peace.

3. To encourage the establishment of family altars in each home.

4. That we stress the importance and sponsoring of organizing young people.

5. That 4 new Woman's Missionary Societies be organized.

6. That each church make a special offering to the Ruth Keller Scholarship fund.

7. That each member of the W. M. U. contribute at least 10c a year for the expenses of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. O. L. Grice
Mrs. A. F. Sharpe
Miss Annie Belle Steele

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COMMUNITY MISSION REPORT

Never have so many needs clamored to be met as in these days. Sin and sorrow are ever present, great needs surround us daily. Many who do not even profess to be Christians, still, to many others who live far from Him.

1. Sometimes I feel we are not aware of those needs.

2. Many do not care encugh to search out those needs.

3. We should put Christ first and have love enough for Him to go out in His name and do something about the above named.

Here's our record for 1943:

1. Number of W. M. S. doing community missions regularly—10

2. Number of W. M. S. which have studied guide to community missions—None.

3. Different types of work done are: cottage prayer meetings, visiting unsaved, helping needy, minister to the sick, and men in service.

4. There are two W. M. S.'s that have made a survey of their community.

5. Number of Young People's organizations engaged in community missions work, only one was reported, but I am sure there is more work than that in our Association.

6. Weak points in community missions: Survey of your community so you will know the needs. Another is soul winning.

7. Encouraging features are: Helping tthe needy families and remembering the men and women in our Armed Forces.

8. May we suggest for 1944 that we remember our colored sisters and don't forget to remember the ones in Armed Service for now may be the best time to win them to Christ, or to hold their faith.

Let us have every W. M. S. and Young People's organization report community missions work being done in our Association for the year 1944.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Annie Belle Steele

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Books loaned	26
Books returned	10
Books purchased	15
Books donated	3
Books in library now	306

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Ella Dickson

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STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Thousands of general words may be said on Stewardship and yet as long as Southern Baptists give a little more than 1 percent of their income for Kingdom purposes, are not beautiful words merely empty phrases and disgusting to our Maker and Master? Thus I call you today to face our record in Stewardship.

No. of tithers in W. M. S.	30
No. of tithers in Y. P.	25
Total gifts to Cooperative Program	$3,625.69
Total gifts to 1000,000 Club	326.23
Lottie Moon offering	467.30
Armstrong offering	118.50
State Missions offering	96.22
Heck Memorial	308.66

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Dewey Annas

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REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Mrs. C. A. Bowman	Superintendent
Mrs. O. L. Grice	Asso. Superintendent
Mrs. Fred Bowman	Secretary-Treasurer
Mrs. J. A. Boldin	Mission Study Leader
Mrs. Dewey Annas	Stewardship Leader
Mrs. Andrew Triplett	Community Missions
Miss Ella Dickson	Librarian
Miss Annie Belle Steele	Young People's Leader

The Nominating Committees wishes to make the following recommendations:

We recommend that the following committee: Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Mrs. J. N. Moore, Miss Sara Posey be elected by this Convention to work with the committee from the Caldwell Association to administer the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund. Also that the W. M. U. Superintendent always be a member of this committee.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. P. D. Fletcher
Mrs. Frank Smith
Mrs. C. W. Pennell

REPORT ON TIME AND PLACE

The Lower Creek Baptist Church wishes the W. M. U. to meet with them next year, 1945. The time to be decided by the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Andrew Triplett
Mrs. S. E. Hunsucker
Mrs. Edd Oxford

REPORT OF MISSION STUDY FOR 1943

No. Mission Study Classes	44
(W. M. S. Classes 22—Young People's classes 22)	
No. RecordCards	26
No. Certificates	121
No. Official Seals	7
No. Small Seals	324
No. Engaged in Study	319
No. Receiving Awards	220

Office Report

No. Books ordered for Associational Library	15
No. Letters and Postals written	75
No. Packages Mission Study Awards Mailed	25
No. Telephone Calls	25

Suggested Aims for 1944

1. A Mission Study Class each quarter in every W. M. S., using a Stewardship Book one quarter.

2. At least two classes in every Y. W. A., G. A., R. A., and Sunbeam Band.

3. Four, or more, 'C'hurch Schools of Missions."

4. A report from the Mission Study Chairman of every Church at the end of each quarter.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mis. Study Ch.

REPORT ON FINANCE

	W. M. S.	Y.W.A.	R. A.	G. A.	S. B.
Blairs Fork	$	$	$	$	$
Dudley Shoals	9.50				
Concord	51.21				
Grandin	101.60				
Granite Falls	202.13	47.01	*7.49	*9.28	3.18
			**10.72	**16.21	
King Creek	72.10				
Center Grove	37.10				
Nelson's Chapel	56.00				
Poovey's Grove	82.00	12.81		11.00	
Rhodhiss	222.40				
Sardis	76.05				
Whitnel	39.25				
Central	4.75	1.50			
Yadkin					
Mt. Zion	26.50				
Piney Grove	398.20	67.00			1.50
South Lenoir					
Lower Creek	726.00	162.45	20.50	25.40	10.75
First Lenoir	3,299.89	188.53		84.78	26.58
Union	11.00				
Mountain Grove	51.75				
Totals	$5,477.43	$479.35	$38.71	$146.67	$41.91

Total, $6,184.07.

(* Indicates Junior. ** Intermediate.)

Amount spent for postage, $5.65; Programs, $4.50. Balance of $1.50.

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In Memoriam

BLAIR'S FORK—
Mrs. M. L. Church
BUFFALO COVE—
Mrs. Edna Pipes
CENTER GROVE—
Mrs. Faye Laney
CENTRAL—
Mr. C. C. Steele
CLARK'S CHAPEL—
Mr. John Goble
Rev. J. P. Hagaman, Elder
CONCORD—
Mrs. H. J. Richards
DUDLEY SHOALS *—
Mr. J. Earley Brinkley
Mrs. Lillie Mae Teague
FLEMING'S CHAPEL—
Mr. James Anderson
Mrs. Ida Crump
GRANDVIEW PARK—
Mrs. F. I. Littlejohn
GRANITE FALLS—
Mr. Joseph Smith
GREEN ROCK—
Francis Hawkins, Deacon
HARRIS CHAPEL—
Mr. N. J. Austin
Mrs. Edna Upchurch
KING'S CREEK—
Mrs. Mary Dula
Mrs. Odous Keller
LENOIR FIRST—
Mr. Henry Beard
Mr. Linney L. Jenkins
Mr. Edward Lamkin
Mr. J. J. McNeill
Mr. Clyde M. Suddreth
LOWER CREEK— *—
J. S. Haas, Deacon,
Miss Alice Pope
Mrs. Ada Austin
Mr. P. A. Suddreth

MILLER HILL—
Mr. George Teeters
Mrs. George Teeters
MT. ZION—
Mr. M. F. Robinson

MOUNTAIN GROVE—
Mrs. Lou Kaylor
Mrs. Maggie Spann
Mr. Perry Hood
Mr. Walter Perry Herman, Jr.

MULVALE—
Mrs. Eliza Estes
Mr. J. Osier Clark

NELSON'S CHAPEL—
Mr. M. P. Suddreth, Deacon

PISGAH—
Rebecca Taylor
Caroline King
Pvt. John Bryant

SARDIS—
Mr. W. A. Smith
Miss Bertha Mae Killian

SOUTH LENOIR—
Mrs. W. A. Walker
Mr. J. E. Elrod

UNION GROVE—
Mr. R. B. Beach, Deacon
Mrs. W. H. Hice
Mrs. George Smith
WHITNEL—
Mr. A. L. Johnson
Mr. Henry Braswell
Martha Braswell
WINKLERS GROVE—
Mr. John Collins
Mr. O. L. Tolbert
Mr. O. U. Sigmon
Mr. Junion Icard

Statistical Tables

TABLE ONE — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Town, Vill., Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Tot. Present Members	Weekly Prayer M'tg's.	Revivals Held, Year	Obs. Lords Supper, Yr.	Fam. Rec Bapt. Paper	Enrld. Min. Ret. Fund
					Memb. Last Year	GAINS				LOSSES										
						Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Non-Res. Memb.						
Bethany	C	1902	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	90		5			7				39	92			2		
Blair's Fork	C	1891	Grady Minton, Rt. 9, Lenoir	All	191	12	5			1			1		206		2	2		
Buffalo Cove	C	1857	Henry Smith, Stony Fork	1	121								1		120			1		
Cedar Rock	C	1942	Will P. Pelick, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1 3	29	23	4			1				2	46	*	2	1		
Center Grove	C	1918	C. W. Colvard, Hudson	All	97					2			1		94	*	1	4		
Central	T	1938	J. H. Crisp, Rt. 3, Lenoir	All	258	4	7			7		1	1	40	260	*		2		
Clark's Chapel	C	1900			174		1			2			2		171	*				
Concord	T	1908	S. A. Stroup, Rt. 4, Lenoir	All	215	13	4			12			1	40	219	*	2	1	8	*
Conway's Chapel	C	....	J. S. Silver, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1 3	73		3					8			68					
Dudley Shoals	C	1861	Paul Hester, Granite Falls	All	243					3			2		238			1	4	*
Edgemont	C	....	L. B. Bean, Mortimer	2	10										10					
Fleming's Chapel	C	1888	Jay Younce, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1 3	114		3						3		114			1		
Globe	C	1832	L. B. Bean, Rt. 5, Lenoir	2 4	140					2					138		1	2		
Grandin	C	1914	W. O. Johnson, Rt. 2, Taylorsville	4	65										65		1	1		
Grand View Park	C	1930	Paul Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton	All	134	14		2					1		149	*	2	1		
Granite Falls	T	....	Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	All	386	2	10			15			1		382	*	1	5	20	
Green Rock	C	1922	James Matney, Blowing Rock	2	34								2		32					
Green Valley	C	1888	R. C. Cook, Globe	2	39					1					38	*		2		
Harris Chapel	C	1912	W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir	All	210	1	2	1		3	4		2	47	205	*	1	1		
Hartland	C	1938	T. E. Payne, Box 15, Hudson	1 3	128	4	5		1	3					135		1	1		
John's River	C	1890	Horrace Harris, Lenoir	1	128		1			2					127			2		
King's Creek	C	1779	G. R. Miller, Rt. 1, Lenoir	2 4	402		4	1		8	47		2		347			1	3	
Lenoir First	T	1889	O. R. Mangum, Lenoir	All	763	44	35			23			5	200	814	*	1	4	218	*
Long Ford	C	1934	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	All	200	14	3			4					213		2	1		
Lovelady	C	1937	J. W. Greer, Granite Falls	All	42	4	1			8					39		1	2		
Lower Creek	C	1826	Zeb A. Caudle, Rt. 9, Lenoir	All	527	16	17	2		7	3		4		536	*	1	4	20	
Maple Grove	C	....	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	1 3	136	1				4					133		1	2		
Miller Hill	C	....	J. S. Silver, Rt. 4, Lenoir	2 4	90	6	2			7			2		89		1	1		
Mount Zion	C	....	Paul Hester, Rt. 1, Hudson	2 4	328	1	17			8			1		340		1	1		
Mountain Grove	C	1884	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	2 4	211	23	5			4			4	30	231	*	1	2	8	*

Mulberry	C	1853	L. B. Bean, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1 3	66	1				1					66		1	2															
Mulvale	C	1941	Zeb A. Caudle, Rt. 9, Lenoir	2	77					2			2		73	*		2															
Nelson's Chapel	C	1905	J. J. Matney, Blowing Rock	1 3	87	1						1	1	35	86			1	1														
Oak Grove	C	1900	L. C. Hollar, Granite Falls	All	53	1	4			5				6	53		1	2															
Piney Grove	C	1869	E. C. Hodges, Hendrix	4	168		2			2					168			1															
Pisgah	C	1877	Gorden Crump, Hickory		171	2	1			25			3		146		2	2															
Poovey's Chapel	C	1932	A. F. Knight, Rt. 1, Shulls Mill	1 3	112		3							10	115	*																
Poovey's Grove	C	1898	S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls	1 3	168	4	5	2		4					175	*	1	1		*													
Rhodhiss	T	1906		All	360	15	9			9				135	375	*	2	4	8														
Rocky Springs	T	1906	Horace Harris, Lenoir	2 4	77	1	1			6				23	73			2															
Rufus	C	1940	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir	*3	38	1	3			1					41		1	2	14														
Sardis	T	1831	None	All	376		6			5			2		375	*		1	8														
South Lenoir	T	1910	H. S. Benfield, Lenoir	All	768	35	23	1		13	4	6	2	183	802	*	2	4	69	*													
Union	C	1814	Grant R. Miller, Jr., Rt. 1, Lenoir	1 3	355		2			4					353			1															
Union Grove	C	1898	Homer Messer, Valdese	All	207	13							3	80	217		1	1															
Whitnel	T	1925	H. G. Bryant, Whitnel	All	229	7	8			5			3		236	*	1	4	12	*													
Winkler's Grove	C	1896	J. R. Holland, Longview	All	114	10	2	2		2			4	39	122	*	2	2															
Yadkin	C	1791	T. E. Payne, Hudson	2 4	311	14	10			2				63	333	*	2	1	1														
Yadkin Valley	C	1935	C. J. Younce, Rt. 5, Lenoir	2 4	72		1			2				15	70			2															
West Lenoir	C	1943	Hart Knight, Rt. 5, Lenoir	All		11	38	5		3	1			3	54	*	1	1															
TOTALS	..	....			9377	391	251	16	1	225	59	16	55	981	9591		40	84	394														

TABLE TWO — SUNDAY SCHOOLS

CHUHCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPT. Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Lenoir SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll, Under 3	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults, 25 Yrs. and Up	Extension Dept.	Gen., Dep'tal Officers	Total Enrollment, Officers, Teachers, Pupils	What Is Av Attend.?	Baptisms from S. S.	Is the School Graded?	Is It Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Dip.	Enrollment Vac School	Av. Attend. Vac. Sch.
Bethany	Wesley Coffey, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	10	...	12	...	16	21	...	...	59	39	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blair's Fork	Clifton Tuttle, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	22	18	20	20	40	42	3	2	172	101	...	*	...	...	...	...
Buffalo Cove	J. W. Hamlet, Yadkin Valley	...	15	12	25	20	...	25	...	6	103	36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir	6	7	10	14	...	19	24	...	2	82	65	23	...	...	...	...	...
Center Grove	Avery Bumgarner, Granite Falls	8	9	17	28	19	17	14	...	3	115	80	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel	14	18	14	16	20	24	24	...	9	139	110	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clark's Chapel	W. R. Stone, Rt. 3, Lenoir	...	15	17	30	15	12	30	...	2	145	50	...	...	...	...	...	...
Concord	Geo. W. Hollar, Granite Falls	65	15	38	40	24	15	50	...	15	262	92	11	*	...	...	58	54
Conway's Chapel	J. C. Braswell, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	7	5	6	8	8	12	9	...	55	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls	...	20	15	25	30	20	45	...	3	168	75	...	*	...	...	...	...
Fleming's Chapel	C. R. McFelea, Rt. 6, Lenoir	7	10	10	16	18	10	24	...	2	97	65	...	...	...	...	...	...
Globe	R. E. Coffey, Globe	...	8	...	7	...	10	15	...	...	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	...	6	5	6	10	9	14	...	2	50	40	...	*	...	...	...	...
Grand View Park	Claude McCall, Lenoir	15	7	9	24	...	20	24	...	...	99	70	5	*	*	...	...	...
Granite Falls	W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls	52	30	42	60	48	34	80	40	3	389	116	...	*	...	20	93	73
Green Rock	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Valley	P. D. Philyaw, Lenoir	...	13	...	...	15	...	20	...	2	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson	3	21	12	23	29	8	39	...	2	137	82	1	*	...	...	...	...
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Rt. 3, Morganton	...	15	...	33	...	25	38	...	3	114	88	...	...	...	...	...	...
John's River	B. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	12	...	10	...	...	18	10	...	...	50	35	...	...	...	...	...	...
King's Creek	V. W. Roberts, Lenoir	9	18	20	15	32	19	82	17	...	232	109	...	...	...	...	96	80
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	25	37	64	80	72	37	202	20	9	546	264	44	*	...	...	...	...
Long Ford	Dewey Sumpter, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	15	...	35	34	31	46	...	...	161	74	7	...	...	...	...	...
Lovelady	June Weaver, Granite Falls	4	5	7	10	8	7	9	...	...	50	50	4	...	...	...	...	...
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir	26	26	34	54	54	42	88	26	5	355	195	12	*	...	...	109	83
Maple Grove	J. V. Beane, Mortimer	27	14	15	9	11	19	9	...	...	104	50	...	...	...	...	15	12
Miller Hill	James Teeters, Rt. 6, Lenoir	...	18	13	8	10	8	41	...	...	98	52	6	...	...	...	...	...
Mount Zion	J. M. Bumgarner Rt. 2 Granite Falls	22	22	27	28	16	35	63	...	3	216	137	...	*	...	...	...	...
Mountain Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	12	21	14	45	43	13	82	...	3	233	100	23	...	...	4	...	...
Mulberry	C. E. Chandler, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	...	...	...	...	...	...

Mulvale	Earnest Puett, Rt. 4, Lenoir	...	21	12	16	22	14	21	...	...	106	36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nelson's Chapel	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	15	...	14	15	3	27	...	7	81	45	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, Granite Falls	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	32	18	23	...	36	52	...	7	168	96	...	*	...	...	...	...
Pisgah	Earl Gentry, Lenoir	5	8	5	7	10	15	30	...	5	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poovey's Chapel	Floyd Ekard, Hudson	...	25	...	22	22	24	18	...	3	114	86	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poovey's Grove	Harvey Sherrill, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	5	7	10	20	28	15	35	...	...	120	52	4	*	...	...	...	...
Rhodhiss	B. W. Curtis, Rhodhiss	11	12	48	52	34	15	64	...	4	300	108	9	...	...	2	...	...
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	...	13	...	13	8	22	19	...	...	75	41	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rufus	W. C. Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir	...	8	...	12	...	...	32	...	...	52	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sardis	C. T. Smith, Hudson	...	24	28	42	32	19	58	7	6	216	92	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Lenoir	M. A. Jenkins, Lenoir	45	38	93	127	104	103	116	...	4	613	300	32	*	...	11	...	...
Union	Clyde Wilkie, Rt. 2, Lenoir	...	16	13	19	27	10	45	...	...	130	100	...	*	...	...	...	...
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, Lenoir	8	10	10	18	20	40	60	...	2	168	80	13	...	...	...	...	...
Whitnel	W. D. Goble, Whitnel	10	10	16	34	22	10	51	...	5	158	80	7	...	...	1	45	30
Winkler's Grove	J. C. Keller, Rt. 4, Hickory	...	23	...	16	...	14	37	...	2	92	75	10	...	...	...	...	...
Yadkin	Johney Suddreth, Patterson	9	23	27	36	20	37	36	...	13	201	128	14	...	...	...	...	...
Yadkin Valley	G. M. Sutton, Rt. 5, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	69	...	...	...	...	...	...
West Lenoir	W. F. Whittington, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	80	...	...	*	...	...	...
TOTALS	... ...	400	709	708	1160	920	893	874	122	134	7214	3863	225	...	...	38	416	332

TABLE THREE — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Tot Unions, Story Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Tot. Enr., Un. St. Hrs.	No. Daily Bible Read's	No. taking Study C'rse	Tot. Systematic Givers	Students in College	No. Gen., Dept. Of'c'rs
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	...	1	1	...	3	9	...	11	17	...	37	...	22	37	...	...
Central	Mrs. Carl Swanson, Whitnel	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	7	12	15	8	56	...	...	...	...	...
Clark's Chapel	Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	1	4	12	...	17	25	9	63	12	...	...	...	...
Ludley Shoals	Shirley Miller, Granite Falls	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	20	...	...	...	20	12	12	20	...	8
Granite First	V. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	2	1	1	2	1	7	28	28	22	33	8	119	42	...	36	...	...
Kings Creek	Vernon Boggs, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	1	4	11	...	17	15	8	51	17	21	...	2	9
Lenoir First	C. E. Beach, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	...	4	18	17	34	...	...	99	11	33	32	7	5
Long Ford	A. C. Teague, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	...	3	12	...	20	12	...	44	9	31	...	...	23
Lower Creek	Mrs. Roy McGarr, Rt. 9, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	12	18	22	8	80	35	47	63	...	13
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Ruth Davis, Hudson	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	12	18	7	9	65	12	...	32	...	...
Mountain Grove	Margaret Smith, Granite Falls	1	1	1	2	1	6	12	5	16	27	9	69	32	57	60	...	...
Nelson's Chapel	J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir	2	...	2	1	...	5	52	...	16	7	...	75	13	22	21	...	...
Poovey's Grove	Raymond McCorkle, Rt. 2, Gran. Falls	1	1	1	1	...	4	12	15	8	8	...	43	17	23	24	...	...
Rhodhiss	Mrs. Olney Annas, Rhodhiss	1	...	1	1	1	4	11	...	15	17	25	68	27	29	34	...	3
Sardis	....	...	1	1	1	1	4	...	8	12	10	7	37	12	21	29	4	2
South Lenoir	B. B. Byers, Lenoir	3	1	2	3	1	10	37	17	44	46	11	155	41	45	54	6	7
Whitnel	Miss Valeria Jenkins, Whitnel	1	1	...	1	1	4	16	10	...	17	6	49	10	27	43	...	6
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	...	4	7	17	12	19	...	55	55	35	35	...	...
TOTALS	....	20	12	18	21	11	82	286	168	292	327	108	1181	357	425	520	19	76

TABLE FOUR — W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	Number W. M. S.	Number of Y W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Orgs.	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Tot. Members Enr'l'd.	Tot. Enr. Mis. St. C'rse.	Contributions (Local Work) by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) by W. M. U.
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard, Hudson	1	1	...	...	...	2	12	6	...	...	...	18	2	50.19	16.11
Central	Mrs. D. C. Bradford, Whitnel	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	9.00	.....
Concord	Mrs. A. A. Clay, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	14	...	576.33	58.82
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	.....	24.35
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	9	...	...	...	...	9	7	97.52	83.05
Granite	Mrs. Carr Cline, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	42	10	25	20	22	119	59	.....	308.49
Kings Creek	Mrs. V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	...	16	9	70.00	93.46
Lenoir First	Mrs. R. E. Norment, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	120	12	7	1	10	153	100	.....	3500.00
Long Ford	Mrs. Ray Kirby, Box 5, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	11	...	6.00	1.25
Lower Creek	Mrs. Russell Presnell, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	60	8	10	8	12	98	...	.....	979.85
Mount Zion	Mrs. M. F. Robinson, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	...	16	...	.....	34.38
Mountain Grove	Mrs. L. E. Snipes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	.....	85.25
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Jos. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	...	16	12	20.90	64.25
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Vergie McCorkle, Rt. 2, Gr. Falls	1	1	1	...	1	4	15	8	10	...	5	38	14	8.04	152.50
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. C. Hunsucker, Granite Falls	1	...	1	...	1	3	16	...	5	...	18	39	...	.....	.....
Sardis	Mrs. C. L. Keener, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	9	...	...	...	...	9	...	.....	56.52
South Lenoir	Mrs. Clyde Goble, Lenoir	1	1	1	...	1	4	56	14	8	...	10	68	19	1880.16	541.25
Whitnel	Mrs. W. P. Jenkins, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	11	...	17.17	.....
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. A. M. Haskins, Rt. 4, Hickory	1	...	...	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	11	...	206.00	74.00
TOTALS	.....	19	6	7	4	6	42	453	58	65	32	77	685	222	2941.31	6073.53

TABLE SIX — CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does your Church Own House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	What Materials Were Used?	No. Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Dept. Assembly Rooms	No. Sep. Class Rooms	Value Church House and Grounds	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Amount of Insurance Carried
Bethany	J. R. Bolick, Lenoir	Yes	1902	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	....	.....
Blair's Fork	W. B. Holsclaw, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1891	Wood	300	6	1	6	2000	.....	2200	888	1000
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley	Yes	1895	Wood	370	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	....	.....
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1942	Wood	250	1	...	...	1400	.....	1400	....	.....
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1918	Wood	400	7	...	6	2000	.....	2000	....	1000
Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1938	Wood	300	6	1	5	1800	2000	3800	....	1500
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. Geo. Craig, Rt. 3. Lenoir	Yes	1905	Wood	300	7	1	6	2000	.....	2000	....	.....
Concord	Mrs. R. G. Teague, Granite Falls	Yes	1926	Brick	400	17	2	16	20000	2500	22500	....	9500
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	....	Wood	250	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	....	.....
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls	Yes	1904	Wood	350	15	3	14	4500	.....	4500	....	2000
Edgemont	Mrs. Archie Coffey, Edgemont	Yes	1913	Wood	150	2	1	2	1000	.....	1000	....	.....
Fleming's Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1888	Wood	500	...	2	7	2200	.....	2200	....	1500
Globe	Charles Woodruff, Globe	Yes	1832	Wood	150	2	1	...	1000	.....	1000	....	.....
Grandin	Hill E. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1925	Wood	300	3	3	3	4000	.....	4000	....	1000
Grand View Park	Fred E. Cope, Lenoir	Yes	1930	Wood	500	8	...	7	3000	.....	3000	....	1000
Granite Falls	Rebecca Kirby, Granite Falls	Yes	1907	Brick	350	27	3	24	22000	3000	25000	....	12000
Green Rock	A. E. Johnson, Yadkin Valley	Yes	1922	Wood	100	1	1	1	400	.....	400	....	.....
Green Valley	B. B. Green, Collettsville	Yes	1941	Wood	200	1	...	...	850	.....	850	....	.....
Harris Chapel	Doyle Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1924	Wood	500	7	...	6	2300	.....	2300	....	1000
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, Rt. 3, Morganton	Yes	1938	Wood	200	1	...	5	1200	.....	1200	....	800
John's River	Miss Cora Lee Andrews, Upton	Yes	1890	Wood	150	1	...	...	625	.....	625	....	.....
King's Creek	H. M. Beach, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1928	Brick	500	12	1	12	10000	.....	10000	....	5000
Lenoir First	Carter Powell, Lenoir	Yes	1924	Brick	700	61	7	54	170000	.....	180000	....	100000
Long Ford	Fred W. Pearson, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1936	Wood	300	6	1	6	1700	.....	1700	....	600
Lovelady	W. P. Yount, Granite Falls	Yes	1937	Wood	400	1	4	4	2000	1000	3000	....	1000
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1943	Brick	600	50	7	33	65000	5000	70000	....	43000
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer	Yes	1936	Wood	200	1	...	...	1800	.....	1800	....	.....
Miller Hill	I. J. Keaton, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1935	Wood	200	7	1	6	2000	2000	4000	647	2800
Mount Zion	D. E. Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	1	8	7000	1500	8500	341	3000

Mountain Grove....	J. L. Smith, Rt. 2, Granite Falls.....	Yes	1936	Brick	300	7	1	6	4000	.....	4000	....	2000
Mulberry.....	H. I. Green, Rt. 7, Lenoir.....	Yes	1853	Wood	200	1	...	1	500	.....	500	656	1500
Mulvale.....	Walter Estes, Rt. 4, Lenoir.....	Yes	1941	Rock	200	1	...	...	4736	.....	4736	....	.....
Nelson's Chapel....	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir.....	Yes	1906	Wood	300	5	4	4	2000	.....	2000	....	.....
Oak Grove.....	Ruby Myers, Granite Falls.....	Yes	1900	Wood	150	1	...	...	500	.....	500	....	300
Piney Grove.....	Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir...	Yes	1941	Wood	400	3	3	4	5000	.....	5000	....	4000
Pisgah.....	Colleen Gentry, Lenoir.....	Yes	1877	Wood	300	1	...	6	1800	.....	1800	....	1500
Poovey's Chapel....	G. S. Hartley, Hudson.....	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	....	.....
Poovey's Grove....	Miss Pearl Keller, Granite Falls.....	Yes	1938	Brick	300	12	1	10	5650	.....	6300	....	4000
Rhodhiss.....	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss.....	Yes	1903	Brick	400	14	2	14	9000	.....	9000	....	.....
Rocky Springs.....	C. F. Annas, Collettsville.....	Yes	1906	Wood	200	5	...	4	2500	.....	2500	....	.....
Rufus.....	J. A. Laxton, Rt. 7, Lenoir.....	Yes	1940	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	....	.....
Sardis.....	C. A. Keller, Hudson.....	Yes	1925	Wood	325	7	...	6	5000	2500	7500	....	4000
South Lenoir.....	H. W. Chester, Lenoir.....	Yes	'23-'25	B-W	600	52	8	44	40000	.....	40000	....	25000
Union.....	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir.....	Yes	1943	Stone	400	9	...	8	10000	.....	10000	....	5000
Union Grove.....	O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir.....	Yes	1939	Brick	400	10	...	10	4800	.....	4800	....	2000
Whitnel.....	Miss Valeria Jenkins, Whitnel.....	Yes	1925	Brick	400	18	...	18	10000	.....	10200	....	8000
Winkler's Grove....	A. J. Hildebarand, Rt. 4, Hickory.....	Yes	1943	Wood	150	1	...	...	1500	.....	1500	....	1000
Yadkin.....	D. D. Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir.....	Yes	1902	Brick	400	8	1	7	6500	.....	6500	....	2000
Yadkin Valley.....	C. S. Ford, Rt. 5, Lenoir.....	Yes	1935	Wood	150	3	...	2	1500	.....	1500	....	.....
West Lenoir.....	Mrs. Annie Smiley, Lenoir.....	Yes	1944	Wood	200	1	...	...	1300	.....	1300	500	1000
TOTALS.....	....	...	....	.....	15645	424	61	375	453061	19500	483611	3032	249000

TABLE SEVEN — GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK

CHURCHES	Pastor's Salary Paid This Year	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs Spent This Year	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Church Use, Sun. School, Etc.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing Minutes and Clerk of Assn.	Other Objects	Total for Local Purposes given by Church and All Organizations	Pledged to Co-operative Program	Pledged to Associational Missions	Number of Tithers	Mem. Sub. to Ch Bud.	Ev.-Mem. Can. B'get?	Value Food and Clothing Given Orphanage	Ch. Enr. in Min. Ret.?
Bethany	1034.00		17.00				9.00		4.00		164.00							
Blair's Fork	1816.34	19.38		42.50	35.57	93.15	41.61		5.75	204.69	2059.49							
Buffalo Cove	120.00					12.00	24.00		2.00		158.00							
Cedar Rock	125.43		88.95	95.50			31.59	8.58	3.00	31.22	384.27							
Center Grove	988.82		35.00	108.54		235.18	82.98	45.00		5.00	1500.52							
Central	1300.00			64.74	276.00	188.17	105.06		4.50	562.39	2501.46							
Clark's Chapel	378.40			28.49		56.00	77.35	13.25	3.00	99.41	655.90							
Concord	1820.00		117.00	345.25		376.86	255.81	5.42	10.00	150.40	3080.56			30				*
Conway's Chapel	270.75				76.41	30.00	27.00		2.00	37.65	443.84							
Dudley Shoals	530.00		28.00	12.26		147.70	84.18	22.09	4.50	18.85	847.58							
Edgemont																		
Fleming's Chapel	184.00			128.25		61.50	38.00		4.80	146.50	583.05							
Globe	189.45					13.00	56.17			14.85	273.47							
Grandin	294 67			15.00		39.72	33.36	50.00	2.50	15.00	400.25	65.00		12				
Grand View Park	506.15	10.00	33.86	66.30		113.20	64.24	15.00	3.00	45.40	855.21							
Granite Falls	2600.00			520.64		433.85	390.62		10.00	143.71	4098.82							
Green Rock	96.00										96.00							
Green Valley	65.39					11.00	13.17		.50	55.00	145.06							
Harris Chapel	757 00		80.00			76.84	70.00	7.77	4.00	54.35	1049.96	250.00	32.00				35.00	
Hartland	873.00	10.00				81.60	25.49	67.66	4.55	65.75	1123.50							
John's River	190.00	7.00				25.00	15.50	3.00	3.50		244.00							
King's Creek	874.10			1304.70		82.38	180.41		7.00	488.51	2937.10		36.00				16.00	
Lenoir First	4000.00	1597.50	326.00	1545.55	3300.00	3291.74	741.82	782.93	15.00	536.08	16136.62	6000.00	120.00		572	*	30.00	*
Long Ford	639.10	7.00	21.55	235.69	20.00	111.08	58.50		3.50	88.11	1184.53							
Lovelady	184.35	62.39		150.00		10.00	25.00				429.74						10.00	
Lower Creek	2400.00		75.00	157.09	32640.00	716.28	294.49		10.00	1138.28	36790.70		90.00					*
Maple Grove	180.74		15.24			11.35	11.19		1.50		220.02							
Miller Hill	580.00		38.00	50.00	323.44	112.98	42.34				1146.76	60.00		7				
Mount Zion	1334.42		60.00	575.33	274.08	157.05	203.38	121.40	10.00	172.14	2883.80	150.00	24.00					

Mountain Grove	810.00	32.00	175.34	89.10	.....	87.16	167.98	14.32	2.60	25.00	1403.50	144.00	.....	9	....	...	.....	...
Mulberry	81.50	95.53	35.00	16.16	.....	.....	16.48	.....	.....	.....	242.67	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Mulvale	120.00	17.91	.....	73.13	387.41	47.97	35.28	.....	2.00	38.19	722.39	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Nelson's Chapel	378.18	30.67	.....	27.00	.....	45.60	45.85	.....	5.00	61.00	593.30	.....	24.00	...	....	...	.....	...
Oak Grove	216.99	12.00	66.95	252.74	.....	47.36	34.14	.....	.....	35.27	665.45	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Piney Grove	206.90	22.78	.....	105.29	.....	85.30	57.63	15.64	3.25	18.25	515.04	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Pisgah	400.00	.....	130.88	173.96	.....	150.00	27.00	200.00	1.75	10.50	1094.09	.....	.....	5	....	...	.....	...
Poovey's Chapel	321.61	.....	.....	.....	.....	47.93	42.69	.....	2.10	66.83	481.16	.....	12.00	...	....	...	.....	...
Poovey's Grove	593.83	.....	65.50	690.34	.....	94.14	123.95	.....	3.00	239.53	1810.29	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Rhodhiss	2369.40	.....	125.00	.....	.....	408.80	126.85	95.85	8.00	340.00	3473.90	.....	.....	12	....	*	.....	...
Rocky Springs	164.00	15.00	.....	1039.96	.....	81.60	38.77	22.65	.....	34.27	1396.25	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Rufus	106.07	38.75	39.00	.....	.....	63.57	24.30	.....	4.00	15.00	290.69	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Sardis	1189.00	.....	.....	.....	100.00	340.09	187.92	152.12	7.00	324.95	2301.08	.....	36.00	20	....	...	.....	...
South Lenoir	2165.00	1231.64	348.00	1081.30	.....	1563.71	482.32	350.00	10.00	513.93	7781.90	1500.00	48 00	126	450	*	50.00	*
Union	909.21	.....	.....	948.50	585 39	116.18	65.00	.....	5.00	60.60	2689.88	.....	.....	15	....	...	.....	...
Union Grove	741.00	.....	64.00	.....	.....	50.00	57.00	75.00	6.00	87.00	1080.00	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...
Whitnel	1330.00	138.50	78.00	174.27	.....	240.01	151.97	.....	6.50	392.72	2520.07	700.00	.....	17	....	...	.....	*
Winkler's Grove	755.47	.....	109.94	50.00	.....	240.45	24.07	143.97	6.25	418.65	1747.90	.....	24.00	...	....	...	.....	...
Yadkin	557.73	24.00	173.51	.....	.....	158.56	127.20	.....	6.00	.....	1047.10	.....	3.00	7	....	...	45.00	...
Yadkin Valley	148.32	48.13	.....	18.00	.....	18.00	9.78	.....	1.00	.....	243.23	.....	.....	...	....	...	8.25	...
West Lenoir	144.97	34.00	80.69	.....	.....	35.00	176.07	.....	.....	.....	469.83	.....	.....	2	....	...	.....	...
TOTALS	38040.92	3454.68	2463.41	8389.98	38018.33	10402.12	5023.61	2210.75	198.05	6755.08	114963.93	8869.00	449.00	262	1022	...	194.25	...

Treasurers' names and addresses will be found in Table Eight.

TABLE EIGHT — GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total to Co-operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Ministers' Retirement Fund	Red Cross and Foreign Relief	Other Objects	Total Given for Missions and Benevolences by Church and All Its Departments	Grand Total, All Purposes, Given by the Church and Its Orgs.
Bethany	Dillard Green, Rt. 8, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17.47	.....	.....	.....	17.47	181.47
Blair's Fork	R. M. Isaacs, Rt. 4, Lenoir	.....	.....	56.25	49.00	.....	.....	100.00	81.40	.....	.....	.....	286.65	2346.14
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.65	.....	.....	.....	13.65	170.65
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Hollar, R.1, Lenoir	.....	12.00	12.00	14.23	.....	.....	6.25	10.00	.....	.....	75.60	130 08	514.35
Center Grove	D. W. Fox, Rt. 1, Hudson	.....	.....	18.81	24.00	21.93	.....	131.80	18 59	.....	75.00	33.00	333.13	1833.65
Central	R. O. Campbell, Rt. 3, Lenoir	43.05	12 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.00	10.32	.....	.....	.....	77.37	2578.83
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. George Craig, Rt. 3, Lenoir	.....	6.00	.....	.....	7.50	.....	22.00	15.00	12.00	.....	.....	62.50	718.40
Concord	R. C. Icenhour, Granite Falls	264.23	49.00	.....	.....	8.21	.....	113.60	21.50	30.00	.....	12.00	498.54	3569.10
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	443.84
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls	7.50	.....	.....	.....	20.00	.....	115.54	15.00	.....	.....	26.85	184.89	1032.47
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fleming's Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 4, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	20.00	593.05
Globe	Charles Woodruff, Globe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.00	.....	.....	.....	31.00	304.47
Grandin	Miss Ida Green, Rt. 1, Lenoir	48.95	18.00	.....	9.00	15.00	.....	29.02	13 00	.....	10.00	5.00	148.97	548.72
Grand View Park	Mrs. Poovey Watson, Lenoir	.....	12.00	5.10	.....	3.20	.....	55.00	8.50	.....	3.20	.....	87.00	939.21
Granite Falls	C. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	480.00	126.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	145.02	48.00	.....	.....	.....	799.02	4897.84
Green Rock	James Matney, Blowing Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	98.50
Green Valley	J. B. Hayes, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00	.....	.....	.....	16.00	161.06
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Lenoir	72.00	32 00	4.00	4.00	4.00	.....	72.78	35.00	.....	.....	.....	223.78	1273 74
Hartland	Floyd Green, Rt. 4, Lenoir	50.00	.....	.....	6.00	12.56	.....	50.00	75.00	.....	.....	3.50	197.06	1320.56
John's River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.00	.....	.....	.....	14.00	258.00
King's Creek	H. M. Beach, Rt. 1, Lenoir	18.49	36.00	50.00	40.00	70.56	.....	231.76	85.00	.....	5.00	88.46	625.27	3562.37
Lenoir First	Will Watson, Lenoir	3831.34	214.88	171.82	46.83	216.49	205.00	609 00	655.50	173.33	1.00	1300.75	7525.94	23662.56
Long Ford	C. H. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir	48.00	.....	6.00	45.00	.....	25.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	144.00	1328.53
Lovelady	Bernice Burns, Granite Falls	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	429.74
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Lenoir	1301.49	86.00	52.60	19 89	62.60	.....	393.94	155.65	.....	13.36	76.40	2161 93	38952.63
Maple Grove	J. V. Beane, Mortimer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29.20	.....	.....	.....	29.20	248.97
Miller Hill	Charles Triplett, Rt. 6, Lenoir	60.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	117.00	1263.76
Mount Zion	A. J. Barker, Rt. 1, Hudson	.....	29.55	19.11	.....	25.00	.....	94.00	44.14	.....	.....	23.85	230.65	3073.61

Mountain Grove....	Midas Bolick, Granite Falls.....	104.76	.....	3.00	131.67	35.00	.....	62.37	97.75	22.52	.....	.....	457.06	1860.56
Mulberry.....	H. I. Green, Rt. 7, Lenoir.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.50	24.00	.....	.....	.....	34.50	277.17
Mulvale.....	Mrs. Maude Moore, Rt. 4, Lenoir.	50.00	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	38 00	30.00	4.40	.....	9.00	137.40	859.79
Nelson's Chapel....	E. L. Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir.....	.....	18.00	6.55	11.00	.....	.....	38.66	40.50	.....	25.00	2.00	141 71	735.01
Oak Grove.....	J. S. Reichards, Granite Falls....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00	41.10	.....	.....	10.20	67.30	732.75
Piney Grove.....	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir	.....	12.00	.....	34 70	.....	.....	41.93	15.00	.....	40.50	20.00	164.13	679.17
Pisgah.....	Mrs. Fred Crisp, Lenoir.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.54	.....	10.00	.....	47.54	1141.63
Poovey's Chapel....	Aron Hartley, Hudson.....	.....	12.00	18.95	9.00	9.46	.....	151.55	27.18	.....	.....	.....	228.14	709.30
Poovey's Grove....	Howard J. Starnes, R.2, Gran. F..	5.00	23.00	46.00	30.00	50.00	.....	50.00	23.00	20.00	10.00	25.00	282.00	2092.29
Rhodhiss.....	W. F. Barker, Granite Falls.....	520.00	.....	6.80	.....	.....	.....	144.15	19.85	.....	50.00	.....	740.80	4214.70
Rocky Springs.....	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville...	.....	18.00	12.00	10.00	5.00	.....	15 55	20.50	.....	.....	.....	81 05	1477.30
Rufus.....	J. A. Laxton, Rt. 7, Lenoir.....	.....	5 00	15.00	5.00	10.00	.....	59.50	42.33	.....	.....	.....	136.83	427.52
Sardis.....	* Cade Shaver, Hudson.....	400.00	36.00	.....	58.86	.....	.....	175.65	71.58	.....	.....	.....	742.09	3043.17
South Lenoir.....	H. W. Chester, Lenoir.....	1200.00	47.00	45.37	35.00	50.00	.....	283.68	68.17	98.68	.....	186.00	2013.90	9795.80
Union.....	Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir.....	.....	46.00	.....	6.00	.....	.....	101.91	50.00	.....	.....	41.90	245.81	2935.69
Union Grove.....	F. E. Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22.00	28.00	.....	.....	75.00	125.00	1205.00
Whitnel.....	Ivey W. Craig, Whitnel.....	281.73	60.00	3.19	3.19	3.19	.....	135.00	72.00	106.40	6.60	30.00	701.76	3221.73
Winkler's Grove....	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 4, Hickory.	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	65.28	53.55	.....	.....	.....	130 83	1878.73
Yadkin.....	C. E. Griffin, Rt. 5, Lenoir.....	.....	3 00	50.00	86.43	.....	.....	117.13	49.75	.....	8.35	.....	314.66	1361.76
Yadkin Valley.....	G. M. Sutton, Rt. 5, Lenoir.....	.....	1.00	5.50	.....	.....	.....	6 00	5.50	.....	.....	.....	16.00	259.23
West Lenoir.....	Collis Crisp, Lenoir.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	20.00	489.83
TOTALS.....	....	8786.54	926.43	614.05	678.80	629.70	230.00	3816.07	2250.22	467.33	258.01	2044.51	20582.33	135616.48

* C. A. Keller, Hudson, is Mission Tre asurer for Sardis

Lenoir First gave $100.00 to Theologic al Seminaries.

HISTORICAL TABLE OF CALDWELL BAPTIST ASS'N.

Time and Place of Meeting of Caldwell Association from Its Organization, with Names of Moderator, Clerk and Preacher

	Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis.....	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st.....	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals.....	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls.....	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel...	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove.....	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel...	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park...	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls.....	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin.....	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	R. F. Mayberry
1943	Mount Zion.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	Philip D. Fletcher
1944	King's Creek.....	Zeb Caudle...	R. C. Powell...	S. M. Stroupe

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H. S. Benfield, Lenoir ---------- 1947
O. R. Mangum, Lenoir ---------- 1948
S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls ---------- 1949
W. F. Woodall, Lenoir ---------- 1950

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E. W. Smith, Lenoir ---------- Three Years
W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls---------- One Year
C. T. Smith, Hudson ---------- Two Years

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L. B. Bean _____ Rt. 4, Lenoir
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H. G. Bryant _____ Whitnel
Clinard Brooks _____ Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Zeb A. Caudle _____ Rt. 9, Lenoir
R. C. Cook _____ Rt. 8, Lenoir
J. H. Crisp _____ Rt. 3, Lenoir
Philip D. Fletcher _____ Granite Falls
J. W. Fox _____ Rt. 3, Lenoir
J. W. Greer _____ Granite Falls
Horace Harris _____ Lenoir
Paul Hester _____ Granite Falls
E. C. Hodges _____ Hendrix
J. R. Holland _____ Longview
W. O. Johnson _____ Rt. 2, Taylorsville
A. F. Knight _____ Rt. 1, Shulls Mill
Hart Knight _____ Rt. 5, Lenoir
O. R. Mangum _____ Lenoir
James Matney _____ Blowing Rock
Grant R. Miller _____ Rt. 1, Lenoir
R. B. Miller _____ Hudson
Grady Minton _____ Rt. 9, Lenoir
W. R. Moss _____ Rt. 3, Lenoir
T. E. Payne _____ Box 15, Hudson
Geter Poarch _____ Rhodhiss
J. W. Ramsey _____ Valdese
Fred C. Roberts _____ Granite Falls
J. S. Silvers _____ Rt. 4, Lenoir
Henery Smith _____ Stony Fork
S. M. Stroupe _____ Granite Falls
E. R. Teague _____ Hudson

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L. R. Woods ---------- Rt. 7, Lenoir
C. J. Younce ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
L. N. Puett ---------- Lenoir

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Miller, R. B. ---------- Hudson
Poarch, Geter ---------- Rhodhiss
Puett, L. N. ---------- Lenoir
Ramsey, J. W. ---------- Valdese
Roberts, Fred C. ---------- Granite Falls
Teague, E. R. ---------- Hudson
Woodall, W. F. ---------- Lenoir
Woods, L. R. ---------- Rt. 7, Lenoir

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Bolick, W. P. ---------- Rt. 3, Lenoir
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Blackburn, M. D. ---------- Rt. 8, Lenoir
Bumgarner, Alpha ---------- Granite Falls
Cook, C. F. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson
Coffey, G. G. ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton
Crump, Gorden ---------- Hickory
Dellinger, O. C. ---------- Lenoir
Driver, J. E. ---------- Lenoir
Elrod, J. M. ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Laws, J. T. ---------- Rt. 7, Lenoir
Lee, D. S. ---------- Rt. 8, Lenoir
McMillan, E. F. ---------- Lenoir
Messer, Homer ---------- Valdese
Miller, O. L. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson
Nelson, J. H. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Paige, Roy ---------- Hickory
Philyaw, Roy ---------- Globe
Prestwood, R. L. ---------- Rt. 1, Hudson

Penley, E. G. ---------- Globe
Pennell, Howard ---------- Lenoir
Reynolds, J. A. ---------- Hickory
Secrest, David ---------- Lenoir
Shaver, J. M. ---------- Granite Falls
Shoemaker, T. P. ---------- Lenoir
Walker, Ira ---------- Lenoir
Watson, Thomas J. ---------- Rt. 5, Lenoir
Wilson, Paul ---------- Rt. 3, Morganton

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Keller, W. E. ---------- Hickory
Laws, J. T. ---------- Rt. 7, Lenoir
Poarch, Bain ---------- Rhodhiss

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Marrow, Paul ---------- Rt. 9, Lenoir
Tuttle, Clifton ---------- Lenoir

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MOUNTAIN GROVE—C. B. Bollinger, W. M. Smith, J. L. Greene, J. E. McLeod, Fred Melton

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OAK GROVE—Marvin Bolick, J. W. Myers, Joe Richards, Clarence Richards, Thomas Dula, George Helton

PINEY GROVE—W. G. Sullivan, Clifford Frye, Mrs. C. F. Winkler, Mrs. Z. M. Greene, Mrs. Tom Holder, Mrs. J. R. Wike

POOVEYS CHAPEL—J. J. Fox, J. E. Haas, R. T. Hartley, Everett Austin

POOVEYS GROVE—Ray Starnes, E. W. Starnes, Mrs. H. J. Starnes, Mrs. Harry Keller

RHODHISS—L. A. Elmore, J. G. Benfield, Mrs. J. G. Benfield, T. L. Benfield, Mrs. Aston Peller, Mrs. Jeta Baker

ROCKY SPRINGS—M. C. Estes, Glenn Penley, L. L. Nickols, C. L. Rader, Mrs. Ray Boger, Miss Lois Tolbert, Mrs. M. C. Estes

RUFUS—J. A. Bradshaw, W. B. Greene, J. A. Laxton, Mrs. Ruby Braswell, Mrs. J. A. Laxton, Mrs. J. A. Bradshaw

SARDIS—C. T. Smith, W. F. Sullivan, Mrs. C. A. Keller

SOUTH LENOIR—Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Chester, Miss Sara Posey, Mrs. J. E. Driver, Mrs. Walter Winkler, Mrs. Russell Safford, Miss Billie Winkler, Clyde Goble

UNION—Spencer Phillips, Ralph McRary, Jones McLeod, Will Reid, Amos Kirby, Mrs. Spencer Phillips, Mrs. Ralph McRary, Mrs. Jones McLeod, Mrs. Will Reid, Mrs. Amos Kirby

UNION GROVE—T. Lee Sullivan, R. L. Bean, O. L. Gibson, Paul Moss, Will Bolick, W. H. Hice, Homer Messer

WHITNEL—Mrs. Johnnie Griffin, Miss Valeria Jenkins, Mrs. W. D. Goble, Miss Beulah Harris, Mrs. B. D. Setzer, R. W. Green, W. D. Goble, Mrs. Crowder

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YADKIN—C. A. Coffey, J. L. Miller, Lawrence Hamby, D. R. Collins, N. J. Bentley, Amos Greene, Mrs. C. A. Coffey, Mrs. Amos Greene, Mrs. L. M. Greene, Mrs. D. R. Collina

YADKIN VALLEY—Mrs. Paul Steele, Mildred Steele, Ben Sutton

WEST LENOIR—Robert Smiley, Mrs. Omie Storie, Mrs. Florence Martin

TEMPLE MISSIONARY—H. E. Colvard, Mrs. H. E. Colvard, R. R. Holsclaw, C. L. Gilbert, Mrs. N. E. Johnson

ABSTRACT PRINCIPLES, CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the churches — each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association. and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the Association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moderator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or grievances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Association requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, nor any of her Churches and

members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This Association shall in all matters except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other case he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local churches or to insist that the candidate for ordinance be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry. And to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines. And believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denominational recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

(1). That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

(2). If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denom-

ination he should be ordained only on the advice and concurrence of other churches.

(3). This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the Association.

(4). That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

(5). That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advice of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misuunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved:

I. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association desiring to constitute themselves into a Baptist Church, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

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ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MEETING WITH PINEY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

September 20 and 21, 1945

First Day, Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer _____H. S. Benfield
10:10—Organization, Recognition of Visitors and Announcements
10:25—Sunday School _____ Miss Elizabeth Campbell
10:50—Baptist Training Union _____ Miss Pearl Keller
11:15—Miscellaneous and Announcements
11:25—Annual Sermon _____ J. H. Crisp
12:00—Lunch

First Day, Afternoon Session

1:15—Praise and Prayer _____ Fred C. Roberts
1:25—Report of Associational Worker Miss Elizabeth Campbell
1:35—Report of Associational Mission Treasurer _ R. L. Palmer
1:40—Assocational Missions Subscriptions
2:05—Allied Church League _____ C. M. Abernethy
2:35—Orphanage _____ G. G. Steele
3:00—Co-operative Program—State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement _____ W. F. Woodall
4:00—Mscellaneous Announcements and Adjournment

Second Day, Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer _____ T. E. Payne
10:10—Reading of Minutes and Miscellaneous
10:20—American Bible Society _____ Philip D. Fletcher
10:30—Woman's Work _____ Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:55—Biblical Recorder _____ S. M. Stroupe
11:15—Election of Officers
11:25—Reviewing the Work of Last Year _____ Moderator
12:00—Lunch

Second Day, Afternoon Session

1:00—Praise and Prayer ---------- Jeter Baker
1:10—Report of Committees:
1. Executive ---------- Carter Powell
2. Treasurer ---------- Carter Powell
3. Trustees of Associational Property—C. M. Abernethy
4. Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers
Grant R. Miller
5. Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund ---- Miss Sara Posey
6. Historian ---------- J. R. Swanson
7. Time, Place and Preacher
Miscellaneous Business

1:30—Memorials ---------- W. R. Moss
1:40—Centennial Objectives ---------- H. G. Bryant
2:00—Thanksgiving for Peace ---------- O. R. Mangum

Committee:
Zeb A. Caudle, Moderator,
O. R. Mangum,
Miss Elizabeth Campbell,
Carter Powell, Clerk.

Proceedings

1. At 10:00 o'clock on Thursday morning, September 20th, 1945, the Caldwell Baptist Association convened inthe sixty-first Annual Session with Piney Grove Baptist Church.

2. Following the opening hymn, "Crown Him Lord Of All," H. S. Benfield conducted a short devotional using as his text, Luke 16:9 and Acts 2:12.

3. The moderator declared ths session of the Caldwell Association now open for business and asked that a vice-moderator be elected for this session.

4. Upon motion duly made and seconded, C. M. Abernethy was elected vice-moderator for this session.

5. The following committees were appointed by the Moderator to report this year:

Committee for Petitionary Letters: O. R. Mangum, H. S. Benfield, Grant R. Miller.

Enrollment Committee: C. A. Bowman, A. G. Beach, Paul Wilson.

Committee on Comimttees: S. M. Stroupe, Paul Hester, C. T. Smith.

Resolutions Committee: P. D. Fletcher, Fred C. Roberts, W. F. Woodall.

Nominating Committee: B. F. Williams, J. M. Laxton, W. R. Moss.

Time, Place and Preacher: Horace Chester, Ted Hawkins, Miss Pearl Keller.

6. The following new pastors in the association were recognized: W. F. Woodall, South Lenoir; Fred C. Roberts, Concord; Jeta Baker, Rhodhiss; J. W. Ramsey, Clarks Chapel; E. R. Teague, Center Grove; E. C. Hodges, Piney Grove.

7. The following visitors were recognized: R. M. Hauss, Educational Director, Allied Church League; M. A. Kendall, Mars Hill College; J. A. McMillan, Baptist Orphanage; Paul Moss, armed service, and Clifton Moss, armed service, and for-

merly a ministerial student; also Miss Ruth Compton, Goodwill Center, Richmond, Va.

8. The order of business was presented for adoption and motion was made to adopt it subject to any changes that might be found necessary.

9. Report on Sunday School work was made by Miss Elizabeth Campbell. Motion was made that report be adopted and time for further discussion of the report was given Miss Campbell. Report was adopted.

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Elizabeth Campbell, *Supt.*

As we think of our Associational Sunday School Work, Mr. J. P. Edmunds, who promotes Associational S. S. Work with our S. S. Board, says: (1) Our task is a task of making the Gospel of the Lord Jesus available to the multitudes. (2) Our task is a task of building great churches that will reflect honor on the name of Christ. (3) Our task is a task of sharing with every church the formula for building a great S. S. (4) Our task is a task of matching our faith and our efforts with the promise of God. If this is our task the question comes to us, what have we done about it?

During the past year some special emphasis has been placed on our Sunday School work and yet we have less than one-half of our churches having had a Training Course, and about one-half of our churches having a Vacation Bible School. Those having a V. B. S. were as follows: Concord, Dudley Shoals, Globe, Grandin, Granite Falls First, Harris Chapel, Hartland, Lovelady, Sardis, Johns River, Kings Creek, Lower Creek, Mt. Zion, Mulvale, Nelsons Chapel, South Lenoir, Mountain Grove, Yadkin, Union, Long Ford, Poovey's Grove, Rhodhiss, Lenoir First, and one Mission V. B. S., the Granite Falls Colored Church. This Bible School was sponsored by the Granite Falls First Church.

On January 21st an Associational S. S. Meeting was held at the Lenoir First Church with 14 churches represented and 106 people present. Mr. L. L. Morgan, State S. S. Sec., was the principal speaker. January 22-26 a S. S. Clinic was held at the Lenoir First Church. Lower Creek, South Lenoir and Lenoir First planned for this week, but all the churches in the Association were asked to participate. We had with us Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder; Mrs. C. E. Baucom, Wilson, N. C.; Mrs. John Webb, Birmingham, Ala.; Mrs. C. D. Bain, Dunn, N. C.; Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Albemarle, and Mrs. L. R. O'Brian, Oxford, N. C.

On March 6th an Associational S. S. Meeting was held at the South Lenoir Church with 13 churches represented and 145 people present. Rev. Herbert Baucom, pastor of the Western Ave. Church, Statesville, was the principal speaker and special conferences were held for the department work of our S. S. during the evening.

June 16-23rd a S. S. Enlargement Campaign was held in 18 churches of the Association. Those participating were Johns River, Globe, Hartland, Piney Grove, Long Ford, Kings Creek, Lovelady, Granite Falls, Mt. Grove, Concord, Pooveys Grove, Dudley Shoals, Oak Grove, Winklers Grove, Cedar Rock, Center Grove, Mulvale, Clarks Chapel. Mr. L. L. Morgan, our State S. S. Secretary, directed this work with Mrs. Myra Motley an Associate in the S. S. work, and Mr. Philip Harris, head of the Young People's Work at the S. S. Board, Nashville, Tenn., and some 20 young people who have dedicated their lives to special religious work. This proved to be a very helpful week together.

Mrs. Philip Fletcher, Miss Sara Posey, and myself had the privilege of attending a Southwide S. S. Clinic in Nashville, Tenn., the last two weeks in August. We feel that this was a great meeting as we think of the work of promotion.

We have failed in many ways, but we feel that we can look for great things ahead in our S. S. work as we work together, plan together, and pray together. There should be a fellowship, partnership and comradeship among our churches.

Jesus said: "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." (Acts 1:8).

10. The report on Baptist Training Union Work was made by Miss Pearl Keller. Motion was made that report be adopted. A further discussion of the report was made by Miss Keller and followed by adoption of the report.

REPORT ON BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

For a number of years about 15 to 20 churches of the Caldwell Association have had the Baptist Training Union.

During the last three years the enrollment of Young People's Unions has decreased alarmingly. There have been discouragements through these days but we are truly grateful for the faithful, for those who have continued to train and help to train during the trying times. Splendid reports have come from some of the churches. Some have done better than formerly.

We feel that the Training Union suffered a loss this summer be-

cause of no Ridgecrest. The contacts and mountain-top experiences one has there were needed this year.

Transportation has been our excuse for so few Associational meetings. Plans are being made for more of these meetings.

With this transportation handicap being removed and many returning to their home churches, may there be a revival of training in the kingdom work that will reach across the Association from Winklers Grove to Globe.

Pearl Keller

11. At this time the order of business was changed so as to permit C. M. Abernethy, of the Board of Trustees of Associational property to report on the Ridgecrest property. It was also recommended by the trustees that the outstanding note of $200.00 be paid at this time.

Motion was made and adopted that the financial report of the trustees be accepted and adoption of the motion followed.

Motion was then made and adopted that funds be raised by individual subscription to pay off the note. Opportunity was given for individual subscriptions and $185.25 was subscribed.

REPORT ON RIDGECREST PROPERTY

Due to war time restrictions on travel, Ridgecrest Assembly did not operate this summer. So our cabin was not used, and therefore, no revenue was derived from it. The balance on note of $200.00 outstanding last year has not been further reduced.

Since it will be almost a year before the note could be further reduced through revenue derived from the use of the cabin, it is the recommendation of your Trustees that the Association raise the money and pay off the note immediately.

The complete financial report being as follows:

Balance in Bank of Lenoir, September 13, 1944		$ 67.38
RECEIPTS		
Fees from Ridgecrest property turned in by Mrs. C. A. Bowman	$ 7.25	
Total Receipts		74.63
DISBURSEMENTS		
December 16, 1944: Allen & Bernard, Insurance on property	36.10	
March 10, 1945: Bank of Lenoir, interest on note	4.00	
March 10, 1945: Carolina Power & Light Co		

(Light Bill)	5.34	
September 15, 1945: Bank of Lenoir, interest on note	4.00	
Total Disbursements	$49.44	49.44
Balance in Bank of Lenoir September 15, 1945		$ 25.19
Note with Bank of Lenoir due March 8, 1946		200.00
Total Indebtedness		$174.81

Trustees,
C. M. Abernethy, *Chairman*
C. T. Smith, *Secretary*
W. F. Kerley.

September 21, 1945

12. Following a song, the annual sermon was preached by J. H. Crisp, using as his text Daniel 2:31:44 and Hebrews 12:28-29.

13. The afternoon session opened with a short devotional conducted by Fred C. Roberts, pastor of Concord Church, taking his text from the 37th Psalm.

14. Other visitors recognized at this time were W. R. Grigg, Baptist Hospital, and E. L. Spivey, State Mission Board.

15. A report from the Committee on Petitionary Letters was made by O. R. Mangum, which recommended that Temple Missionary Baptist Church be received into the Association. Motion was made to accept the recommendaton of the committee and upon being duly seconded, was adopted. The pastor and delegates were then introduced to the Association.

16. Report of the Associational Worker was presented by Miss Elizabeth Campbell. Motion was made that the report be accepted and following a discussion by Miss Campbell it was adopted.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

SEPTEMBER 1944-AUGUST 1945

CHURCHES VISITED: South Lenoir, Granite Falls First, Whitnel-Central, Pooveys Grove, Dudley Shoals, Kings Creek, Hartland, Concord, Lower Creek, Whitnel First, Long Ford, Sardis, Lenoir First, Nelson's Chapel, Grandin, Grand View Park, Harris Chapel, Johns River, Cedar Rock, Yadkin, Rhodhiss.

STUDY COURSES: Sunday School 7; 18 were conducted during the S. S. Enlargement Campaign June 16-23rd, and some of the other churches have had others. Training Union 10; Sunday Services conducted in the churches 10; Special Talks 6; Mission Study Classes 14.

ORGANIZED: 1 W. M. S.; Conducted 1 All Church Social and helped in several other fellowship programs. Vacation Bible Schools 7, but in all 24 V. B. S. were held.

ATTENDED: Pastor's Conferences 8; W. M. U. Division Meeting in North Wilkesboro; Baptist State Convention—Charlotte; W. M. U. Division Meeting—Elkin; State S. S. Meeting—Hickory; South Fork Pastors' Conference 1 day—Newton; Southwide S. S. Clinic—Nashville, Tenn.—2 weeks.

SPECIAL MEETINGS HELD AND HELPED IN: 2 Sunday School Associational Meetings; Sunday School Better Bible Teaching Clinic; Sunday School Enlargement Campaign; W. M. U. Associational Officers Meeting; Associational G. A. and R. A. All Day Meetings; Associational Y. W. A. Banquet; Associational W. M. U. Meetings 2; Regular District Associational Meeting.

WORK IN OTHER ASSOCIATIONS: Union Chapel—Raleigh—Central Assoc.; West Side Church—Robeson Assoc.; Brown Memorial Church—South Fork Assoc.; Southside Church—Roanoke Association.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Homes Visited 151; Miles Traveled, approximately 4148; Letters Sent Out ,approximately 1,000. Conversions in V. B. S. worked in 20.

I want to take this opportunity to thank those who were so good to me while in the hospital, and to thank the Association for bearing with me the 6 weeks I was out of work.

It has been a happy privilege working with you during the past year, but a sad one, too, when I realize that there have been so many churches that I have not been able to reach. I want to be of service to every church—won't you call on me, use me and pray for me, for it is only in this way that I can be of service to you.

Yours in His service,
Elizabeth Campbell,
Associational Missionary.

17. Report of Associational Mission Treasurer was made by R. L. Palmer. The report was accepted.

Motion was made that for the coming year Miss Campbell be paid a salary of $1600.00, beginning September 1st, and $200.00 travel expense. $600.00 of this is contributed by the State Mission Board, leaving $1200.00 to be paid by the Associa-

tion. Subscriptions were made for the coming year and totaled $1292.00, with fifteen churches yet to report.

CALDWELL BAPTISTS MISSION FUND

Balance Union National Bank Sept. 21, 1944	$ 244.30	
Received from twenty-seven churches	1,074.00	
Received from State Convention	575.00	$1,893.30
PAID OUT		
Miss Elizabeth Campbell (net salary)	$1,376.80	
Miss Campbell (travel expense)	91.66	
Collector Internal Revenue	90.60	1,559.06
Balance in Bank Sept. 19, 1945		224.24

R. L. Palmer, *Treasurer.*

18. Report of Allied Church League was made by C. M. Abernethy. Motion to adopt the report was made and R. M. Hauss, educational director of the Allied Church League, was introduced and spoke on the work and aims of the League. Further remarks were made by O. R. Mangum regarding local conditions. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF THE ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

Representatives of the various Churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association met at the First Baptist Church in Lenoir with the officers of the organization known as the Caldwell Temperance League. After hearing an inspirational address by the representative, Rev. R. M. Hauss, of the State Allied Church League, the representatives present voted unanimously to become actively affiliated with the state organization since the Baptist Denomination is contributing financially to this state organization.

It was further recommended by the representatives present that the various churches throughout the Association should be subscribers to the paper published by the Allied Church League known as "TOMORROW".

The Allied Church League of Caldwell County has been completely organized and has an executive committee composed of representatives from every section of Caldwell County working with the officers.

I therefore recommend that this Association go on record as being in full accord with the state organization and its work, and that the Association as a whole and the individual churches of the Association cooperate in every way possible with the officers and

executive committee in their work throughout the county. I furthermore recommend that steps be taken whereby every Church in teh Association will be organized so that members of each Church will be subscribers to this valuable publication published by the Allied Church League known as "TOMORROW".

Respectfully submitted,
C. M. Abernethy.

19. Report on Orphanage was made by G. G. Steele. Motion was made that the report be adopted. In the following discussion it was urged that the pastors carry to their churches a plea that they set aside one Sunday each month for an orphanage collection and to also remember the custom of sending provisions on Thnksgiving. There followed a report of the orphanage work by J. A. McMillan. The report was adopted.

N. C. BAPTIST ORPHANAGE REPORT

Wars may come and go, we may sign treaties of peace, and establish world tribunals, but the homeless child is ever with us. Wars have always been hazardous to homes and to childhood. During the past two years, many children have been born in this country who have never seen, and who never will see their fathers. These fathers have given their last full measure of devotion in the service of their country. Others through dissipation and neglect have shirked their responsibility as parents—and left helpless children dependent on Christian citizens. Shall we be faithful to these children? This condition is nothing new. It gave Christ, when he was in the world, great concern and caused Him to exclaim: "But whoso shall offend one of these little ones, it were better for him that a millstone be hanged about his neck." Our orphanage is the most direct channel through which Baptists may render service to dependent children.

During the past year in spite of the tremendous increased cost of living, our orphanages cared for approximately 700 children in the Mills Home and Kennedy Home, through Mother's Aid, and in boarding homes. In addition to this, orphanage representatives rendered perhaps their best service to more than 300 children by helping families work out their domestic problems, thus preventing the necessity of having to take these children into the institution. Through these faithful efforts more than a thousand children were aided.

It costs $675.00 a day to care for the large family now in the Orphanage. We cannot build orphanages large enough to care for

all needy children. Christian people should in some way stimulate fathers and mothers to rededicate themselves to the task of building good homes. Wrecked homes are the greatest tragedies of the present generation. We win military victories in vain, at the expense of our fine boys and girls, unless we can here at home win moral and spiritual victories that will unshackle the children of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

G. G. Steele.

20. Report on Cooperative Program was made by W. F. Woodall, pastor South Lenoir church. Motion was made to adopt the report as read. The following representatives of our State organizations and institutions were present and gave interesting dscussions on the work and objectives of the various institutions: E. L. Spivey, State Mission Board; M. A. Kendall, Mars Hill College; R. W. Grigg, Baptist Hospital.

The report was adopted.

REPORT ON COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Cooperative Program is the mainstay in the support of all our denominational work, both state and southwide. Thus, there are several things about it to remember:

I. It is a comprehensive program ,embodying in it State, Home and Foreign Missions; Christian Education and Hispitals—in fact, all that Baptists are doing except the Orphanage. Consider briefly each of these:

1. State Missions. We have the work of (1) General Missionaries, (2) Associational Missionaries, (3) Aid to Missionary Pastors, (4) Aid for Building and the purchase of lots, (5) Teaching and Training as carried on by the Sunday School, Training Union and Student Union Divisions), (6) Ministry to other races—the Negro and Indian, (7) Ministry to the sick in State Institutions, (8) Promotion of schools and conferences for Pastors.

2. Home Missions. The Home Mission Board now has more than 500 missionaries working in every state in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention, Cuba and Central America.

3. Foreign Missions. Our Foreign Mission work has suffered intensely during the war. The physical equipment of fully half the work of the Foreign Mission Board has been destroyed. About one-half of our approximately 550 missionaries are now in America.

Our opportunities now call for millions of dollars and hundreds of new missionaries.

4. Christian Education. The colleges owned and supported by the Baptist State Convention are Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill and Campbell. Wingate College is not owned by the convention but is furnished some support. Gardner-Webb is neither owned nor supported by the Convention.

5. Baptist Hospital. Our North Carolina Baptist Hospital now has a capacity of 247 beds and 55 bassinets.

Of the 8,000 patients admitted as bed patients each year, slightly over 4,000 of these are service patients who pay no doctor's fee and who pay but a slight portion of their hospital expenses. This free service is made possible by the annual Mother's Day offering, which this year was over $100,000.

II. Remember that the Cooperative Program dollar is divided between State and Southwide causes—State causes receiving this year 55 cents and southwide 45 cents.

III. Remember that the cooperative program has definite advantages:

1. It guarantees an equitable division of the funds received among all the agencies through which Southern Baptists are seeking to carry out the whole program of Jesus — preaching, teaching and healing.

2. Each agency receives regularly its due portion of all these undesignated funds. All share in these funds according to needs. The ratio of division is the State Convention for their agencies and by the Southern Baptist Convention for its agencies.

3. It enables each contributor, however small, to have some part in the whole program of his denomination and to minister to people in the name of Christ day and night around the world every time he gives.

IV. Remember that our financial reports are encouraging: Southern Baptists' total receipts for 1944 were $76,599,420, an increase of $13,532,336 over 1943; mission receipts $17,303,519, an increase of $3,847,879 or 28.6 per cent over 1943. Our per capita mission gift in 1944 was $3.05, in 1933 it was only 93 cents. Receipts the first half of 1945 were approximately 30 per cent larger than for the corresponding period in 1944.

North Carolina Baptists for the year 1944 gave to missions $1,957,338 or $3.45 per member. It is evident that this year we will give beyond $2,000,000.

V. We recommend:

1. Since the Cooperative Program is the best method for supporting the current work of our denomination, state and Southwide,

we recommend that all our agencies and all our people support this plan.

2. Since the every-member canvass is the tried and true way to put on the Co-operative Program, we recommend it to be put on in all our churches: that careful and prayerful preparation be made for the canvass; that proper percentages be observed between local expenses and the Co-operative Program causes; that accurate records be kept; that regular reports be made to the churches; and that monthly remittances of denominational funds be made to the state secretary-treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Woodall.

21. Report of Enrollment Committee was made at this time and showed 218 delegates present, representing 46 churches in the Association.

22. Following miscellaneous announcements, the meeting adjourned until 10:00 o'clock Friday morning.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

23. Following a song and the opening devotional conducted by T. E. Payne, using for his text Ephesians 3, the Moderator declared this session now open for the transaction of business.

George Hollar was named to serve on the Nominating Committee in the absence of J. M. Laxton.

24. Minutes of the previous day's sessions were read by the Clerk and approved.

25. Due to unusual circumstances that had arisen, the request was made and granted that the Order of Business be changed so as to have at this time the subject "Thanksgiving for Peace", which was originally scheduled for a later hour. A timely and inspiring message on this subject was brought by Dr. O. R. Mangum.

26. Report on Woman's Work was made by Mrs. C. A. Bowman. Motion was made and seconded that the report be adopted. There followed a further discussion of this report by Mrs. Bowman, after which Miss Ruth Keller, State Worker, was introduced and gave a vivid picture of the work and its opportunities.

The report was adopted.

REPORT ON W. M. U.

We stand today at another historic milestone. The proclamation of peace. A new day is upon us. Never have we so greatly needed wisdom, constant vigil, high purpose and divine guidance, lest we lose our way.

We shall need special training in the days ahead, extra supplies of faith, courage and endurance.

We will be called upon for additional service, heroic sacrifice and generous giving. Because of the great need of mission work throughout the earth, the watchword for the year is "Having the everlasting Gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth and to every nation and kindred and tongue and people." Rev. 14:6.

Great and glorious is the task and may God help us do it well.

Four associational mass meetings were held during the year 1944. These were well attended. Much interest was shown in each of these meetings.

In the first quarter of 1945 two meetings were held: one at Granite Falls Jan. 25th; theme, Consecrating the Centennial to Christ; At Lenoir First, also an all day meeting was enjoyed by many of our W. M. U. women. Miss Elizabeth Campbell taught a soul-winning book.

At the W. M. U. associational meeting at Lower Creek a gift of $105 was given to the Ruth Keller Scholarship fund. Our women are showing marked interest in the work and God is blessing their efforts.

Each year an increase is made in gifts. In 1944 an increase of $541.42 more than in 1943.

Two W. M. S.'s were organized and several Young People's Organizations.

Letters and postals sent out, 342.

Miles traveled in association, 597.

Societies visited, 15.

Number of report blanks sent to W. M. U. presidents, 132.

Total W. M. U. gifts for 1944, $6,476.38.

We are grateful for the blessings of the past year, and with faith and courage may we continue to witness in His Name. "That Thy way may be known upon earth, Thy salvation among all nations."

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

27. Report on the Biblical Recorder was made by S. M. Stroupe. A motion was made to adopt the report and following a discussion of the report by Bro. Stroupe and Dr. Mangum, the report was adopted.

REPORT ON THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

The report on the Biblical Recorder this year is very encouraging. The circulation of the paper for the past year has increased rapidly. The present circulation is about 34,000, which means a net gain for the past twelve months of approximately 7,500, and the circulation is more than three times what it was three years ago. For this increase we are profundly grateful to God and the Baptists of North Carolina. The wise management of the Editor, Dr. L. L. Carpenter, and the cooperation of our State Secretary M. A. Huggins and many worthy pastors and church workers have helped in this accomplishment. The Recorder has also shown good progress financially, no money has been borrowed to publish the paper, financially the Recorder is now self supporting. The important thing that a good wholesome paper is available to all our Baptists at a reasonable cost.

The Recorder has three simple subscription plans: $2.00 a year for individual subscriptions; $1.50 a year for clubs—a minimum of at least thre subscriptions is required for every church reporting less than a hundred members and five subscriptions for every church reporting more than a hundred members; $1.20 a year for the budget or family plan—one subscription for each active resident church family is required. The Editor of the Recorder hopes to have the cooperation of pastors, superintendents, deacons, Training Union and W. M. U. leaders in securing a place in the churches for our denominational paper.

One of the great needs for our people is that they be informed, trained, and enlisted in the whole program of the church! and we believe the Biblical Recorder is now doing its greatest work in bringing to us information and inspiration n the cause of Christ's kingdom on earth.

Respectfully submitted,

S. M. Stroupe.

28. Election of officers. The Nominating Committee composed of B. F. Williams, Chmn., W. R. Moss, and George W. Hollar, presented its report of nomination of officers for the Association for the next year. The report was adopted. For a complete list of officers see the Directory of the Association.

29. At this time a "Review of the Work Last Year" was made by the Moderator. This was a new feature of the program and using specially prepared tables taken from the Church Letters to the Association, important items of information concerning the various churches were presented to the delegates and received with considerable interest.

30. Adjourned for lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

31. After a song and devotional period conducted by Rev. Jeta Baker, using for his text Romans 1:18-30, the Moderator declared the afternoon session now convened for transaction of business.

32. The report of the Association Treasurer was read by the Treasurer and duly received by the Association.

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF AUGUST 31, 1945

	Regular Fund	*Radio Fund*	*Total*
Balance as of September 1, 1944	$ 4.00	$ 6.00	$ 10.00
Received during Associational year	227.50	341.44	568.94
	$231.50	347.44	$578.94
Disbursements:			
Record Publishing Co. for printing minutes	166.50		
Postage and Express	15.55		
Carter Powell, Clerk	25.00		
E. L. Sullivan, Treas. Radio Programs		300.00	
	207.05	300.00	507.05
BALANCE as of August 31, 1945, per Bank Statement	$ 24.45	$ 47.44	$ 71.89

Respectfully submitted,
Carter Powell, Treasurer.

33. Report on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was made by S. M. Stroupe. The report was adopted as read.

REPORT ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

The committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was called to meet with the pastor and people of Temple Missionary Baptist Church to reconstitute their organization according to the recommendations of the Association.

The committee was represented by Moderator Zeb A. Caudle, Dr. O. R. Mangum, Grant R. Miller, S. M. Stroupe, and W. F. Woodall. Date of the meeting was September 16, 1945.

Respectfully submitted,
S. M. Stroupe.

34. Report on Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was made by Miss Sara Posey. The report was adopted as read.

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Report to Caldwell Baptist Association, Sept. 21, 1945

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was started in October, 1943 by Miss Ruth Keller for the purpose of aiding worthy students in preparation for full time Christian Service. She began this fund with a gift of $205.10. Since that time many churches and individuals have contributed to the scholarship Fund. To date, the Fund has not been used.

FINANCIAL REPORT—

Balance 9-22-44	$728.10	
Receipts:		
11-27-44 Poovey's Grove	10.00	
1- 4-45 Elizabeth Campbell	10.00	$ 20.00
4-25-45 Annual Meeting of W. M. S. Nelson's Chapel	6.00	
South Lenoir	5.00	
King's Creek	5.00	
Mount Zion	1.00	
Grandin	3.50	
Granite Falls, First	8.00	
Dudley Shoals	10.30	
Lenoir, First	1.15	
Rhodhiss	5.75	
Lower Creek	22.05	
Poovey's Grove	33.25	
Miscellaneous	.50	$101.50
9- 6-45 W. M. S. Lenoir, First	5.00	
Lower Creek Church	100.00	105.00
Total Contributed this year		$226.50
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIP TO DATE	$954.60	

The churches of the Caldwell Association are urged to keep this Scholarship Fund growing so that in the days that lie ahead, many young people who are called of God into His Service may have an opportunity to prepare themselves for greater service in the Master's Vineyard.

35. Report of Historian, made by J. R. Swanson, was read and adopted.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Piney Grove Church, with which the sixty-first Annual Session of the Caldwell Association is meeting Sept. 20-21, 1945, was organized Sept. 15, 1369, with seven members, bearing letters from Kings Creek, Meadow Hill, and German Hill Churches, the Constituting Presbytery, being Revs. Linvill Land and J. H. West, William Pennell was chosen Deacon and Milton Pennell was elected Clerk.

The following have served as Pastors, J. H. West, Linville Land, Isaac Smith, R. H. Moody, G. H. Church, A. S. Church, J. S. Gwaltney, A. T. Pardue, J. H. Nelson, I. C Miller, J C Carlton, G. Z. Bumgarner, J. W. Watts, J. L. Greene, W. J. Cook, E C. Hodges the present pastor.

The following have served as clerks, Milton Pennell, J. H. Brown, Edmund Curtis, C. B. Mitchell, Vincent Greer, M. G. Carlton, W. W. Turnmire, Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, W. D. Gobel, Mrs. Charles Winkler, the present clerk.

Piney Grove Church was one of the charter members of the Caldwell Association when it was organized October 22, 1885, and numbered only 59 members, the Association has met with this church as follows: 1887, 1897, 1920, 1945. Piney Grove's present membership now numbers, according to 1944 statistics, 168. This church suffered the loss of its house of worship by fire in the year 1941, since that time a new and much more commodious house of worship has been erected, and no indebtedness reported, and the Church seems to be in a prosperous condition.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, Historian.

36. Report of the Committee appointed to set the Time, Place and Preacher for the next meeting of the Association was read and adopted.

REPORT ON TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER FOR NEXT MEETING

The committee on Time, Place, and Preacher for the next meeting of the Association recommends that the Association meet with

Winklers Grove Church on Thursday, September 19th and with Dudley Shoals Church on the following day, September 20, 1946.

The annual sermon to be preached by W. F. Woodall, pastor, South Lenoir Church, with Paul Hester as alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Pearl Keller.

37. Report of Resolutions Committee was made by W. F. Woodall and adopted in due course.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Your committee on resolutions wishes to submit the following recommendations:

1. That we express by a rising vote our deep gratitude to Brother E. C. Hodges, host pastor, and the Piney Grove Baptist Church, for their wholehearted hospitality demonstrated by the excellent way in which they have entertained th Caldwell Association.

2. That we thank the program committee for the fine program prepared and presented during the sessions of this association.

3. That we express our apreciation to all those who prepared, read and discussed the splendid reports on the various phases of our work.

4. That we heartily thank Dr. E. L. Spivey, Brethren M. H. Kendall, Arch McMillan, and W. R. Grigg for coming to us from beyond the bounds of our association and bringing very timely and helpful messages.

5. That we thank Miss Eliazbeth Campbell, Mrs. George Childers, and the clerk for their work in preparing the special statistical information used for the first time at this session.

Respectfully submitted,
P. D. Fletcher,
W. F. Woodall,
Fred C. Roberts, Comittee.

38. Motion was made that written reports of Standing Committees be limited to 100 words. After being duly seconded and an opportunity for discussion given, the motion was adopted.

39. Motion was made that the Statistical Table used for the first time at this meeting be made a regular part of the program each year and being duly seconded was adopted.

40. Motion was made that the Associational Worker be elected Associational Statistician to do this work for the next meeting of the Associaton and, beng seconded, was adopted.

41. That part of the program given to Memorials was conducted by W. R. Moss. The report as accepted was as follows:

In loving memory of our honoured dead. Rev. 14:13. And I heard a voice from Heaven saying, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth, yea saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labours, and their works do follow them.

Respectfully submitted,
W. R. Moss

42. Report on American Bible Society by Phillip D. Fletcher was read by the Clerk, due to the unavoidable absence of Rev. Fletcher. The report was adopted as read.

REPORT ON AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Because we believe in sending the Bible to the whole world, Southern Baptists give to the world-wide work of the American Bible Society. Every man must have the Bible in his own native tongue if the Word of God is to speak to his heart. Someone must translate it into his language. publish it and send it to him, wherever he may live.

THE REGULAR WORK of the Society includes all those tasks. It is a missionary non-profit organization, working in cooperation with the denominational mission boards. It aids in translation work, publishes the Scriptures without note or comment, and supplies them at cost or less. It provides the Scriptures on foreign fields at less than cost because the income level of the people is so low that they can pay only a fraction of the cost. In cases of special need, at home and abroad, the Scriptures are given without charge.

THE WAR EMERGENCY WORK which the Society is carrying in addition to its regular program, provides without charge (1) New Testaments and other Scriptures for our Armed Forces, (2) Scriptures in more than 40 languages for War Prisoners and Refugees and (3) Scriptures for needy people in liberated areas as soon as they are set free.

Southern Baptists recognize the American Bible Society as an essential part of their own regular program of world-wide missions. Resolutions have been adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention and by state conventions, commending the work of the Society and requesting the churches to contribute to its support.

During 1944 the Society distributed 12,403,541 volumes of Scriptures. It received a budget income of $1,060,647 for its regular work and rceived for its War Emergency Fund $423,010. All these records were the largest for any year in its 129 years of service—and yet it had to leave unanswered more needs than in any previous year.

Vast needs still lie ahead in the war emergency and post-war rehabilitation work.Conservative estimates of emergency needs for a

four-year period beginning July 1, 1944, total $2,932,600. Increasing opportunities on many mission fields call for a larger regular program of Scripture distribution, especially in lands blacked-out by illiteracy, where millions each year are now being taught to read. These multitudes with eager minds and hungry hearts must have the Word of God.

Southern Baptists can be counted on to do their full share. Through the help of appropriate resolutions and an effective committee in each Asociation, Southern Baptists each year can give enough to make a significant increase in world-wide Scripture distribution, just when such an increase is most urgently needed.

Respectfully submitted,
P. D. Fletcher.

43. Final topic on the program was Centennial Objectives by Fred C. Roberts, pastor, Concord Church, who brought to the meeting a thoughtful and inspiring message on this subject.

44. After miscellaneous announcements and prayer, the Moderator declared the Association adjourned to meet in its next session with Winklers Grove church on September 19, 1945, and with Dudley Shoals church on September 20, 1945.

DIGEST OF LETTERS

	1944	1945
Sunday School Enrollment	7,214	7,863
Baptisms	301	643
Church Membership	9,584	10,078
Total B. T. U. Organizations	82	73
Total Enrollment of B. T. U. Members	1,181	1,413
Total W. M. U. Organizations	42	45
Total Enrollment of W. M. U. Members	685	722
Total W. M. U. and all its Organized Mission Gifts	$ 6,073.53	$ 5,617.11
Gifts for Local Church Work	114,963.93	140,144.03
Gifts for Co-operative Program and Benevolences	16,766.26	22,080.88
Gifts to Orphanage	3,816.07	5,750.19
GRAND TOTAL	$141,619.79	$173,592.21

ANNUAL SESSION OF

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

at Lower Creek Baptist Church

PROGRAM

10:00—Hymn No. 236, "Lead On, O King Eternal."
—Meditation—"Thy Cross is lifted o'er us, We journey in its light." ..... Mrs. C. N. Buell
—Prayer—For those on Prayer Calendar, for all in armed forces, for a righteous peace. ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:10—Devotional—"The Crown Awaits the Conquest."
Miss Elizabeth Campbell
—Welcome ..... Mrs. Russell Presnell
—Response ..... Mrs. Victor Roberts
10:15—Business Session ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:35—Memorial Meditation—"We Follow, Not with eFars"
Mrs. J. E. Hanes
10:40—Reports—"Thy Grace Has Made Us Strong."
—Superintendent ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
—Stewart ..... Mrs. Dewey Annas
—Mission Study ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
—Community Missions ..... Mrs. Andrew Triplett
—Roll Coll of Societies
11:25—Offering
11:30—"Henceforth in Fields of Conquest" .... Miss Ruth Keller
State Worker
12:00—Hymn No. 191, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross."
12:15—"With Deeds of Love and Mercy" .. Miss Margaret Marchman, Africa
—Lunch
2:00—Hymn No. 248 "Hail to the Brightness."
—Meditation—"The Sweet Amen of Peace"..... Miss Sara Posey
2:15—"Through Days of Preparation" .... Report of Training School and Margaret Fund ..... Mrs. C. N. Buell
2:30—"Lead on in Training of Youth" ..... Miss Annie Belle Steele
3:15—Report of nominating and other committees; other unfinished business.
3:30—Closing Message—"She that Winneth Souls is Wise"
Rev. H. S. Benfield

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Four Associational W. M. U. mass meetings were held during 1944. Two W. M. S.'s were organized. Letters and postals sent out,

342. Miles traveled in Association, 597. Societies visited, 15. Number of report blanks sent to W. M. U. and Young People's gifts for 1944 $6,476.38.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

REPORT OF MISSION STUDY FOR 1944

No. Mision Study Classes 33
(W. M. S. Classes 30 — Young People's Classes 8)
No. Record Cards 37
No. Certificates 46
No. Small Seals 217
No. Honor Seals 7
No. Engaged in Study 237
No. Receiving Awards 165

OFFICE REPORT

No. Books ordered for Association Library 20
No. Letters and Postals written 50
No. Packages Mision Study Awards Mailed 25
No. Telephone Calls 30

SUGGESTED AIMS FOR 1945

1. The study of a home mission book before the Week of Prayer in March; a foreign mission book before the Week of Prayer in December; and a book on Soul Winning and one on Stewardship during the year.

2. Special emphasis upon Mision study for all Young People. Two classes are reqired for each organization.

3. A wider use of our Associational Library by all our women and young people both for study and for reading.

4. Co-operation in Church Schools of Missions.

5. Reports to Associational Chairman at the close of each quarter.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mission Study Ch.

REPORT OF RECOMMENDATIONS

As we realize the needs of the world, which we face today:
We recommend:

1. That we enter into the plans laid down by our Woman's Missionary Union for observing the seasons of prayer for Home, Foreignh and State Missions.

2. That we participate in seasons of prayer for world peace.

4. That we heartily agree with our state office in at least 20 per cent in tithers and gifts.

5. That we do our very best to reach the goals laid down by our

Associational Superintendent and Young People's Leader.

6. That we elect an Associational Counselor for R. A.'s to work with the Young People's Leader.

7. That each church make a special ofering to the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund.

8. That each member of the W. M. U. contribute at least 10c a year for the expense of the association.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Dewey Annas,
Mrs. J. G. Benfield,
Mrs. Virgie McCorkle.

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

BE IT RESOLVED:—

That we the W. M. U. of Caldwell Association:

1. Express to the W. M. S. and all members of Lower Creek Baptist Church our appreciation for their gracious hospitality and the privilege of meeting in this beautiful and historc place.

2. Express to Mrs. Bowman and the offcers of our Association our sincere appreciation for thir work during the year; to the state W. M. U. for their interest in the work of our Association.

3. Express our apreciation to all those who took part on the program, especially to Mrs. John Wacaster and Miss Margaret Marchman.

4. Express to Elizabeth Campbell, our Misionary, our regret at her illness and assure her of our united prayer in her behalf.

5. That we pledge ourselves anew to the task of the Misionary Training of our young people; that as individuals we give of our time and talent to this important phase of our work.

6. That during these stressful days we pray for the speedy victory of our armed forces; that a just and lasting peace may be established.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. O. R. Mangum,
Mrs. W. S. Crump,
Mrs. M. F. Roberson.

ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT OF COMMUNITY MISSIONS

Year of 1944, Caldwell Association. Mrs. D. A. Triplett, 311 Beal St., Lenoir, N. C., Associational Chairman of Community Missions.

Number of Organizations:

Endeavoring to Enlist all Members of Community

	RA	GA	YW	WM	T
Missions	1		3	8	12
Having Community Misions Committee	1	1	3	9	14
Reporting Community Misions	2	1	3	9	13

Number of surveys	1		1	1	3
Engaged in definite soul-winning efforts in:					
Cottage prayer meetings				3	3
Services in institutions				2	2
V. B. S. for unchurched				2	2
Visiting unsaved	1			6	7
Helping needy	1		1	9	11
Contact with unaffiliated Christians				3	3
Ministry to the sick or troubled	1		1	7	9
Men in armed forces: Own members	1			5	6
No. organiaztions in Association	2	1	3	9	15

The W. M .S. of Kings Creek reports canning food for the orphanage, also placed rugs on the parsonage floor.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Books loaned 14, books returned 16, books purchased 20, books donated 1, books in library now 267.

Thirty-seven books given to Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary for Missions department 12 books given to colored people. Nine given to others.

Respectfully submitted,
Eller Dickson.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We, the nominating committee of Caldwell W. M. U. Association suggest the following names as officers for the ensuing year:

Superintendent	Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Assistant Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary and Treasurer	Mrs. Fred Bowman
Mission Study Leader	Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Stewardship Leader	Mrs. Dewey Annas
Community Missions	Mrs. J. G. Benfield
Librarian	Mrs. Ella Dickson
R. A. Counselor	Rev. P. D. Fletcher

Mrs. J. A. Boldin and Miss Sarah Posie to represent our W. M. U. Committee on the Ruth Keller Scholarship fund.

Respectfully submitted,
Cora Green,
Mrs. C. F. Kirby,
Pearl Keller.

W. M. U. YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEADER'S REPORT FOR 1944

"And Jesus said unto them, Suffer little children to come unto me."

Let's look at the Young People's organization in the Caldwell Association.

1. There are four churches that have reported young people's work.

They are: First Church, Granite Falls, 6 Organizations; Poovey's Grove, 2; South Lenoir, 1; Lower Creek, 2.

2. 147 Young People are members of a W. M. U. organization.

3. Total amount Gifts were $503.36. $220.00 less than in 1943.

4. No. of miles traveled by Young People's leader 510.

YOUR GOALS FOR 1945

What practical steps will you take to reach these goals in your association?

1. Every organization meeting twice a month.

2. Two mission study classes in every organization.

3. 10 new Young People's organizations in Caldwel.

4. Increased gifts through the Cooperative Program—Centennial goal. $800.00. Increase $300.00.

5. An active W. M. U. Young People's Director in churches with Young People's organizations.

6. At least 5 new full-graded Union in our association.

7. An Associational Young People's Rally OR a one-day camp or conclave for Girls' Auxiliaries and Royal Ambassadors with a G. A. Coronation and an R. A. Recognition Service.

8. Every organization observing Focus Week.

9. Every organization observing the three Seasons of Prayer with offerings.

10. Every organization using the Stewardship Education Plans regularly.

11. A definite increase in A-1 organization Goal 50 per cent of all offerings.

OUR CHIEF GOAL

This being Centennial Year let us do our very best for Christ and help each child to do the same.

Respectfully submitted,

Annie Belle Steele.

REPORT ON FINANCE

Given by W. M. S.: Concord $72.70, Center Grove $46.00, Dudley Shoals $28.55, Lenoir First $2,965.32, Grandin $88.90, Granite Falls $225.08, Hartland $14.69, Kings Creek $70.76, Mt. Grove $51.00, Mt. Zion $30.85, Nelson's Chapel $54.00, Poovey's Grove $117.00, Rhodhiss $291.65, Sardis $52.40, South Lenoir $345.00, Union $54.00, Whitnel $8.00, Lower Creek $846.05; Total to W. M. S. $5,361.95.

Given by Y. W. A.: Granite Falls $44.65, South Lenoir $91.00, Lower Creek $236.15, TOTAL to Y. W. A. $371.80.

Given by G. A.: Granite Falls Int. $24.01, Jr. $5.48; South Lenoir $4.40; Lower Creek $36.75; TOTAL to G. A. $70.64.

R. A. Gifts: Granite Falls Int. $3.30, Jr. $6.00; Lower Creek $20.60,; TOTAL to R. A. $29.90.

S. B. Gifts: Lenoir First $15.17, Granite Falls $1.31, Lower Creek $6.95, South Lenoir $7.59; TOTAL to S. B. $31.02.

GRAND TOTAL $5,865.31.

Collection amounted to $21.00; Given to Associational Fund $16.86; Amount spent for postage $15.00, Amount spent for books $6.00, Given to Miss Lawton $5.00, Amount spent for programs $3.00, Poster .50 — Balance of $8.36.

IN MEMORIAM

BUFFALO COVE—
Mrs. Ida Hawkins
Mr. Harrison Day
CENTER GROVE—
Mandy Bumgarner
Margaret Smith
D. H. Yount
CENTRAL—
Mrs. Clyde Roper
CONCORD—
Mrs. Julia Calloway
CONWAYS CHAPEL—
Deacon J. C. Braswell
Henry Mabe
DUDLEY SHOALS—
Conley Starnes
Elmore Deal
FLEMINGS CHAPEL—
Mrs. Mary King
Ann Holden
Laura Setzer
GRANDIN—
Mrs. J. L. Jones
GRANITE FALLS—
Mrs. Steele Mitchell
GREEN VALLEY—
Rev. P. D. Philyaw
Mrs. J. S. Franklin
HARTLAND—
Miss Ester Keaton
KINGS CREEK—
Mrs. A. F. Beaver
Mr. Marshall Beach
Mr. M. M. Beach
Mr. G. F. Walker
LENOIR FIRST—
Deacon A. F. Sharpe
Mr. L. S. Spruling
Mr. M. M. Teague
Mr. Robert Bailey
Mr. B .A. Bolick, Jr.
Mr. Kenneth Greer
Mrs. J. W. Tolbert
LOVELADY—
Mrs. Wiler Weaver
LOWER CREEK—
Mrs. Mattie Suddreth
Mrs. Lucy Austin
Mr. Wayne McGarr
Pvt. Monroe Haney
Cpl. Odell Smith
Lt. Rex Pennell
MAPLE GROVE—
Mr. Lewis Beane
Mr. Luther Penley
Mr. Gordon Bradshaw
MILLER HILL—
Mr. Gwyn Campbell
Mrs. Cordy Arnett
Mrs. Rosa Morrison
MT. ZION—
Mrs. Esco Icard
MOUNTAIN GROVE—
Mr. T. A. Barber
Mr. Frank Elrod
MULBERRY—
Mr. Harley Green
Mr. R. B. Harmon
NELSON'S CHAPEL
Mrs. Sarah J. Sudderth

IN MEMORIAM

PINEY GROVE—
Mrs. Cora Church
Mr. Wiliam J. Dula
Mr. T. H. Annas

POOVEY'S GROVE—
Mrs. G. I. Keller
Mrs. Cecil Keller

RHODHISS—
Mrs. Eula Waever
Mr. Allen Stewart
Mr. Clyde Compton

SARDIS—
Mrs. Walter Kililian
Mrs. Charles Prestwoon
Mr. J. F. Barnett

SOUTH LENOIR—
Mr. Roy Watson
Mr. J. M. Pearson
Mr. Rufus McMillan
Mrs. Annie West
Mrs. J. T. Elrod
Miss Annie B. Robbins

UNION—
Mrs. Matilda Smith
Mr. E. P. McRary
Mr. Moses White

WHITNEL—
Mr. Marvin Poarch
Mr. James Johnson

WINKLERS GROVE—
Mr. Floyd Brown

YADKIN—
Mrs. Epsey Moretz
Mr. Celo Miller
Rev. W. B. Bryant

Associational Tables

TABLE ONE — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	City, Town, Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP GAINS Memb. Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	LOSSES Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Tot. Present Members	Non-Resident Members	Weekly Prayer Meet'gs	Rev. Meet'gs Held, Yr.	Obs. Lord's Supper Yr	Fam. Rec. Bapt. Paper	Ch. Have Mus. Dir.?	Does Ch. Have Lib'ry?
Bethany	Co.	1902	L. B. Bean, Rt. 4, Lenoir	3	92	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	95	...	...	2	2	...	...	...
Blair's Fork	Tn.	1891	Grady Minton, Rt. 8, Lenoir	All	206	3	5	...	2	14	...	...	...	202	...	*	1	1	...	...	...
Buffalo Cove	Co.	1857	Henry Smith, Stony Fork	All	121	4	1	...	1	1	...	...	2	124	...	...	2	1	...	...	...
Cedar Rock	Co.	1942	L. R. Woods Rt. 7, Lenoir	1 3	46	4	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	48	...	*	3	1	...	...	...
Center Grove	Co.	1918	E. R. Teague, Hudson	All	94	1	6	...	12	5	...	...	3	105	...	*	1	2	...	...	...
Central	Tn.	1938	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	All	228	9	8	1	...	5	...	...	1	240	...	*	2	2	...	*	...
Clark's Chapel	Co.	1900	J. W. Ramsey, Valdese	All	172	19	6	1	...	8	...	...	...	190	...	...	1	...	7	...	...
Concord	Tn.	1908	Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls	All	263	22	9	...	...	16	...	...	1	277	30	*	2	2	10	*	*
Conway's Chapel	Co.	....	J. S. Silver, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1 3	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	58	...	*	1	...	...	...	...
Dudley Shoals	Co.	1861	Paul Hester, Hudson	1 3	238	13	2	...	...	2	...	...	2	249	76	...	*	1	...	...	*
Fleming's Chapel	Co.	1888	Jay Younce, Lenoir	1 3	114	16	2	...	...	6	...	...	3	123	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Globe	Co.	1832	L. B. Bean, Rt. 2, Lenoir	2 4	138	6	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	145	...	*	1	2	15	...	...
Grandin	Co.	1914	W. O. Johnson R.2, Taylorsville	4	65	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	1	64	12	...	1	1	7	...	*
Grandview Park	Co.	1930	None	All	98	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	93	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Granite Falls	Tn.	....	Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	All	389	26	2	1	...	4	...	...	...	414	...	*	2	4	25	*	...
Green Rock	Co.	1922	No Report	.....	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Valley	Co.	1888	J. S. Silvers, Rt. 8, Lenoir	2	39	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	38	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	Co.	1912	W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir	All	205	7	4	1	...	6	1	...	...	210	42	*	2	2	1	...	...
Hartland	Co.	1938	T. E. Payne, Box 15, Hudson	1 3	135	5	6	1	...	2	...	...	1	144	12	*	2	1	...	...	*
John's River	Co.	1890	Horace Harris, Lenoir	1 3	128	...	3	1	...	5	...	...	...	127	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
King's Creek	Co.	1779	G. R. Miller, Granite Falls	2 4	347	42	2	...	...	6	...	...	4	381	...	...	2	1	7	*	...
Lenoir First	City	1889	O. R. Mangum, Lenoir	All	812	41	34	...	...	20	...	...	7	860	...	*	2	4	218	*	...
Longford	Co.	1934	S. M. Stroupe Granite Falls	All	213	1	9	...	...	6	...	...	...	217	...	...	1	1	6	...	...
Lovelady	Co.	1937	J. W. Greer, Granite Falls	1 3	39	16	...	...	...	8	...	...	1	46	...	*	2	3	...	...	...
Lower Creek	Co.	1826	Zeb A. Caudle, Rt. 9, Lenoir	All	536	47	11	2	...	17	...	23	6	550	...	*	2	4	18	*	...
Maple Grove	Co.	....	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	1 3	133	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	128	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
Miller Hill	Co.	....	J. S. Silver, Rt. 4, Lenoir	2 4	89	9	4	...	...	4	...	...	3	95	...	*	1	1	...	...	...
Mount Zion	Co.	....	Paul Hester, Rt. 1, Hudson	All	330	10	17	...	...	3	...	...	1	353	...	*	1	1	5	...	...	...
Mountain Grove	Co.	1884	[illegible]	[illegible]																	

Mulvale	Co.	1941	J. Clinard Brooks, Rt. 2 Granite Falls		71	18	5				2				52			2					
Nelson's Chapel	Co.	1905	J. J. Matney, Blowing Rock	1 3	87		2	1		2			1	87		*	1	1	2	*	*
Oak Grove	Co.	1900	Geter Poarch, Rhodhiss	All	50	21	8		1	2				78		*	2	1			
Piney Grove	Co.	1869	E. C. Hodges, Hendrix	4	168					3			3	162		*	1	1			
Pisgah	...	1877	No Report		146									146							
Poovey's Chapel	Co.	1932	Frank Knight, Rt. 1, Shulls Mill	1 3	116	2					1			117		*	1	1			
Poovey's Grove	Co.	1898	S. M. Stroup	All	175	14	1	1		4			2	185	40	*	1		10		*
Rhodhiss	Tn.	1906	Jeta Baker, Rhodhiss	All	375	10	11			12			2	382	135	*	2	4			
Rocky Springs	Tn.	1906	Horace Harris, Oil Ave., Lenoir	2 4	73	11	1		2	2				85	23		1	2			
Rufus	Co.	1940	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8 Lenoir	3	41	6	4			2				49	1	*	1	2		*	
Sardis	Tn.	1831	H. S. Benfield, Hudson	All	375	36	25	3		7		4	3	425	90	*	1	1	7	*	
South Lenoir	City	1910	W. F. Woodall, 482 W. Harper, Lenoir	All	802	79	52	6		54		2	6	877	189	*	1	4	95	*	
Union	Co.	1814	Grant R. Miller, Granite Falls	1 3	355	23	5			6			3	374	170		2	1			
Union Grove	Co.	1898	None	All	217	5	3			3				222	80		1	1			
Whitnel	Tn.	1925	H. G. Bryant, Whitnel	All	236	15	5			16			2	238	45	*	2	4	10		*
Winkler's Grove	Co.	1896	J. R. Holland, Longview Rural Sta	All	122	31	11	6	7	2			1	174	50	*	2	2			*
Yadkin	Co.	1791	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir	2 4	311	22	14			3			3	341		*	2	2			
Yadkin Valley	Co.	1935																			
West Lenoir	City	1943	H. B. Knight, Lenoir	All	55	19	22	1				1		96		*	1	3			
Temple Missionary	City	1945	L. N. Pruett Lenoir	All		14	16	4	4	2	10	1		69		*		4			
TOTALS	...	....			9442	643	335	30	31	287	12	39	73	10078	995		66	84	453		

TABLE TWO — SUNDAY SCHOOLS

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPT. J. Malcomb Laxton, R.1, Lenoir SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll, Under 3	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults 25 and Up	Extension Department	Gen. Dept. Officers	Tot. Enrollment, Including Ofcrs. Teachrs.	What is Av. Attend.?	Baptisms from SS	Is the School Graded?	Is It Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Dip.	Enrollment Vac. Sch.	Av. Att. Vac. School
Bethany	Conley Cook, R.8, Lenoir	...	10	...	11	...	14	17	...	...	52	55	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blair's Fork	John Taylor, R.8, Lenoir	...	25	18	20	22	40	42	...	2	169	102	...	*	...	...	...	...
Buffalo Cove	J. W. Hamlet, Yadkin Valley	...	20	...	30	30	...	20	...	...	100	41	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cedar Rock	Grover Morrow, R.2, Lenoir	5	10	13	12	8	20	23	5	4	100	53	4	...	...	1	...	...
Center Grove	Avery Bumgarner, Granite Falls	9	11	18	31	17	33	20	...	...	139	100	...	*	...	4	...	...
Central	J. M. Smith Whitnel	16	11	15	32	28	30	34	...	...	166	90	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clark's Chapel	W. R. Stone, R.3, Lenoir	...	17	27	32	13	27	46	...	2	164	70	17	*	...	...	...	...
Concord	Geo. W. Hollar, Granite Falls	42	16	32	48	32	13	55	52	10	300	123	20	*	...	...	65	56
Conway's Chapel	E. E. Harris, R.7, Lenoir	...	5	...	7	9	...	13	...	6	40	37	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls	...	27	18	19	27	20	50	...	...	161	80	13	*	...	...	52	44
Fleming's Chapel	C. R. McFelea, R.7, Lenoir	7	10	10	12	16	16	24	...	2	95	70	...	...	...	...	...	...
Globe	R. E. Coffey, Globe	15	...	...	12	...	15	20	...	...	62	30	...	...	...	...	20	20
Grandin	Hill E. Lackey, R.1 Lenoir	3	10	7	10	7	7	10	...	2	56	35	...	*	...	...	26	26
Grandview Park	Glenn Shores, Lenoir	...	26	16	34	...	28	31	...	...	135	94	...	*	*	...	...	...
Granite Falls	W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls	40	29	51	62	59	33	102	40	3	419	186	25	*	...	5	87	80
Green Rock	No Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Valley	W. B. Greene, Collettsville	...	13	...	...	15	...	20	...	2	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	E. A. Houck, R.1, Hudson	5	15	19	22	30	6	43	...	2	142	91	7	*	...	...	50	32
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Morganton	...	7	8	28	20	18	45	30	...	156	85	1	*	*	...	28	20
John's River	B. C. Estes, R.8, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	29	...	...	...	...	...	...
King's Creek	V. W. Roberts, R.1 Lenoir	25	27	32	47	42	27	94	16	...	310	138	39	...	...	8	79	65
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	26	29	50	81	66	34	182	134	9	656	304	41	*	...	15	93	85
Longford	Dewey Sumpter, R.9, Lenoir	12	11	15	27	33	23	36	29	...	145	85	1	*	*	...	41	35
Lovelady	Harry Williams, Granite Falls	5	6	10	12	15	20	15	...	...	83	80	5	...	...	...	30	30
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, R.1, Lenoir	27	33	46	56	58	41	105	21	...	404	234	45	*	...	...	144	125
Maple Grove	J. V. Beane, Mortimer	25	15	10	21	12	4	9	...	11	96	25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miller Hill	James Teeters, R.9, Lenoir	...	17	14	12	16	10	28	...	...	91	60	9	...	...	...	...	...
Mount Zion	Maynard Bumgarner R.2, Gran. Falls	22	16	23	25	25	40	84	15	...	248	143	...	*	...	...	38	26
Mountain Grove	Ivey Hall, R.2, Granite Falls	12	17	27	42	40	15	91	48	3	295	136	5	*	...	3	36	32
Mulberry	B. F. Estes, R.7, Lenoir	5	8	10	9	19	10	8	...	...	60	40	...	...	...	...	...	...

Mulvale	Ernest Puett, R.4, Lenoir	...	15	14	13	20	14	21	...	...	91	42	...	...	...	...	9	10
Nelson's Chapel	E. L. Curtis, R.8, Lenoir	...	16	...	11	13	4	28	...	2	74	40	...	...	...	...	10	8
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, Granite Falls	...	4	13	25	23	19	13	26	...	120	75	...	*	...	4	....	35
Piney Grove	W. D. Goble, R.5, Lenoir	10	15	14	10	20	20	17	...	...	106	66	...	*	...	...	20	15
Pisgah	Floyd Ekard, Hudson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....
Poovey's Chapel	Harvey Sherrill, Granite Falls	...	25	12	14	25	27	25	...	3	131	85	2	...	...	...	....	....
Poovey's Grove	T. L. Benfield, Rhodhiss	...	22	10	22	22	19	40	25	...	160	73	13	*	...	...	....	....
Rhodhiss	M. C. Estes, R.8, Lenoir	15	...	39	48	25	5	65	14	...	211	129	10	*	...	...	99	89
Rocky Springs	W. C. Greene, R.7, Lenoir	...	19	...	10	24	16	20	...	...	89	57	...	...	...	...	....	....
Rufus	C. T. Gaitch, Hudson	...	11	...	12	....	....	34	...	...	57	38	6	*	...	...	....	....
Sardis	M. A. Jenkins, R.3 Lenoir	...	33	34	53	36	18	96	30	8	311	136	35	...	...	...	89	68
South Lenoir	Clyde Wilkie, Lenoir	41	45	88	127	105	88	165	...	...	659	315	63	*	...	16	192	157
Union	Ira Bolick, R.3, Lenoir	...	12	14	19	21	44	24	18	3	134	100	23	...	...	...	45	40
Union Grove	W. D. Goble, Whitnel	10	8	9	22	21	20	60	...	2	152	93	5	...	...	...	....	....
Whitnel	J. C. Keller, R.4, Hickory	11	17	17	32	23	....	40	...	5	145	94	15	*	...	...	45	38
Winkler's Grove	D. R. Collins, R.5, Lenoir	...	22	...	16	25	....	61	...	2	126	75	21	...	...	...	....	....
Yadkin	No Report	12	36	36	37	27	70	49	...	...	267	166	22	...	...	...	53	47
Yadkin Valley	W. F. Whittington, Lenoir	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....
West Lenoir	N. E. Johnson R.5, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	65	...	...	...	...	....	....
Temple Missionary	....	...	26	...	22	18	29	....	....	...	95	60	...	...	...	...	....	....
TOTALS		400	770	789	1247	1098	937	1280	513	83	7863	4370	447	...	...	56	1396	1218

TABLE THREE — BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Miss Pearl Keller, Granite Falls TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions, St. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Gen., Dep'tal Officers	Tot. Enr., Un., St. Hrs.	No. St. Cr'se. Awards	No. Standard for 1 Qr.
Center Grove	....	1	1	1	1	...	4	11	4	8	13	...	3	43	...	...
Central	Jake Roberts, Whitnel	1	1	...	1	...	3	13	7	...	15	...	14	49	...	...
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	9	10	12	12	...	55	...	...
Concord	Mrs. J. A. Yarborough, Granite Falls	1	...	1	1	1	4	11	...	14	14	11	6	56	...	...
Grandview Park	Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Lenoir	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	25	20	...
Granite Falls	C. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	1	1	1	1	1	5	23	13	22	25	10	...	93	...	...
Harris Chapel	Ben A. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	...	1	1	...	3	15	...	13	27	...	7	62	...	...
Kings Creek	R. V. Bogg, Rt. 1 Lenoir	1	...	1	1	1	4	12	...	19	18	10	7	66	34	...
Lenoir First	C. E. Beach, Lenoir	1	1	2	1	1	6	37	24	34	32	8	8	143	36	...
Longford	....	1	...	1	1	1	4	14	...	21	17	7	8	67	42	...
Lower Creek	G. N. Kincaid, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	11	22	21	10	10	94	72	...
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith, R.1, Hudson	1	1	1	1	...	4	15	7	17	24	...	3	66	...	...
Mt. Grove	Miss Hazel Bean, R.2, Granite Falls	1	...	1	2	1	5	7	...	17	22	6	...	52	...	...
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. L. Sudderth, R.8, Lenoir	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	16	...	...	3	19	14	...
Rhodhiss	W. D. Oliver, Rhodhiss	1	...	1	1	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	5	70	40	...
Sardis	C. A. Keller Hudson	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	14	23	9	3	49	40	...
South Lenoir	B. B. Byars, Lenoir	1	2	2	2	2	1	23	27	37	50	22	...	159	30	...
Union	....	1	...	1	1	1	4	21	...	24	18	9	2	76	8	...
Whitnel	....	1	1	...	1	...	3	6	13	...	13	...	16	48	...	...
Yadkin	Miss Willis Green, R.5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	33	25	23	17	11	12	121	...	5
TOTALS	....	17	12	19	20	14	73	273	165	311	361	125	107	1413	336	5

TABLE FOUR — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	Number W. M. S.	Number Y. W. A.'s	Number G. A.'s	Number R. A.'s	Number Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Orgs.	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Tot. Members Enrolled	Tot. Enr. Miss. St Crec	Contributions (Local Work) by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions by W. M. U.
Center Grove	Mrs. Geo. Kirby, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	1	...	...	...	2	9	5	...	...	...	14	...	36.50	47.66
Central	Mrs. W. T. Tedders, Rt. 6. Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	.....	35.11
Concord	Mrs. A. A. Clay, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	...	...	16	...	772.27	78.86
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	18	...	...	...	...	18	...	.....	33.55
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...	...	8	8	118.00	62.20
Granite Falls	Mrs. Carr Cline Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	38	18	28	18	20	122	56	.....	324.28
Hartland	Mrs. Jack Branch, Rt. 3, Morganton	1	...	...	...	...	1	24	...	...	...	...	24	24	6.25	30.19
Kings Creek	Mrs. Victor Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	18	...	...	...	...	18	15	13.25	90.55
Lenoir First	Mrs. R. E. Norment, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	120	24	10	12	28	194	135	5600.00	2400.00
Lower Creek	Mrs. Russell Presnell Lenoir	1	...	2	1	1	5	50	...	25	5	10	90	19	.....	1485.10
Mt. Zion	Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Rt. 1, Hudson	1	1	...	...	...	2	17	11	...	...	...	28	1	.....	47.00
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	1	...	...	1	3	14	7	...	...	8	29	8	.....	68.50
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Virginia McCorkle R 2, Gr. Falls	1	1	1	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	38.00	159.00
Rhodhiss	Mrs. J. G. Benfield, Granite Falls	1	...	1	...	1	3	17	...	11	...	...	28	17	.....	42.50
Sardis	Mrs. C. L. Keener, R.6, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	.....	60.55
South Lenoir	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Lenoir	1	1	1	...	1	4	54	14	10	...	10	88	47	2189.39	585.50
Whitnel	Mrs. Presley Jenkins, Whitnel	1	...	...	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	11	2	.....	39.56
Winklers Grove	Mrs. Earl Hooser, Rt. 4, Hickory	1	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	10	...	125.00	27.00
TOTALS	....	18	7	8	4	7	45	448	79	84	35	76	722	349	8898.66	5617.11

TABLE SIX — CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	What Materials Were Used?	No. Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Dept. Assembly Rooms	No. Sep. Class Rooms	Value Church House and Grounds	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Amount of Insurance Carried
Bethany	Dillard Green, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1902	Wood	300	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Blair's Fork	R. B. Holshaw, Sr., Rt. 8, Lenoir	Yes	1891	Wood	300	5	...	5	2000	.....	2500	.....	1000
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley	Yes	1895	Wood	370	1	...	...	.....	.....	1000	.....	.....
Cedar Rock	Jean Holman, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1942	Wood	300	1	...	...	1400	.....	1600	.....	1000
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1918	Wood	400	7	...	6	2000	.....	2000	.....	1000
Central	S. G. Clarke, Rt. 3 Lenoir	Yes	1938	Wood	250	7	...	7	3000	3000	6000	600.25	2000
Clark's Chapel	Faye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir	Yes	1905	Wood	300	7	1	6	2000	.....	2000	.....	.....
Concord	B. B. Roberts, Granite Falls	Yes	1926	Brick	400	17	2	17	20000	3000	23000	.....	9500
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	....	Wood	250	1	...	1	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls	Yes	1904	Wood	350	15	3	12	4500	.....	4500	.....	2000
Fleming's Chapel	O. S. Reichard, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Yes	1888	Wood	500	2	2	7	2200	.....	2200	.....	1500
Globe	Charles Woodruff, Globe	Yes	1852	Wood	150	2	1	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Grandin	Bill Lacky Rt. 1 Lenoir	Yes	1925	Wood	300	3	...	3	4000	.....	4000	.....	3000
Grandview Park	Charlie Houck, Lenoir	Yes	1930	Wood	500	8	7	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000
Granite Falls	Rebecca Kirby, Granite Falls	Yes	1907	Brick	350	27	3	24	22000	3000	25000	.....	12000
Green Rock	No Report	Yes	1922	Wood	100	1	1	1	400	.....	100	.....	.....
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville	Yes	1943	Wood	200	1	...	...	850	.....	850	.....	.....
Harris Chapel	Doyle J. Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1924	Wood	500	7	...	6	2300	.....	2300	.....	1000
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, Rt. 3, Morganton	Yes	1938	Wood	200	1	5	...	1200	.....	1200	.....	800
John's River	Zera Lee Andrews, Upton	Yes	1890	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
King's Creek	T. M. Beach, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1928	Brick	500	13	1	13	10000	.....	10000	.....	5000
Lenoir First	R. Carter Powell Lenoir	Yes	1924	Stone	700	61	7	54	16000	.....	180000	.....	105000
Longford	W. L. Tuttle, R.4, Lenoir	Yes	1936	Wood	300	6	...	6	1848	.....	1848	.....	600
Lovelady	James Mull, Granite Falls	Yes	1937	Wood	300	7	5	7	2000	1000	3000	.....	1000
Lower Creek	I. R. Swanson, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Yes	1943	Brick	600	50	7	33	70000	5000	75000	.....	43000
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer	Yes	1936	Wood	200	1	...	...	1800	.....	1800	.....	.....
Miller Hill	J. J. Keaton, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Yes	1925	Wood	200	1	...	6	2000	2000	4000	.....	2800
Mount Zion	Mrs. Marjorie M. Holden, Rt. 1, Hudson	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	1	8	7000	1500	8500	196.00	4000
Mountain Grove	J. Carl Green, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Yes	1936	Brick	300	7	3	6	4000	.....	4000	.....	3000

Oak Grove	Mrs. Ruby M. Poovey, Granite Falls	Yes	1906	Wood	200	5	...	4	2500	.....	2500	.....	.....
Piney Grove	Mrs. C. F. Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1941	Wood	400	3	...	6	5000	.....	5000	.....	4000
Pisgah	No Report	Yes	1877	Wood	300	1	...	6	1800	.....	1800	.....	1500
Poovey's Chapel	G. S. Hartley, Hudson	Yes	1924	Wood	200	1	...	...	500	.....	500	.....	.....
Poovey's Grove	Pearl Keller Granite Falls	Yes	1938	Brick	200	14	1	12	6300	4000	10300	500.00	.....
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss	Yes	1903	Brick	400	14	2	14	9000	.....	9000	.....	6000
Rocky Springs	C. F. Annas, Collettsville	Yes	1906	Wood	200	5	...	4	2500	.....	2500	.....	.....
Rufus	J. A. Laxton, Rt. 7, Lenoir	Yes	1940	Wood	150	1	...	...	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Hudson	Yes	1925	Wood	325	7	...	6	5000	4000	9000	.....	4000
South Lenoir	W. W. Beshears, Rt. 9, Lenoir	Yes	1923	B-W	500	52	8	44	40000	7500	47500	1790.00	30000
Union	R. P. Shaver, Lenoir	Yes	1943	Stone	400	9	...	8	10000	.....	10000	.....	5000
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir	Yes	1939	Brick	400	11	2	9	4800	.....	4800	.....	2000
Whitnel	Miss Valeria Jenkins Whitnel	Yes	1925	Brick	400	19	1	18	10200	.....	10200	.....	8000
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 4, Hickory	Yes	1945	Brick	300	1	...	8	7500	.....	7500	.....	1000
Yadkin	C. A. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir	Yes	1902	Brick	400	8	...	7	7000	.....	7000	.....	6000
Yadkin Valley	No Report	Yes	1935	Wood	150	3	...	2	1500	.....	1500	.....	.....
West Lenoir	Mrs. Annie Smiley, Lenoir	Yes	1944	Wood	200	1	...	...	1474	.....	1474	.....	1000
Temple Missionary	Mrs. H. E. Colvard, Lenoir	Yes	1944	Wood	350	3	...	...	5268	.....	5618	1211.00	2500
TOTALS	....	...	....	.....	15695	432	66	384	313576	34000	513326	4683.25	272000

HISTORICAL TABLE OF CALDWELL BAPTIST ASS'N.

Time and Place of Meeting of Caldwell Association from Its Organization, with Names of Moderator, Clerk and Preacher

Time and Place		Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield.	R. F. Mayberry
1943	Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield.	S. M. Stroupe
1944	King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945	Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp

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Directory of the Caldwell Baptist Association — 1946-47

OFFICERS

Zeb. A. Caudle, Moderator ---------- Lenoir
C. M. Abernathy, Vice-Moderator ---------- Lenoir
George Boutwell, Clerk ---------- Lenoir
R. L. Palmer, Treasurer ---------- Lenoir
Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Asso. Worker ---------- Lenoir
J. Malcomb Laxton, Sunday School Supt. ---------- Lenoir
Miss Martha Stroupe, Training Director ---------- Granite Falls
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Rep. ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir
S. M. Stroupe, Biblical Recorder Rep. ---------- Granite Falls
J. R. Swanson, Historian ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir
Mrs. C. A. Bowman, W. M. S. President ---------- Granite Falls

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Zeb. A. Caudle, Lenoir — Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Lenoir
H. W. Chester, Lenoir — C. T. Smith Hudson
C. M. Abernathy, Lenoir — Paul Chester, Hudson
George Boutwell, Lenoir, — D. R. Collins
Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls — R. L. Palmer, Lenoir

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

H. S. Benfield, Hudson ---------- 1947
O. R. Mangum, Lenoir ---------- 1948
S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls ---------- 1949
W. F. Woodall, Lenoir ---------- 1950
M. W. Stallings, Rt. 2, Lenoir ---------- 1951

W. M. U. ASSOCIATION

Officers

Mrs. C. A. Bowman ---------- Superintendent
Mrs. Dewey Annis ---------- Asso. Superintendent
Mrs. Fred Bowman ---------- Secretary-Treasurer
Mrs. J. G. Benfield ---------- Community Missions Chairman
Mrs. J. A. Boldin ---------- Mission Study Chairman
Mrs. Dewey Annis ---------- Stewardship Chairman
Miss Eller Dickson ---------- Librarian
Mrs. C. T. Smith ---------- Literature Chairman
Miss Annie Belle Steele ---------- Young People's Leader

CALDWELL SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION
Officers

General Supt. ---------- J. Malcolm Laxton
Secretary ---------- George G. Steele
Pianist ---------- Miss Patricia Roberts
Chorister ---------- A. W. Laxton
Superintendent of Training ---------- Miss Sara Posey
Superintendent of Evangelism ---------- Rev. Fred C. Roberts
Superintendent of Enlargement ---------- C. C. Huskins
Cradle Roll Leader ---------- Mrs. O. L. Grice
Nursery Leader ---------- Mrs. O. L. Grice
Beginner Leader ---------- Miss Beulah Austin and Mrs. J. F. Reece
Primary Leader ---------- Miss Julia Fox
Junior Leader ---------- Miss Pansy Moore
Intermediate Leader ---------- Mrs. E. P. Carson
Young People's Leader ---------- Mrs. R. J. Smith
Adult Leader ---------- C. M. Abernathy
Extension Department Supt. ---------- George W. Hollar
Vacation Bible School Leader ---------- Miss Erma Teague

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY RIDGECREST

George W. Hollar, Granite Falls ---------- Three Years
C. T. Smith, Hudson ---------- One Year
E. W. Smith, Lenoir ---------- Two Years

COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATION OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY RIDGECREST

Miss Martha Stroupe ---------- Granite Falls
Mrs. C. A. Bowman ---------- Granite Falls
Miss Elizabeth Campbell ---------- Lenoir
Miss Sara Posey ---------- Lenoir
J. Malcolm Laxton ---------- Lenoir

STATE BAPTIST CONVENTION

Rev. Jeta Baker

MESSENGER TO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Rev. Grant R. Miller

TRUSTEES OF RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Mrs. C. A. Bowman ---------- Grainte Falls
Miss Sara Posey ---------- Lenoir
Mrs. J. A. Moldin ---------- Lenoir

ASSOCIATIONAL STATISTICIAN

E. W. Smith

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1947

Cooperative Program—State, Home and Foreign Missions.
Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement ---------- Rev. H. S. Benfield, Hudson
W. M. U. ---------- Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls
Sunday Schools ---------- J. M. Laxton, Lenoir
Baptist Training Union ---- Miss Martha Stroupe, Granite Falls
Orphanage ---------- G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir
Biblical Recorder ---------- S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls
Memorials ---------- Rev. Paul Hester, Hudson
Allied Church League ---------- Dr. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir

MINISTERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Baker, Jeta Rev. ---------- Rhodhiss
Beane, L. B. Rev. ---------- Collettsville
Benfield, H. S. Rev ---------- Hudson
Bolick, Will P. Rev. ---------- Rt. 3. Lenoir
Brooks, Clinard Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Caudle, Zeb. A. Rev. ---------- Box 592, Lenoir
Cook, C. F. Rev. ----------
Crisp, J. H. Rev. ---------- R. 3, Lenoir
Crump, J. E. Rev. ---------- Hudson
Crump, Gordon Rev. ---------- 24th St. Hickory
Curtis, C. M. Rev ---------- Box 91, Hudson
Dellinger, O. C. Rev. ---------- R. 8, Lenoir
Fox, J. W. Rev. ---------- Lenoir
Fletcher, Philip D. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Hamby, Grady H. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Harris, Horace Rev ---------- Oil Ave. Lenoir
Hester, Paul Rev. ---------- R. 1, Hudson
Hodges, E. C. Rev. ---------- Hendrix
Holland, J. R. Rev. ---------- Longview
Johnson, W. O. Rev. ---------- Taylorsville
Keller, W. E. Rev. ---------- R. 4. Hickory
Knight, A. F. Rev. ---------- Hudson
Mangum, O. R. Dr. ---------- Lenoir
Miller, Grant R. Jr. Rev. ---------- Kings Creek
Miller, R. B. Rev. ---------- Hudson
Moss, W. R. Rev. ---------- R 3, Lenoir

McMillan, Eugene Rev. ---------- Wilson St., Lenoir
Nelson, J. H. Rev. ---------- R. 5, Lenoir
Oiver, William D. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Phillips, H. L. Rev. ---------- Morganton
Poarch, Getter, Rev. ---------- Rhodhiss
Puett, Lane N. Rev. ---------- Lenoir
Ramsey, J. W. Rev. ---------- Valdese
Roberts, Fred C. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Silvers, J. S. Rev. ---------- R. 8, Lenoir
Stallings, M. W. Rev. ---------- R. 2, Lenoir
Stroupe, S. M. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
Teague, E. R. Rev. ---------- Box 18, Hudson
Tuttle, Clifton Rev. ---------- R. 8, Lenoir
Wilson, Paul Rev. ---------- R. 3, Morganton
Woodall, W. F. Rev. ---------- W. Harper Ave,. Lenoir
Younce, Jay Rev. ---------- Lenoir

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Tuttle, Clifton ---------- R. 5, Lenoir
Oliver, W. D. ---------- R. 2, Granite Falls

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Morrow, Paul
Hamby, G. H. Rev. ---------- Granite Falls
McFelea, C. R. ---------- R. 7, Lenoir
Land, Clifton ---------- R. 9, Lenoir
Turnmire, Faye, Miss. (Missionary Work) -- R. 2, Granite Falls
Harris, Baine ---------- Hudson

List of Messengers

BETHANY—Wesley Coffey, Hardy Bolick, J. F. Storie, Grady Greene, E. A. Goins, J. A. Bolick

BLAIR'S FORK—Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Holsclaw, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Turnmire, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Isaac, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Vannoy

BUFFALO COVE—J. C. Tood, Joe Cottrell, Lenn Cottrell, J. W. Hamlet, Collis Pipes.

CALVARY—Mr. George Kincade, Mr. Harrison Watson, Rev. J. E. Crump

CEDAR ROCK—Mrs. Ervine Holler, Mrs. Elisha Barlowe, Mrs. Curmet Woodie, Colet Canter, Kenneth Barlowe

CENTER GROVE—J. M. Edwards, Lonebell Bolick, Coonie Bean, Rev. E. R. Teague

CENTRAL—Mr. Jak Robrts, Mrs. C. T. Tdders, Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Mr. Gomez Clark

CLARK'S CHAPEL—W. R. Stone, Mrs. W. R. Stone, Jack Craig, Don Lambert, Mrs. George Craig, Carter Hendrix

CLOVER—Rev. G. H. Hamby, Mrs. G. H. Hamby, Mr. Baxter Baird, Mr. Fred Cline, Mrs. Uonnie Wilson

CONCORD—Mrs. Fred C. Roberts, George Hollor, A. O. Mackie, Rev. Fred C. Roberts, G. J. Miller.

CONWAY'S CHAPEL—Roy Branch, Hayden Pittman, Wallace Keye, Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Mrs. D. D. Braswell

DUDLEY SHOALS—Fred G. Bowman, Mrs. Fred G. Bowman, Mrs. C. A. Bowman, O. L. Smith, Mrs. Conley Starnes

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—C. R. McFelea, Mrs. C. R. McFelea, Mrs. D. S. Reichard, Mrs. Cora Thompson, Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, Mrs. E. E. Solder

GLOBE—Charles Woodruff, R. C. Cook, Frank Hartley, Charles Gregg, Lawrence Crump, Andy Jennings

GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. Elam McCall, Mrs. Oliver Benfield, Mrs. Annie Houck, Mrs. Charles Melton, Mrs. Russell Hollar, Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Rev. J. S. Silver

GRANDIN—Mrs. E. F. Bentley, Miss Ida Greer, Bill Howell

GRANITE FALLS First—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kerley, Mrs. Clarence Clark, Mrs. Charlie Miller, Mrs. Raymond Miller, Mrs. J. E. Hennessee, Mrs. Carr Cline, Mrs. Hunsucker

GREEN VALLEY—J. B. Hayes, W. B. Greene, B. B. Greene, Rev. O. C. Dellinger, Mrs. O. C. Dellinger

HARTLAND—Mr. and Mrs. Plato Anderson, Mr. Frank Poarch, Mrs. H. L. Phillips

HARRIS CHAPEL—Mrs. Florence Annas, Mrs. Robert Farr, Mrs. E. A. Houk, M. L. Annas, G. E. Smith, Ransome Joplin, L. R. Annas

JOHNS RIVER—Homer McLean, Troy Estes, David Andrews, R. C. Estes, C. E. Crump, Eddie McLean

KING'S CREEK—H. M. Beach, Victor Roberts, Carl Bush, Colon Keller, G. A. Ferguson, A. G. Beach, Fred Price

LENOIR First—C. M. Abernathy Miss Elizabeth Campbell, B. F. Williams, Dr. J. F. Reece, Dr. O. L. Moore, E. W. Smith, Miss Eller Dickson

LONG FORD—Grady Sumpter, Mrs. Fannie Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hawkins, Roy Andrews, A. C. Teague, G. W. Keyes, Dewey Sumpter

LOVELADY—Rev. W. E. Keller, Harry Williams, Mary Williams, Blain Harrison, Mrs. June Weaver

LOWER CREEK—G. G. Steele, Mrs. G. G. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boldin, J. R. Swanson, Mrs. L. J. Rish, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore, Anniebelle Steele, S. I. Austin

MAPLE GROVE—Claude Gragg, Cecil Chester, Lottie Beane, Agnes Coffey, Lois Philyaw, Elmer Philyaw

MILLER HILL—James Teeters, Charlie Triplett, Conard Greene

MT. ZION—Mrs. Lillie Annas, W. R. Maxie, Mrs. L. L. Julian, Mr. Maynard Bumgarner

MOUNTAIN GROVE—C. B. Bollinger, Mrs. C. B. Bollinger, Mrs. Richard Eller, Mrs. B. B. Bean, Mrs. J. L. Green

MULBERRY—H. C. Bolick, B. F. Estes, H. I. Green

MULVALE—Huston Clark, T. J. Moore, Mrs. T. J. Moore

NELSON's CHAPEL—Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, E. L. Curtis, Lee Carlton, Mrs. Luther Sudderth, Mrs. R. E. Robbins

OAK GROVE—Rex Kirby Mrs. Alma Kirby, Rev. Getter R. Poarch, Mr. Mariun.

PINEY GROVE—Mrs. Charlie Winkler, W. G. Sullivan, W. M. Bula, W. B. G. Messer, Ellis Frye, Mrs. Rom Wike, Mrs. Arnold Chrishberry

PLEASANT HILL—Jay Setzer, C. F. Cook

PISGAH—C. A. Coffey, C. F. Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gentry, Noah Austin, John Pope, Eugene Crisp, Mrs. C. A. Coffey

POOVEY'S CHAPEL—A. F. Knight, R. T. Hartley, W. F. Hatley, W. M. Bollinger, Floyd Ekard, John Haas

POOVEY'S GROVE—E. V. Starnes, Roby Abernathy, Cecil Keller, Mrs. E. V. Starnes, Pearl Keller, J. D. Craig

RHODISS—L. A. Elmore, Joe Church, Mrs. Jeta Baker, Mrs. Nora Annas, M. T. Mullinax, Mrs. W. W. Hinson, Mrs. Letty Weaver

ROCKY SPRINGS—M. C. Estes, Rev. L. L. Nichols, Mr. Jimmy Curtis

RUFUS—L. H. Moore, J. S. Bean, Mrs. Robert Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Braswell

SARDIS—H. E. Austin, W. F. Sullivan, Mrs. W. F. Sullivan, Mrs. M. F. Roberson

SOUTH LENOIR—H. W. Chester, M. A. Jenkins, Joe Crisp, T. S. Richards, Mrs. Lucy Safford, Mrs. H. W. Chester, Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. W. S. Crump

TEMPLE MISSIONARY—Rev. L. N. Puett, Frank St. John, Mrs. D. G. Younce

UNION—Clyde Roberts, Pearl McRrary, Will Reid, Ralph McRary, Woodrow Land

UNION GROBE—

WHITNEL First—W. D. Goble, Sr., W. D. Goble, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Setzer, Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Stallings, Mrs. L. C. Martin

WINKLER'S GROVE—Rev. J. R. Holland, Spurgeon Calloway, Henry Winkler, Mrs. Catherine Winkler, Mrs. Bertha Hoskins

WEST LENOIR—Russell Moore, W. F. Whitting, Vilas Brown

YADKIN VALLEY—Paul Steele, Jim Sutton, Elbert Watson, Ben Sutton, Mrs. Ben Sutton

YADKIN—Douglas O. Taylor, Mrs. Douglas Taylor, Mrs. L. M. Greene, Douglas D. Greene, Mrs. Douglas Greene, Mrs. R. D. Woods, Mrs. Oscar Pierce, Mrs. S. W. Andrews, D. R. Collins, Rev. Eugene F. McMillan

Abstract Principles, Constitution And By-Laws Of The Caldwell Baptist Association

1. This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the churches — each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The Association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest thereof.

4. The Association thus formed shall choose a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association, and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the Association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the Association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the Association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Moderator and Clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or grievances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding Association requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the Association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The Association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, nor any of her Churches

and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this Association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This Association shall in all matters except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the Association in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The Association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the Association there may be an introductory, a missionary or denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

By-Laws Of The Caldwell Baptist Association

1. At each assemblage the Association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the Association shall be presented by the Moderator or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other case he shall not vote, unless the Association be equally divided.

8. These bylaws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the Association.

Abstract Of Principles Of The Caldwell Baptist Association

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perserverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Resolution On Ordination Of Preachers

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local churches or to insist that the candidate for ordinance be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry. And to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines. And believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denominational recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

(1). That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

(2). If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advice and concurrence of other churches.

(3). This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the Association.

(4). That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

(5). That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advice of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

Resolution On Constitution Of Churches

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved:

1. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Church, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in it judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

Order of Business

Caldwell Baptist Association

which meets with

WINKLER'S GROVE, THURSDAY, SEPT. 19, 1946

DUDLEY SHOALS, FRIDAY, SEPT. 20, 1946

Song Leader—J. Malcolm Laxton

FIRST DAY— Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ---------- Paul Hester
10:10—Organization, Recognition of Visitors & Announcements
10:25—Mission Treasurer ---------- R. L. Palmer
10:30—Report of Asso. Worker ------ Miss Elizabeth Campbell
10.45—Budget Com. Report ---------- C. M. Abernathy
11:00—Biblical Recorder ---------- Philip D. Fletcher
11:15—Miscellaneous and Anncuncements -------- Moderator
11:25—Sermon ---------- W. F. Woodall
12:00—Lunch

FIRST DAY — Afternoon Session

1:15—Praise and Prayer ---------- W. M. Stallings
1:25—Orphanage ---------- George Steele
1:50—Allied Church League ---------- B. F. Williams
2:15—Music ---------- All
2:20—Co-operative Program—State, Home, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Minister's Relief and Retirement ---------- Grant R. Miller
3:45—Miscellaneous Announcements and Adjustment

SECOND DAY—Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ---------- E. R. Teague
10:10—Song. Miscellaneous ----------
10:15—W. M. U. ---------- Mrs. C. A. Bowman
10:40—Sunday School ---------- J. Malcolm Laxton
11:05—Baptist Training Union ---------- Miss Pearl Keller
11:30—Reviewing the Work of Last Year -------- Moderator
12:00—Lunch

SECOND DAY—Afternoon Session

1:00—Praise and Prayer ---------- W. R. Moss
1:10—Report of Committees:
1. Executive ---------- Clerk
2. Treasurer ---------- Clerk
3. Trustees of Associational Property -- E. W. Smith
4. Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ---------- H. S. Benfield
5. Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund ---- Miss Sara Posey
6. Historian ---------- J. R. Swanson
7. Time, Place, and Preacher

1:40—Election of officers
1:50—Memorials ---------- Fred C. Roberts
2:00—Caldwell Baptists and The Future ------ O. R. Mangum
2:30—Adjournment

Suggested Appropriations

1946 ASSOCIATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE

Sunday School ----------	$ 30.00	
Baptist Training Union ----------	30.00	
W. M. U. ----------	20.00	
Vacation Bible School ----------	10.00	
Pastors' School ----------	150.00	
Minute Fund and Clerk ----------	250.00	
Associational Missions ----------	1,400.00	$1,890.00

Elizabeth Campbell
Associational Missionary

Some months ago the Executive Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association in a regular meeting appointed an Associational Budget Committee for the purpose of studying our entire financial needs and setting up an Associational Budget for the coming year.

Included in this budget is the Expense of Printing the Associational Minutes; the Clerk's Fee; Associational Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, and Vacation Bible School expense, such as stationery, postage etc.; the Associational Missionary's Salary and an allotment covering the expense of a Pastor's School.

To save time during the meeting of the Association and to avoid the necessity of asking the churches for special gifts during the year, this proceedure seemed to your Executive Committee to be wise and orderly. After ascertaining, in so far as we were able to do so, the total needs for all objects and feeling that every church would want to have a part in it, we have set up some suggested goals for each church. Be assured that this committee endeavored to be wholly fair in arriving at these goals taking under consideration your pledges and gifts of last year. The amount, therefore, that you are asked to give the next Associational Year for all the items mentioned is $————, which would be $———— per month.

We are asking that you present this matter to the church and encourage the acceptance of this goal, with the understanding that you may lower or raise it as the Church feels led, indicating same on the enclosed card, which you will return at your earliest convenience. Make all remittance to Mr. R. L. Palmer, Treasurer, Caldwell Baptist Association, 113 Wilson, Lenoir, N. C.

C. M. Abernathy, Chm. Budget Com.
Zeb. A. Caudle, Moderator

PROCEEDINGS

1. At 10:00 o'clock on Thursday Morning, September 19th, 1946, the Caldwell Baptist Association convened in the sixty-second Annual Session with Winklers Grove Baptist Church.

2. Following the opening hymn, "We're Marching to Zion," led by J. M. Laxton, Rev. Paul Hester conducted a short devotional using as his scripture, Psalm 46, and theme, "Be still and know that I am God."

3. The session of the Caldwell Association was now declared open for business by the Moderator, Zeb. A. Caudle.

4. The letter of resignation of Clerk, R. Carter Powell, was presented to the Association. A motion was made, duly seconded, and passed, that his resignation be accepted. The meeting was now open for nominations for Clerk to succeed R. Carter Powell. J. M. Laxton was nominated but withdrew and George Boutwell was nominated and elected clerk of the Association.

5. Upon motion made, duly seconded, and passed, the Clerk of the Association was instructed to write a letter of appreciation to former clerk, R. Carter Powell for splendid work done.

6. Program for the two-day session of the Association adopted.

7. The following committees were appointed by the Moderator to report this year:

Committee for Petitionary Letters: H. S. Benfield, W. R. Moss, S. M. Stroupe.

Enrollment Committee: E R. Teague, J. M. Laxton, H. W. Chester.

Committee on Committees: Grant R. Miller, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, J. F. Reece.

Resolutions Committee: Rev. Fred C. Roberts, Walter Sullivan, Miss Sara Posey.

Nominating Committee: J. M. Laxton (Chm.), H. W. Chester, George Hollar.

Time, Place, and Preacher: C. M. Abernathy, George Steele, Maynard Bumgarner.

8. The following visitors were recognized: John Arch McMillan, Mills Home, Thomasville, L. L. Carpenter, Editor Biblical Recorder, M. A. Kendall, Mars Hill College, Mrs. R. F. Campbell, Hickory, Rev. J. Louis Price, E. B. Smith Mrs. S. A. Stroup, S. A. Stroup (Rev.) A. C. Payne, A. E. Watts, Miss Cora Frances Parks, E. F. Sullivan, A. W. Champion, J. G. Haas, Mrs. Price Smith, Mrs. L. C. Horton, Mrs. Mary Poe Widener, Rev. J. B. Mull, Rev. Otis Cook, Rev. J. A. Cox.

9. The Caldwell Associational Missionary Report was made by Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Worker, Motion made that this report be adopted and further time given to Miss Campbell for dscussion of the report.—Report adopted.

MISSIONARY REPORT

CHURCHES VISITED: South Lenoir, Long Ford, Poovey's Grove, Lower Creek, Rufus, Granite Falls First, Maple Grove, Mortimer-(Mission Point), Kings Creek, Lenoir First, Rhodhiss, Winkler's Grove, Buffalo Cove, Mt. Zion, Globe, Dudley Shoals, Center Grove, Nelsons Chapel, Grandin, Sardis, Clarks Chapel, Harris Chapel, Whitnel, Miller Hill, Piney Grove, Hartland, Grand View Park.

STUDY COURSES: Sunday School 6; Training Union 5; Mission Study Classes 13. 12 others were held during the School of Missions, and many others by the individual churches. Many Churches held their own Sunday School and Training Union Training Courses.

ORGANIZED: 1 Business Women's Circle: 1 Sunday School-Mortimer; helped with a number of socials and fellowship hours. Vacation Bible Schools 9: 28 Vacation Bible Schools and 2 Mission V. B. S. held.

ATTENDED: Pastors' Conference 9; W. M. U. Divisional Meeting, Wilkesboro and Elkin; Divisional R. A. Conclave; W. M. U. Executive Council; Associational W. M. U. Meeting; Executive Committee Meeting 1; Training Union Associational Meetings 2; District T. U. Meetings 5; Regional T. U. Meeting 1; State T. U. Assembly 1; Pastors' Sunday School, Newton 2 days; Pastors' School, Lenoir 5 days; Sunday School State Convention; Special S. S. Meeting; Associational Sunday School Meetings; Baptist State Convention; Southern Baptist and W. M. U. Conventions; G. A. Banquets 2; R. A. Banquets 2;

WORK IN OTHER ASSOCIATIONS: Windsor-West Chowan Association; Calvary-Wilmington Association; G. A. Camps-Divisional Junior Camp; Western Intermediate G. A. Camp.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Homes visited 93; Miles Traveled Approximately 6,000; Letters Sent Out Approximately 2,000. 66

Conversions reported in Vacation Bible School Reports Received.

SPECIAL MEETINGS HELD IN THE ASSOCIATION: School of Missions—September 30—October 5, 1945

Pastors' School—March 25-29, 1946

HELPERS IN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL WORK: Miss Gloria Abernathy, Granite Falls—Full Time Helper

Miss Maclyn Mackie, Granite Falls

Miss Frances Hennessee, Granite Falls.

We appreciate the aid given us by the Sunday School Board so that Miss Abernathy might work with us all the summer.

This has been a busy year, but we realize that there is so much yet to be done. Won't you call on me, use me and pray for me in the days ahead. Telephone 431-J or 165; Address 210 West Harper, Lenoir, N. C.

LABORERS TOGETHER WITH GOD. 1 Cor. 3:9 THAT THE GENERATIONS TO COME MIGHT KNOW. Psalm 78:6.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Campbell

10. Report of Budget Committee given by Chairman, C. M. Abernathy. Motion made that this report be adopted after trying to check up on churches which had not reported on their goals for the year 1946-47—Repart adopted.

We give you below the amounts received from the churches for Associational Missions to August 20, 1946. We trust that these records are correct. However, if there is an error the Treasurer would be glad to know about it.

Budget Committee's report as of August 19, 1946.

Name of Church	Pledged Ass'nal Missions	Paid Assoc. Miss.	Paid Min. Fund	Paid Pastors School	Tot. Paid	1946-47 Goal
Blairs Fork	.....	.....	5.50	.....	5.50	24.00
Buffalo Cove	.....	.....	2.00	.....	2.00	10.20
Bethany	.....	.....	3.00	.....	3.00	10.20
Cedar Rock	.....	20.00	3.00	.....	23.00	24.00
Center Grove	35.00	30.00	5.00	8.40	48.40	51.25
Central	12.00	.....	4.50	.....	4.50	24.00
Clarks Chapel	12.00	.....	3.00	.....	3.00	24.00
Concord	52.00	60.74	8.00	.....	68.74	75.00
Conways Chapel	.....	.....	2.40	.....	2.40	10.20
Dudley Shoals	25.00	.....	5.00	5.00	10.00	51.00
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	.....	.....	4.60	.....	4.60	15.00
Globe	.....	.....	2.00	.....	2.00	10.20
Grandview Park	18.00	.....	3.00	.....	3.00	30.00
Grandin	18.00	18.00	2.00	.....	20.00	24.00
Granite Falls	72.00	66.00	10.00	10.00	86.00	96.00
Green Rock	.....	.....	1.25	.....	1.25	10.20
Green Valley	.....	.....	1.00	.....	1.00	10.20
Harris Chapel	24.00	16.00	5.00	5.00	26.00	42.00
Hartland	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00

Johns River	.....	.....	4.00	.....	4.00	12.00
Kings Creek	45.00	42.50	7.00	.....	49.50	75.00
Lenoir First	150.00	150.00	16.50	50.00	216.50	224.00
Long Ford	20.00	18.00	.....	2.50	20.50	24.00
Lovelady	20.00	20.00	.....	.....	20.00	24.00
Lower Creek	120.00	120.00	11.00	15.00	146.00	156.00
Maple Grove	.....	.....	1.50	.....	1.50	6.00
Miller Hill	.....	.....	3.00	.....	3.00	24.00
Mt. Zion	36.00	27.50	10.00	5.00	42.50	60.00
Mt. Grove	30.00	24.00	3.50	5.00	32.50	42.00
Mulberry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.00
Mulvale	15.00	.....	3.00	.....	3.00	24.00
Nelsons Chapel	30.00	38.00	5.00	10.00	53.00	60.00
Oak Grove	20.00	12.00	2.00	5.00	19.00	30.00
Piney Grove	20.00	20.00	6.05	.....	26.05	36.00
Pisgah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00
Pooveys Chapel	18.00	18.00	2.40	.....	20.40	24.00
Pooveys Grove	45.00	35.00	2.00	5.00	42.00	60.00
Rhodhiss	80.00	60.00	10.00	10.00	80.00	102.00
Rocky Springs	18.00	.....	5.00	.....	5.00	30.00
Rufus	10.00	10.00	4.00	.....	14.00	18.00
Sardis	36.00	39.00	7.00	5.00	51.00	60.00
South Lenoir	60.00	55.00	12.50	10.00	77.50	84.00
Union	60.00	40.00	7.00	.....	47.00	72.00
Union Grove	.....	.....	7.00	5.00	12.00	15.00
Whitnel	60.00	10.00	6.60	.....	16.60	72.00
Winklers Grove	30.00	.....	8.75	5.00	12.75	42.00
Yadkin Valley	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00
Yadkin	36.00	.....	5.00	5.00	10.00	60.00
West Lenoir	15.00	.....	3.15	.....	3.15	24.00
Temple Missionary	25.00	25.00	4.50	.....	29.50	36.00

C. M. Abernathy, Chairman
Zeb Caudle, Moderator
R. L. Palmer, Treasurer
Elizabeth Campbell, Missionary
Carter Powell, Clerk
Horace Chester, Executive Com.

11. Report on the Biblical Recorder given by Rev. Jeta P. Baker, Pastor Rhodhiss Baptist Church. Motion made to adopt this report. Further remarks made by L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder—Report adopted.

REPORT ON THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

We are happy to report that our state denominational paper, The BIBLICAL RECORDER is still making progress. The present circulation is approximately 38,000, which means a net gain for the past twelve months of approximately 5,000.

The RECORDER is one of the very best periodicals published throughout the Southern Baptist Convention. The RECORDER is safe, sound, full of information as well as inspiration, and we

should do our best to put it in every Baptist home in North Carolina. The best plan offered by the RECORDER is the budget or every-family plan, which cost only $1.00 a year per family. The club plan is $1.50 a year, to get the club rate a minimum of at least 3 subscriptions is required for churches reporting less than 100 members, and 5 subscriptions for churches reporting more than 100 members. The individual subscription is $2.00 a year.

Respectfully submitted,
Jeta P. Baker

12. Short report by J. M. Laxton on number present: 153 delegates registered from 35 churches in the Association—17 other representatives from 11 other Associations.

13. Motion made to allow an unlimited number of words in any report to the Association—Motion lost because it had no second.

14. Motion made and seconded that the number of words to be used in any report made to the Association be left as is (150 words). After discussion, motion passed.

15 Following a song, the annual sermon was preached by Rev. W. F. Woodall, using as his Theme, "Digging Old Wells," based on the following scripture, Genesis 26

16. Benediction—Ed Sullivan

17. Lunch—Served picnic style by ladies of host church.

SEPTEMBER 19, 1945—Afternoon Session

18. The afternoon session opened with a song, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand," led by J. M. Laxton. A short devotional was conducted by Rev. W. M. Stallings, using the 103rd Psalm as the basis for his remarks.

19. A report from the Committee on Petitionary Letters was made by Rev. H. S. Benfield in which the Committee recommended that the following churches be received into the Association:

1. Calvary (Located on New Lenoir-Blowing Rock Highway North of Lenoir)
2. Clover (Located near Granite Falls)
3. Pleasant Hill (Located on the Connley Springs Road)

Motion made, duly seconded, and passed that these three churches be received into the Association. Pastors of these three churches introduced to the Association after being welcomed by the Moderator.

20. Report on Orphanage was made by G. G. Steele. A discussion followed on some of the work done at the Orphanage by the children of the Orphanage. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

In spite of many difficulties, the Orphanage has had another successful year, especially from the standpoint of income. The loyalty and liberality manifested by friends of the Orphanage continue to challenge the best that is in us.

The farm is one of the greatest assets of the Orphanage, since it furnishes food for human consumption and feed for animals, and gives the boys employment and training as they work in the gardens, on the farm, in the dairy herd, with the beef cattle in the poultry yard, and with the hogs.

The girls training consists of general house work, in the laundry, and in the sewing room.

Charity and Children has had one of the best years in its history. There was a big increase in the amount received in subscriptions. The circulation has reached thirty-six thousand.

A total of seven hundred children were cared for during the year. Five hundred ninety-eight were cared for at Mills Home and at Kennedy Home, forty-eight in Foster Homes and fifty-four through Mothers Aid.

A much larger number of children than ever before have been clothed by various organizations and individuals. Other children have been supported in full by individuals, Sunday School Classes, or other groups. These personal attachments help the children when they realize that some one is personally interested in them.

The Church life and its various activities in the two homes is, and should be, the most positive influence in the lives of the boys and girls. Under the leadership of the two pastors, Rev. J. A. Neilson of the Mills Home, and Rev. Cleveland Wilkie of the Kennedy Home, strengthened by the loyal support of the Orphanage Staff, these two churches, in devotion, contributions, and in Christian training, compare favorably with other churches in the Denomination.

May we as Caldwell Baptists, support our Orphanage with our prayers, our once a month Sunday School Offering, the produce collection at Thanksgiving, and the Special Thanksgiving Cash Offering.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele—Orphanage Rep.

21. Report of the Allied Church League was given by Hon. B. F. Williams. Motion is made and duly seconded that

the report be adopted. Mr. Williams discussed in brief the question of drinking at dances as well as advertising which the Whiskey Industry is doing in the leading magazines of our country. The motion is made that Mr. R. M. Hauss, Educatonal Director of the Allied Church League, be given five minutes for any remarks which he saw fit to make. Following these remarks, the report of the Allied Church League was adopted.

REPORT OF ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

The Allied Church League is carrying on a consistent, determined fight against liquor in our State.

Twice this year it has been instrumental in routing the wet forces at elections held in Rockingham and Franklin Counties. Other elections are expected to be fought out in the coming months.

Nothing short of State-wide prohibition will satisfy the League. May the prayers of the good men and women of this Association strengthen the arm of the Allied Church League in its battle for this goal.

This September 19, 1946

Respectfully submitted,
B. F. Williams

22. Report on Cooperative Program was made by Rev. Grant R. Miller. Motion was made to adopt the report as read. The following representatives of our State Organizations and Institutions were present and gave discussions on the work and objectives of the various phases of their work: Tom Lawrence, Baptist Hospital; M. A. Kendall, Mars Hill College; Mr. Bradley spoke briefly on World Relief and Habilitation. The Report was adopted.

THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Cooperative Program works because of what it is, what it includes, and what it excludes.

In 1926 there was adopted a plan of work known as the Cooperative Program. It has been approved by all of the state conventions, many of the district associations and churches, and has continued from year to year. It was born out of necessity, as Southern Baptists blended all their efforts to enlist all their people in the systematic support of all the work of the denomination. It is all-inclusive and through this means a regular, proportionate income may be assured for each agency of Southern Baptists.

The Cooperative Program includes missions, education and

benevolences. It includes all the cooperative work of our denomination. It is our understanding of the great program Christ gave to his church. It is the safest and best method yet discovered for the growth of a well-balanced program of service.

There are some things this program excludes. It excludes the clamor of one cause to present its needs to the church to the exclusion of others. It excludes the possibility of a church program being lop-sided by being interested only in certain phases of outside kingdom work. It excludes responsibility for dividing funds in right proportions. This is cared for through a committee who studies the needs of each cause.

No reason can be found as to why it should not be supported. It is sound and scriptural. It safeguards the independence of each and every church. There is no scripture or privilege of an individual or church violated in this method. Those who may find fault, with it simply make their complaint for claiming to be missionary and doing nothing worth while. The doctrine of cooperation is taught and exemplified through the Old and New Testaments.

There was given through the Cooperative Program by our churches during the calendar year 1945 $928,905.00 In 1946 there has been an increase of 15 per cent over 1945, which is very gratifying.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The report on Christian Education in the Baptist colleges in North Carolina is most encouraging when measured by normal standards. Under normal standards the college is pleased to have capacity enrollments, but now all our colleges are embarrassed by their inability to meet the demands from students who want to be enrolled. Hundreds of worthy students are turned away who are begging for a chance to enroll in our Christian colleges. The students to be enrolled for 1946-47 in Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Campbell, Wingate and including Gardner-Webb will total more than 4000. And in all three seminaries and the Woman's Missionary Training School have had the largest enrollment in their history. More than 2300 young men and women were enrolled in these four schools last year.

To meet the demands made by these large enrollments most of the schools are now maintaining a summer school, thus using their facilities virtually on a twelve months basis. But despite all these efforts it is clearly obvious that additional provisions must be made to meet the opportunities of this period. The generous offerings being made to the Cooperative Program through all the Baptist churches of the state will result in increased operating funds for our Baptist colleges.

The total for 1946 to all the colleges from the Cooperative Program will be above $300,000. Due to the large enrollments and the

number who have had to be turned away from our schools through out the Southern Baptist Convention, there are campaigns on in most of our schools. The total amount sought in the campaigns of all these schools is nearly $25,000,000. While this amount appears to be very large we should remember that should it be provided, the combined endowments of all Southern Baptist schools would still be less than the endowment of Harvard or Yale. If Southern Baptists are to remain in the field of higher education, we must provide a greater financial support for our schools. We now stand on the threshold of a new day offering unparalleled opportunities for conquest and service. To measure up to these opportunities we must have leaders. Leaders come only from our schools. What we do with and for our colleges and seminaries will determine our future.

THE BAPTIST HOSPITAL

The Baptist Hospital has had a good year but it has been unable to meet its demands. The Hospital urgently needs the proposed new 140-bed South Wing for many reasons. The Hospital now receives through the Cooperative Program as its percent share, approximately $80,000.00 per year. Its present indebtedness is $155,000.00. This is being and will be retired according to a schedule well within the means of the Hospital, by the Hospital Board. It is estimated that the cost of the new South Wing will be $800,000.00 plus $200,000.00 for space for offices, this $200,000.00 has been subscribed by the doctors. The project is a $1,000,000.00 program, to be executed in 1947 and 1948. The Hospital Board will undertake to raise 600,000.00 leaving the Convention as its share, an amount not to exceed $400,000.00. This new South Wing is very urgently needed. Friends we can see from this report on these objects that we are brought face to face with a challenge and may we be determined to meet it.

Respectfully submitted,
Grant R. Miller

23. Miscellaneous business:

1. The Resolutions Committee brought forth thanks for their preparation of the noon meal which was enjoyed by all.

2. Motion made that a prayer be offered for the recovery of Bro. Fletcher, who is seriously ill. Motion passed and Dr. O. R. Mangum leads this prayer.

3. New Pastors recognized:

Rev. W. M. Stallings (Whitnel)
Rev. William D. Oliver (Mt. Grove)
Rev. Eugene McMillan (Yadkin)

24. The meeting adjourned until 10:00 o'clock Friday morning.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

25. Following a song and the opening devotional conducted by Rev. E. R. Teague, using for his text Psalm 34, the Moderator declared this session now open for the transaction of business.

All persons not present the first day were asked to fill out attendance blanks.

26. Report of the Execptive Committee was given. Motion made, duly seconded, and passed that this report be adopted.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee of the Caldwell Association met at Lower Creek Church on Monday evening, January 21, 1946, at 7:00 o'clock with the following members present:

H. W. Chester, W. F. Kerlay, Zeb A. Caudle, C. T. Smith, Paul Hester, R. C. Powell

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Worker, outlined for the committee the need in the Mortimer section for a regular worship program and the result of her investigation of the conditions there.

After discussion of the matter, a motion was adopted that a committee be appointed to make a further investigation as to the advisability of establishing, with the aid of the Mission Board, either a mission point or a church.

A further motion was adopted empowering the committee to act with authority of the Executive Committee.

The committee named was as follows: C. T. Smith, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, and Paul Hester.

The matter of incidental expenses in connection with holding District Meetings of Sunday School, B. T. U., and W. M. S., was discussed and a motion was adopted authorizing the Association Treasurer to pay such expenses with whatever money is available in the Minute Fund and the balance left in the Radio Fund.

Motion was adopted that a committee be appointed to make up a Budget for the Association to include all the general expenses of the Association as well as the cost of carrying on the mission work. The committee was named as follows: C. M. Abernathy, Chm., H. W. Chester, and Miss Elizabeth Campbell.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. Powell, Clerk

27. Report of the Budget Committee was made by C. M. Abernathy. Effort was made to find out how many of the churches had accepted their individual goals for 1946-47. Of the churches represented, a large majority reported favorably. The motion was made, that the salary of the Clerk be raised from $25.00 per year to $50.00 per year and that the salary of Miss Elizabeth Campbell be raised from the present $1600.00 plus $200.00 for Travel expenses to a present salary of $1600.00 plus $400.00 for Travel expenses. After due discussion, the motion was passed.

28. Report on Woman's work was made by Mrs. C. A. Bowman. Motion was made and seconded that the report be adopted. There followed a further discussion of this report by Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Worker. The report was adopted.

W. M. U. REPORT

"Help for a needy world" is the challenge of every Christian Agency of today. To meet this challenge means that Christ's way must be known and lived by all men every where. This is a task that will necessitate a worthy Mission Program which will send out thousands, instead of hundreds, with the Gospel Message.

May God help each of us to do our part.

Number of Churches in our Association which have W. M. S. Organizations, 21; Membership of W. M. U.'s and Young People, 907; Letters Written, 294; Miles Traveled, 904; Societies Visited, 10; Associational Mass Meetings held, 5; Special Talks, 12; Attended W. M. U. Executive Council in Raleigh. Also attended Divisional Meeting and State Convention.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman

29. Report on Sunday School Work was made by J. M. Laxton. Motion was made that this report be adopted and time for further discussion of the report was given Mr. Laxton. Report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Modest gains have been made all along the line this year. Enrollment and attendance are up 11 per cent; Vacation Bible Schools, numbering 29, showed an increase of 40 per cent in attendance of 110 were held. Associational officers held three planning meetings. 9 representatives attended the State Sunday School Convention, and 26 went to Ridgecrest for one or more sessions.

New interest has been manifested in associational work, particularly during the church visitation and planning meetings in the spring.

We helped "Launch A Century With Christ"; now let us "Advance With Christ."

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. Laxton

30. The report on Baptist Training Union Work was made by Miss Pearl Keller. Motion was made that this report be adopted. A further discussion of this report was made by Miss Keller and Dr. Mangum, followed by a standing vote of appreciation for splendid work done by Miss Keller, who is retiring. Motion passed.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION REPORT

During the year three Associational meetings have been held. We have had an executive meeting the first month in each quarter since January. District meetings have been held in three districts two months in each quarter except during Ridgecrest weeks and possibly one other time.

We helped entertain the Regional Convention which met with the Lower Creek Church.

Over one hundred attended Ridgecsest during the four Training Union Weeks there. A number of young people dedicated their lives to Special Christian Service during these weeks.

Two new unions have been organized during the year.

May the work of Training go forward in a great way in 1946-47.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Pearl Keller

31. Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher, retired to consider business.

32. The Moderator, Zeb. A. Caudle, reviewed a report of last year's work of the Association. Mimeographed sheets, containing this information, were passed out for examination. Church Membership gains, especially baptisms, was emphasized, as well as Total Gifts.

33. Rev. Paul Hester, Pastor of the Host church announced that dinner would be served in the School House immediately following the benediction.

34. Benediction and return of thanks for the noon meal were gven by Joe Benfield.

Friday Afternoon Session

35. After a song and devotional period conducted by Rev.

W. R. Moss, using for his text Hebrews 12, the Moderator declared the afternoon session now convened for transaction of business.

36. Report of Committee for Petitionary Letters was given by Rev. H. S. Benfield in which the committee recommended that Temple Hill Church be admitted to the Association. After the motion was made and passed, Rev. L. R. Davis, pastor of the Temple Hill Church was presented to the Association.

37. A Committee, composed of C. M. Abernethy, Miss Pearl Keller, and Miss Elizabeth Campbell, was appointed for the purpose of dividing the Association into Districts.

38. Report of the Associational Treasurer was made by George Boutwell, in absence of R. Carter Powell, former Clerk of the Association. Motion made, seconded, and passed that this report be adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

	Minute Fund	Radio Fund	Total
Balance on Hand as of Sept. 1, 1945	$ 24.45	$47.44	$ 71.89
Receipts			
For Minute Fund	232.95		232.95
For Radio Fund		17.11	17.11
Refund from E. F. Sullivan of excess payment on radio time		26.58	26.58
Total Receipts	232.95	43.69	276.64
TOTAL	257.40	91.13	348.53
Disbursements			
Miscellaneous Supplies	6.29		6.29
Express and Postage	10.15		10.15
Zebulon Printing Co. for printing Minutes	173.50		173.50
R. C. Powell, Clerk	25.00		25.00
Miss Elizabeth Campbell—Part of expenses to Convention	35.00		35.00
J. M. Laxton—Postage & Supplies for Sunday School Work		14.13	14.13
Total Disbursements	249.94	14.13	264.07
Balance on Hand as of August 31, 1946	$ 7.46	$77.00	$ 84.46

Respectfully submitted,
R. C. Powell, Clerk

RECEIPTS

Sept. 1, 1945 — Aug.31,1946

	Minute Fund	Radio Fund
Blairs Fork	$ 5.50	
Buffalo Cove	2.00	
Bethany	3.00	
Cedar Rock	3.00	
Center Grove	5.00	
Central	4.50	
Clarks Chapel	3.00	
Concord	8.00	
Conways Chapel	2.40	
Dudley Shoals	5.00	
Flemmings Chapel	4.60	
Globe	2.00	
Grandview Park	3.00	
Grandin	2.00	
Granite Falls	10.00	
Green Rock	1.25	
Green Valley	1.00	
Harris Chapel	5.00	
Hartland	5.25	
Johns River	4.00	
Kings Creek	7.00	
Lenoir First	16.50	
Lower Creek	11.00	
Maple Grove	1.50	
Miller Hill	3.00	
Mt. Zion	10.00	
Mountain Grove	3.50	
Mulvale	3.00	
Nelsons Chapel	5.00	
Oak Grove	2.00	
Piney Grove	6.05	
Pooveys Chapel	2.40	12.11
Pooveys Grove	2.00	
Rhodhiss	10.00	
Rocky Springs	5.00	
Rufus	4.00	
Sardis	7.00	
South Lenoir	12.50	5.00
Union	7.00	
Union Grove	7.00	
Whitnel	6.60	
Winklers Grove	8.75	

Yadkin	5.00	
West Lenoir	3.15	
Temple Missionary	4.50	
	$232.95	$17.11

39. Caldwell Baptist Association Treasurer's Report was made by Mission Treasurer, R. L. Palmer. A motion was made to adopt this report and in the discussion which followed, the Association instructed the Clerk to turn over to Mr. Palmer all money received at the meeting and that already in the bank. Motion was passed.

CALDWELL BAPTIST MISSION FUND

Balance in Union National Bank 9-20-45		$334.24	
Received from 1945			
School of Missions	$ 164.60		
Received from thirty-four churches	1,222.13		
Received from State Convention	600.00		
Total Receipts		1,986.73	2,320.97
DISBURSEMENTS			
Miss Elizabeth Campbell			
(net salary)	$1,504.00		
Miss Campbell (travel expense	200.00		
Collector Internal Revenue	98.20		1,802.20
Balance in Bank (including $14.20 reserved for tax)			518.77
Sept. 19. 1946			

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Palmer, Treasurer

Explanatory note:		
Paid Collector Int. Revenue	$98.20	
Less tax for July, Aug., 1945	16.40	81.80
Due for July, Aug., 1946		14.20
Total deducted from salary for this Asso. year		96.00
Miss Campbell's net salary		1,504.00
Gross salary for Asso. year		1,600.00

40. At this time a report of the Board of Trustees of Associational Property was made by E. W. Smith. Motion was made that this report be adopted. After a short discussion by Mr. Smith on the needs for next year, the report was adopted.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
OF THE CALDWELL CABIN TRUSTEES

Cash in Bank September 15, 1945		$ 25.19
Receipts		
Individual Subscriptions	185.25	
Interest Refunded	4.00	
Rents Received	305.50	494.75
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$510.94
Disburements		
Note Paid	$200.00	
Power and Light	9.40	
Electric Hot Plate	9.85	
Water	5.50	
Repairs to Stove and Building	21.40	
Cleaning Supplies and Labor	22.50	268.65
Balance of Cash in Bank of Lenoir as of September 20, 1946		$251.29

We have no record of any unpaid bills at the date of this report, and the above statement is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith
C. T. Smith
W. T. Kirby

41. Report of the Committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was made by Rev. H. S. Benfield. Motion to adopt report was made, seconded and passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION OF
CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

The Committee, after making some investigations, and being convinced that a church was needed in certain localities, recommended the constitution of the following churches during the Associational year: Clover, located near Granite Falls; Temple Hill, located near Dudley Shoals, and Pleasant Hill, located near Whitnel; also Worship Point, located on the Colletsville road.

The following brethren, having been called to serve as Pastors, were examined and recommended to be ordained; Eugene McMillan, pastor of Yadkin Church, C. A. Tuttle, pastor of Nelsons Chapel, and Wm. Oliver, pastor of Mountain Grove, and Ray Davis, pastor of Temple Hill.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Benfield, (Chm.)

42. Report on Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was made by Miss Sara Posey. After due discussion, the report was adopted.

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Report to Caldwell Baptist Association, Sept. 20, 1946.

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was started in October, 1943 with a gift of $205.10 by Miss Ruth Keller for the purpose of aiding worthy students in preparation for full time Christian Service.

To date, the fund has not been used.

FINANCIAL REPORT:		
Balance—9-20-45	$954.60	
RECEIPTS:		
11-5-45 Lenoir, First, W. M. S.	10.00	
4-23-46 Annual W. M. U. Asso. Meeting	63.43	
5-19-46 Grandin W. M. S.	3.00	
7-25-46 Poovey's Grove S. S. Class	10.01	
TOTAL CONTRIBUTED THIS YEAR		$ 86.44
Total scholarship to date		$1041.04

We must as Caldwell Baptists keep this Scholarship Fund growing.

Respectfully submitted,
Sara Posey

43. Report of Historian, made by J. R. Swanson, was read and adopted.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

To the 62nd session of the Caldwell Association held with Winklers Grove Baptist Church, was first organized in 1896, reorganized in 1932. Failing to get the names of the Presbytery or the number of the Charter Members, I herewith give the names of the Pastors (viz) C. E. Beaver, R. K. Morgan, Frank Friday, L. P. Haas, J. F. Crisp, J. A. Rector, M. S. Spencer, C. M. Ervin, W. N. Cook, H. C. Hammitte, J. W. Fox, J. W. Greer, J. R. Holland. Those serving as clerks, (viz) W. H. Winkler, John R. Hosly, D. E. Bobbitt, H. W. Woods, A. J. Hildebrand, present membership, according to 1945 report 174.

Dudley Shoals Church was organized in 1861 with 11 members, the Organizing Presbytery consisting of the following ministers, William Pool, Isaac Oxford, R. L. Steele, Hueston Holtsclaw. The following have served as Pastors: R. L. Steele, Isaac Oxford, James Reid, George D. Sherril, J. T. Shell, Smith Ferguson, C. C. Pool, J. P. Gwaltney, L. P. Gwaltney, W. J. Bumgarner, W. A. Poole, H. D. Lequeux, J. M. Shaver, J. A. Downs, W. R. Beach, E. V. Bumgarner, B. F. Austin, J. W. Watts, T. E. Payne, C. A. Abernethy, J. G. Benfield, Paul Hester.

These serving as clerks: T. C. Sherill, Waitsel Palmer, F. S.

Stine, J. W. Shell, J. H. Jones, W. F. F. Palmer, F. G. Bowman, present clerk, present membership according to 1945 report 249.

The Caldwell Association has met with this Church as follows, in 1891-1904-1918-1946.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, Historian

44. Report of the Committee appointed to set the Time, Place and Preacher for the next meeting of the Association was read and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

Time — Thursday and Friday following third Sunday in September, 1947. September 25th and 26th.

Place — Thursday, September 25th, First Baptist Church, Lenoir, Friday, September 26th, Center Grove, East of Hudson.

Preacher — Rev. Fred C. Roberts.

Alternate — Rev. M. W. Stallings.

45. Election of officers. The Nominating Committee, composed of J. M. Laxton, Chm., H. W. Chester, and George Hollar, presented its report of nomination of officers for the Association for the next year. The Report was adopted. See the Directory of the Association for a complete list of these officers.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1946-1947

Moderator ..... Zeb A. Caudle
Vice-Moderator ..... C. M. Abernathy
Clerk ..... Geo. Boutwell
Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
Asso. Worker ..... Elizabeth Campbell
Sunday School Superintendent ..... J. M. Laxton
Training Union Director ..... Martha Stroupe
Orphanage Representative ..... George Steele
Biblical Recorder Representative ..... S. M. Stroupe
Historian ..... J. R. Swanson

Executive Committee: The Moderator, Zeb A. Caudle; Vice-Moderator, C. M. Abernathy; Clerk, George Boutwell; Treasurer, R. L. Palmer; Associational Worker, Elizabeth Campbell; Five Others: H. W. Chester, Fred C. Roberts, C. T. Smith, Paul Hester, D. R. Collins.

Council on Ordination of Ministers and Constitution of Churches: H. S. Benfield, 1947; O. R. Mangum, 1948; S. M. Stroupe, 1949; W. F. Woodall, 1950; M. W. Stallings, 1951.

Trustees of Associational Property Ridgecrest; One to be elected for three years, Geo. W. Hollar.

Committee on Administration of Associational Property Ridgecrest: Martha Stroupe, Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Elizabeth Campbell, Sara Posey, J. M. Laxton.

Messenger to Southern Baptist Convention: Rev. Grant P. Miller.

Messenger to State Baptist Convention: Rev. Jeta Baker.

Trustees of Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund: Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Sara Posey, Mrs. J. A. Boldin.

Associational Statistician: E. W. Smith.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. Laxton
H. W. Chester
George Hollar

46. The part of the program given to Memorials was conducted by Rev. Fred C. Roberts. In tribute to those who have passed on, He read the song, "Trusting Jesus, That is all." A list of these honored dead was read and the churches to which they belonged.

47. Report of the Resolutions Committee was read by Rev. Fred C. Roberts. Motion was made to adopt report of this Committee. Report is adopted.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your Resolutions Committee, make the following recommendations:

1. That we express our appreciation to the Winkler's Grove Baptist Church for the bountiful dinner on the first day of the meeting and to all who had a part in it.

2. That we commend the pastor, Rev. Jack Holland, and his people on the recently completed church building.

3. That we express our appreciation to the Dudley Shoals Church for the fine fellowship on the second day of the meeting, also for the nice dinner prepared in the school building.

4. That we express our gratitude to the Program Committee for the fine program and all those Caldwell people who had a part during the two days.

5. That we express our thanks to those who came from beyond our association, namely: Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Bro. John Arch McMillan, M. K. Kendall, Earl Bradley, Tom Lawrence, for the information they brought us concerning our work in our State.

6. That we, as Caldwell Baptists, resolve to accept the challenge of reaching lost men and women around us for Christ Jesus and His Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred C. Roberts
W. C. Sullivan
Sara Posey

48. Report of the Committee on Committees is made. Motion to adopt this report is made, seconded and passed.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Nominating Committee: J. M. Laxton, Chmn., H. W. Chester, George Hollar.

Resolutions Comittee: Rev. Fred C. Roberts, Walter Sullivan, Miss Sara Posey.

Committee on Time, Place and Preacher for Next Session: C. M. Abernathy, George Steele, Maynard Burgarner.

Standing Committee to Report in 1947:

Cooperative Program — (State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement) Rev. H. S. Benfield.

W. M. U., Mrs. C. A. Bowman.
Sunday Schools, J. M. Laxton.
Baptist Training Union, Miss Martha Stroupe.
Orphanage, Geo. G. Steele.
Biblical Recorder, S. M. Stroupe.
Memorials, Rev. Paul Hester.
Allied Church League, Dr. O. R. Mangum.

Respectfully submitted,
Grant R. Miller
Miss Elizabeth Campbell
J. F. Reece

49. Dr. O. R. Mangum spoke to the Association on the subject, "Caldwell Baptists and The Future." Dr. Mangum paid high tribute to some of the past members of the Association, whom he considered "Great Men." He also discussed the growth of the Caldwell Baptist Association and pointed out that the future of this Associiation was as bright as the faith of its members.

50. After singing, "Blest Be The Tie That Binds," the meeting was concluded with a prayer by Moderator, Zeb A. Caudle.

IN MEMORIAM

BETHANY—
Mr. S. M. McCloud
BLAIR'S FORK—
Mr. David Icenhour
Mr. Smith Cozort
BUFFALO COVE—
Mrs. Juliette Simmons
CEDAR ROCK—
Mr. Joe Holder
CENTRAL—
Mr. W. O. Gilbert
CLOVER—
Mr. Boss Dishman
CONWAY'S CHAPEL—
Mrs. Ned Brown
DUDLEY SHOALS—
Mrs. Myrtie Moody
GRANITE FALLS, First—
Mrs. John Munday
GREEN VALLEY—
Mr. Dwight Greene
HARTLAND—
Rev. T. E. Payne
JOHN'S RIVER—
Mrs. Stella Coffey Hall
KING'S CREEK—
Mrs. Lou M. Bohlen
Mrs. Mattie Barlow
Mr. F. G. Andrews
Mrs. Rex Laxton
LENOIR, First—
Mr. L. B. McGhee
Mr. Claude G. Yates
Mr. J. K. Wells
Mrs. J. K. Wells
LOWER CREEK—
Mrs. Mary Heffner
Mrs. J. S. Haas
Mrs. J. R. Barlow
Mr. J. R. Barlow
Mrs. M. D. Helderman
Mrs. Maggie Fox
MAPLE GROVE—
Mr. Seth Bradshaw
Mr. Leonard Philyaw
MT. ZION—
Mrs. Henry Annas
Mr. Marvin Ogles
MOUNTAIN GROVE—
Mr. W. M. Smith
NELSON'S CHAPEL—
Mrs. C. J. Dobbins
PINEY GROVE—
Mrs. C. J. Melton
Mrs. Maude Dula
PISGAH—
Mr. R. L. Pearson
Mrs. R. L. Pearson
POOVEY'S CHAPEL—
Mr. W. A. Haas
Mr. John A. Cannon
RHODHISS—
Mrs. Eula Weaver
SARDIS—
Mr. George McLean
Mrs. M. P. Sanford
SOUTH LENOIR—
Pfc. Russell Beach
Miss Eva Chester
Mr. W. A. Harris
Mrs. Ida Jackson
Mr. D. W. Presslar
Mrs. B. K. Rhodes
Mr. Jack Truesdale
Mrs. Laura Winkler
TEMPLE MISSIONARY—
Mr. Dallas Summerlin
UNION GROVE—
Mr. Fred Smith
Mr. George Smith
WHITNEL—
Miss Ella Hice

WMU Program and Reports

Program For The 1946 Associational W. M. U. Meeting April 23, 1946

THEME: *CHRIST FOR THE WORLD*

10:00—Hymn: "We've a Story to Tell to the Nation"
Watchwords: (In Unison)
"Laborers Together with God." I Cor. 3:9
"Look unto me and be ye saved, all ye ends of the earth, for I am God, and there is none else." Isaiah 45:22
"For ye serve the Lord Christ" Colossians 3:24 (b)
Season of Prayer
God's guidance during the way ..... Mrs. W. F. Woodall
Those on Prayer Calendar ..... Mrs. O. R. Mangum
The Whole Wide World ..... Miss Ruth Keller

10:10—Meditation "Christ for the World" Miss Elizabeth Campbell

10:20—Welcome ..... Mrs. D. W. Annas
Response ..... Mrs. P. D. Fletcher

10:25—Laborers in a World-Wide Task
Recognition of Work Done ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
"Know Your World Through Mission Study"
Mrs. J. A. Boldin
"Serve Your World Through Community Missions"
Mrs. J. G. Benfield
"Our Debt To The World Through Stewardship"
Mrs. Dewey Annas

11:05—Hymn: "Lead On O King Eternal" (1 Verse)

11:10—The Urgency of Making Him Known-State Worker—
Miss Ruth Keller

11:40—Hymn: "Lead On O King Eternal" (2nd Verse)

11:45—The World For Christ ..... D. M. Lawton, Missionary

12:30—Lunch

1:45—Hymn: "O Zion Haste"

1:50—Moments of Meditation ..... Miss Rebecca Kirby

1:55—Open Forum—Question and Answer Period

2:05—"World Wide Service"—Margaret Fund and Training School Report ..... Miss Sara Posey

2:10—Young People—The Hope of the World—
Miss Annie Belle Steele

3:15—Hymn: "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross
Prayer ..... Rev. Paul Hester

Report Of Missionary Study For 1945

No. Mission Study Classes	49
(W. M. S. classes 26—Young People's Classes 23)	
No. Record Cards	42
No. Certificates	126
No. Small Seals	387
No. Official Seals	3
No. Reading Stamps	13
No. Reading Stamps	13
No. Engaged in Study	346
No. Receiving Awards	265

OFFICE REPORT

No. Books Ordered for Association Library	19
No. Letters and Postals Written	45
No. Packages of Mission Study Awards Mailed	35
No. Telephone Calls	25

SUGGESTED AIMS FOR 1946

1. At least one class in *every* organization
2. Every Association with Institute
3. Emphasis on "Schools of Missions"
4. Emphasis on "Missionary Round Tables" in local Societies
5. At least one *Missionary* book read by *every* members of *every* W. M. U. Organization during the year.

Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mission Study Chm.

Report On Young People's W. M. U.

Number of Churches in Association	50
Number of Missionary Organizations	19
(Y. W. A. 6; G. A. 6; R. A. 3.... Sunbeams 4)	
Number Organized in '45	6
Number of members	163
Numbers of Full Graded Unions	1
Totals Gifts	$966.52
Letters and postals written by leader	153

SUGGESTED GOALS FOR 1946

1. That we organize at least 20 new W. M. U. Young Peoples' Organizations.
2. That we increase our gifts at least 10 per cent.
3. Every organization using Stewardship Education Plans regularly.

We want you to hear about our 1946 Program for the first quarter ending March 31, 1946.

1. Total members for 1945	185
2. Number of members at this time	332
(Y. W. A. 46; G. A. 96; R. A. 100; Sunbeams 90)	

3. There have already been 11 new organizations, making a total of 30.

	Y. W. A.	G. A.	R. A.	Sunbeams
Granite Falls First		Intermediate	Intermediate	
		Junior	Junior	Yes
		Pooveys Grove		
South Lenoir		Intermediate	Intermediate	
		Junior	Junior	Yes
Lower Creek		Yes	Yes	Yes
Rho		Rhodiss	Yes	Yes
Mt. Zion			Yes	
Nelson's Chapel		Yes		Yes
Center Grove				
Lenoir First		Yes	Yes	Yes

OUR HOPE FOR YEARS TO COME

Young People at work:

Sunbeams, Lenoir First

Girls' Auxiliary, Granite Falls First, Coronation Service.

Royal Ambassadors, South Lenoir (play) "The Value of a Boy"

Camp Plans for 1946

"Who Leads the Child," Miss Annie Belle Steele

Special Music, Rhodiss

Secretary's Report

Collected for Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund	$105.00
Amount collected for W. M. U. Associational Expense fund	18.37
Associational W. M. U. Expenses:	
Mailing expenses	$6.94
Programs	2.15
Mailing report blanks	.75
Library	7.00
	16.84
Balance	1.53

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Fred S. Bowman

Report Of Committee On Recommendations

With gratitude to God for His many blessings upon us during the past year, and in view of the conditions in the world today, we recommend:

1. That we stress the missionary education of our young people by sponsoring their organizations.

2. That we do our best to supply candidates for appointment and funds to maintain the needed 2,000 missionaries during the next five years.

3. That we stress in our W. M. S. the importance of a sacrificial offering for the Heck Memorial Offering in June.

4. That each member contribute 10 cents a year for associational expense fund.

5. That we earnestly pray God's blessings on our boys who are still serving our Country overseas and at home.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. W. F. Woodall
Mrs. J. H. Craig
Mrs. F. C. Roberts

Appreciations

We pause to give our heartfelt thanks:

1. For the beautiful day that the Lord has honored us with.

2. For the loving thoughts and deeds of the Mt. Zion people that have made glad our hearts, and full our stomachs today.

3. For the work of the program committee who gave us such an inspiring program.

4. For all those, who spoke the Lord's message for us today, the foreign missionary and all those at home.

5. For the attendance of you from the Sunbeam baby to the pastor advisor.

6. For the work of our officers during the past year — especially Mrs. Bowman and ouh missionary Elizabeth.

7. For the presence of the Spirit of God in all our doings.

For all this we offer our humble thanks.

Sarah Posey
Mrs. J. G. Benfield
Ruth Keller

Report Of Nominating Committee, 1946

President ..... Mrs. Boman
Associate ..... Mrs. Dewey Annas
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mrs. Ferd S. Bowman
Young Peoples' Leader ..... Miss Steele
Community Missions ..... Mrs. Joe Benfield
Mission Study ..... Mrs. J. A. Bolden
Library ..... Miss Ella Dixon

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. D. R. Mangum
Mrs. J. N. Moore
Mrs. W. F. Kerley

Superintendent's Report

Number of churches with W. M. S. 21
Total number of women and young people 907

Number miles traveled	904
Number letters written	294
Number Societies visited	10
Number Associational mass meetings held	5

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman

Librarian's Report

Books loaned	29
Books returned	22
Books purchased	19
Books donated	3
Books in Library	341

Respectfully submitted,
Eller Dickson

Churches Represented

Concord	4
Center Grove	2
Dudley Shoals	3
Lenoir First	5
Grandin	3
Granite Falls	15
Hartland	3
King's Creek	3
Mt. Grove	
Mt. Zion	15
Nelson's Chapel	2
Poovey's Grove	4
Rhodhiss	2
Sardis	3
South Lenoir	5
Union	
Whitnel	
Lower Creek	6

3 presidents
2 pastors.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I—CHUCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	OC-V-T-C	Year Organized	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Baptisms	Gained by Letter	Other Additions	Lost by Letter	Lost by Death	Other Losses	Present Residence Members	Non-Resident Members	Total Present Members	Prayer Meetings Held Weekly	No. Revival Meetings	Spent on Building, Remodeling Last Year	Value Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Church Debt
Bethany	OC	1902	Rev. L. B. Beane, Collettsville	9	4	...	4	1	...	103	....	103	...	1	100.00	.....	1100	.....
Blairs Fork	T	1891	....	1	4	1	8	2	1	201	....	201	*	...	27.25	.....	2500	.....
Buffalo Cove	OC	1857	J. H. Nelson, R5, Lenoir	7	1	...	1	1	...	61	70	131	*	1	.....	.....	1000	.....
Calvary	V	1945	Rev. J. E. Crump, Hudson	20	25	...	...	...	...	91	....	91	...	2	.....	.....	5000	.....
Cedar Rock	OC	1942	Rev. Will P. Bolick, R3, Lenoir	1	5	...	1	1	...	48	18	56	*	1	60.66	.....	1500	.....
Center Grove	OC	1912	Rev. E. R. Teague. Box 18, Hudson	3	6	1	13	...	...	102	....	102	*	1	300.00	.....	2235	.....
Central	T	1938	Rev. J. H. Crisp, R3, Lenoir	15	8	1	2	1	2	257	....	257	*	2	3687.95	3000	11000	277.47
Clarks Chapel	OC	1900	Rev. J. W. Ramsey, Valdese	10	...	...	8	...	...	115	70	185	...	1	.....	.....	2000	.....
Clover	OC	....	Rev. Grady H. Hamby, Granite Falls	38	48	16	6	1	8	86	6	92	*	3	3000.00	.....	20000	2000.00
Concord	T	1908	Rev. Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls	6	3	...	8	...	...	248	30	278	*	2	.....	5000	33000	.....
Conways Chapel	OC	....	Rev. Jay Younce, Lenoir	2	2	1	1	1	...	69	....	69	*	1	.....	.....	1500	.....
Dudley Shoals	OC	1861	Rev. Paul Hester, R1, Hudson	18	...	...	5	1	...	249	12	261	....	1	.....	.....	4500	.....
Edgemont	T	....	....	No Report						.....	.....	.....	No Report			.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	OC	1888	Rev. J. S. Silvers, R8, Lenoir	7	2	...	...	...	...	107	26	132	...	1	.....	.....	2250	.....
Globe	OC	1860	Rev. L. B. Beane, Collettsville	18	9	...	7	...	...	75	83	158	*	1	650.00	.....	1000	.....
Grandview Park	OC	1930	Rev. J. S. Silvers, R8, Lenoir	5	2	...	4	...	...	90	...	90	*	2	.....	.....	3000	.....
Grandin	OC	1914	Rev. W. O. Johnson, Taylorsville	2	5	6	1	...	...	55	20	75	...	1	950.88	.....	4000	.....
Granite Falls First	T	1907	Rev. Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	12	12	...	15	1	...	440	....	440	*	1	100.00	3000	.....	.....
Green Rock	OC	1922	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	(Last Yr.)	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	OC	1888	Rev. L. B. Beane, Collettsville	4	2	...	...	1	...	43	....	43	...	1	.....	.....	850	.....
Harris Chapel	OC	1912	Rev. W. R. Moss, R3, Lenoir	19	12	...	5	...	...	200	36	236	...	1	.....	.....	2300	.....
Hartland	OC	1938	Rev. H. L. Phillips, Morganton	15	23	2	12	1	...	153	18	171	...	2	5168.80	.....	1200	.....
Johns River	OC	1890	Rev. Horace Harris, Oil Ave, Lenoir	...	3	...	3	1	...	126	....	126	...	...	.....	.....	1000	.....
Kings Creek	OC	1779	Rev. Grant R. Miller, Jr., Kings Creek	12	7	...	7	4	1	306	75	388	...	1	.....	5000	15000	.....
Lenoir First	C	1889	Dr. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir	29	19	...	17	4	...	887	....	887	*	1	8793.83	.....	180000	.....
Longford	OC	1934	Rev. S. M. Stroupe, Ganite Falls	8	1	...	8	...	...	195	....	195	*	2	726.58	.....	2574	.....
Lovelady	OC	1937	Rev. W. E. Keller, R4, Hickory	19	10	5	...	...	...	116	....	116	*	3	3000.00	1500	6000	.....
Lower Creek	V	1826	Rev. Zeb A. Caudle, Box 592, Lenoir	13	9	2	11	6	3	556	....	556	*	1	.....	7000	77000	.....
Maple Grove	OC	....	Rev. J. W. Fox, Lenoir	4	...	...	4	2	...	119	....	119	...	1	.....	.....	1800	.....

Miller Hill	V	1935	Rev. J. S. Silvers, R4, Lenoir	3	4					102		102	*	1	45.65	2000	4000	122.36
Mt. Zion	OC	1889	Rev. Paul Hester, R1, Lenoir	17	15		1	2		382		382	*	2		1500	8500	60.00
Mountain Grove	OC	1884	Rev. Wm. D. Oliver, Granite Falls		4		1	1		243		243	*	2			6000	
Mulberry	OC	1853	Rev. R. B. Miller, Hudson	6	1		3			67		67	*	1			500	
Mulvale	OC	1941	Rev. Clinard Brooks, Granite Falls	1			6			87		87		1	270.00		4736	
Nelsons Chapel	OC	1905	Rev. Clifton Tuttle, R8, Lenoir	1		1	3	1		51	35	86		1	1012.05		3000	1500.00
Oak Grove	OC	1938	Rev. Getter R. Poarch, Rhodhiss	15	5	5	2			85	21	106	*	2			500	
Piney Grove	OC	1869	Rev. E. C. Hodges, Hendrix	10	2		10	2	1	164		164	*	1			5000	
Pleasant Hill	OC	....	Rev. C. F. Cook	1	9		9							Report Not Complete				
Pisgah	OC	1877	Rev. Gordon Crump, 24th St., Hickory	13	6		9	2	1	89	3	92	*	2			4000	
Pooveys Chapel	OC	1932	Rev. A. F. Knight, Hudson	3	9		2	2		112	13	125	*	1			500	
Poovey's Grove	OC	1898	Rev. S. M. Stroupe, Granite Falls				3		1	136	45	181	*	1		4000	10300	
Rhodhiss	T	1906	Rev. Jeta Baker, Rhodhiss	27	7		12	1		246	150	396	*	1			10000	
Rocky Springs	T	1906	Rev. Horace Harris, Oil Ave., Lenoir	6	15	1	11			84	18	102	*	1			2500	
Rufus	OC	1940	Rev. Will P. Bolick, R3, Lenoir	8	1					54	6	60		1			1000	
Sardis	T	1831	Rev. H. S. Benfield, Hudson	28	21	1	24	2	2	360	87	447	*	2	2500.00	4000	12000	
South Lenoir	C	1910	Rev. W. F. Woodall, Lenoir	62	71	7	29	8	9	778	194	972	*			7500	45500	
Temple Missionary	OC	1944	Rev. Lane N. Puett, Lenoir	3	2		2	1	7	62	5	67	*	2	115.63		6000	
Temple Hill	..	....		No Report														
Union	OC	1814	Rev. Grant R. Miller, Jr., Kings Creek	4	1		8			371		371		1	1329.53		13000	
Union Grove	OC	1898	Rev. Paul Wilson, R3, Morganton	3			9	2		139	80	219	*	2			4800	
Whitnel First	T	1925	Rev. M. W. Stallings, R2, Lenoir	9	8		3	1		210		210	*	2		5000	15000	3000.00
Winklers Grove	OC	1896	Rev. J. R. Holland, Longview	30	3	5	6			150	56	206	*	2	3530.61		5000	
West Lenoir	C	1943	Rev. C. M. Curtis, Box 91, Hudson		7		8			93		93	*	2	145.50		1400	
Yadkin	OC	1791	Rev. Eugene McMillan, Lenoir	6	2	1	25	3	7	328		328	*	1			7000	
Yadkin Valley	OC	1935	Rev. O. C. Dellinger, R8, Lenoir	2	5	1	1			61		61		2			1000	
TOTALS	..	....		555	420	57	338	57	43	9584	1176	10725		69	32814.92	48500	550000	6959.83

TABLE II. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPT. J. Malcom Laxton, Kings Creek SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll, Under 3	Beginners, 4-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults 25 and Up	Extension Dept.	Gen., Dept. Officers	Tot. Enrollment, Including Ofcrs. Teachrs	Average Attendance	Have 16 MM Proj.?	Have V. B. S.?	Enrollment V. B. S.	Av. Att. V. B. S.
Bethany	Grady Greene, R8, Lenoir	...	14	...	15	....	12	23	...	...	64	25	...	...	....	....
Blairs Fork	John Taylor, R5, Lenoir	...	23	18	20	22	42	44	...	2	171	94	...	...	....	....
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley	...	15	14	30	12	30	25	...	...	126	68	...	...	....	....
Calvary	Hugh Kincade, R8, Lenoir	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	...	123	80	...	...	....	....
Cedar Rock	Curmet Woodie, R3, Lenoir	...	13	8	....	14	18	22	5	7	80	40	...	...	....	....
Center Grove	Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Hudson	15	11	10	24	10	36	14	...	...	132	90	...	...	....	....
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel	15	10	24	27	24	46	32	...	9	187	110	...	...	....	....
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, R6, Lenoir	0	18	19	30	19	29	50	...	2	167	72	...	*	49	41
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls	18	30	40	35	26	16	43	3	...	223	91	...	*	169	45
Concord	George W. Hollor, Granite Falls	42	21	41	58	59	42	69	5	12	355	135	...	*	130	105
Conways Chapel	Roy Branch, R3, Morganton	...	5	...	9	....	10	10	...	7	41	35	...	...	....	....
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls	...	34	20	21	25	24	60	...	3	184	98	...	*	58	51
Edgemont	No Report															
Flemings Chapel	C. R. McFela, R7, Lenoir	...	9	8	10	18	20	30	...	2	105	95	...	...	....	....
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe	...	20	...	12	....	20	20	...	...	72	45	...	...	....	....
Grandview Park	Charles Melton, R6, Lenoir	...	15	19	18	17	22	31	...	...	123	90	...	*	90	80
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, R1, Lenoir	3	12	9	10	10	12	17	...	2	75	45	...	*	31	26
Granite Falls First	W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls	10	23	56	62	55	42	106	24	4	342	178	...	*	125	113
Green Rock	No Report															
Green Valley	James Philyaw, Colletsville	...	18	...	....	10	....	20	...	2	50	25	...	...	....	....
Harris Chapel	E. A. Houk, R1, Hudson	7	30	18	30	33	34	42	...	2	196	127	...	*	50	45
Hartland	Oscar Martin	...	30	...	26	21	41	55	...	1	174	95	...	*	21	15
Johns River	B. C. Estes, R8, Lenoir	...	12	...	15	....	15	15	...	...	57	35	...	...	....	....
Kings Creek	V. W. Roberts, R1, Lenoir	12	20	18	56	46	48	67	10	...	272	145	...	*	88	77
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	28	53	54	78	88	60	237	...	9	607	361	...	*	98	82
Longford	Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir	...	10	18	33	26	27	39	...	...	153	80	...	*	22	20
Lovelady	J. Harry Williams, Granite Falls	12	11	14	20	25	23	30	...	2	137	115	...	*	18	15
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, R1, Lenoir	21	34	35	55	46	59	105	26	12	393	237	*	*	145	128
Maple Grove	J. V. Beane, Colletsville	5	8	7	6	4	9	8	...	...	47	25	...	...	....	....

Miller Hill	James Teeters, R6, Lenoir	...	18	16	10	16	3	24	...	...	87	56	...	*	54	42
Mt. Zion	Maynard Bumgarner, Granite Falls	28	20	23	32	26	38	75	12	3	331	157	...	*	70	55
Mountain Grove	C. B. Ballinger, Granite Falls	16	14	18	38	28	14	58	...	3	190	120	...	*	54	45
Mulberry	B. F. Estes, R7, Lenoir	...	12	...	7	8	10	15	...	...	52	40	...	...	...	...
Mulvale	Cecil Clark, R4, Lenoir	10	11	16	14	21	19	22	...	2	115	46	...	*	31	25
Nelsons Chapel	Luther Sudderth, R8, Lenoir	...	10	8	12	10	16	29	...	2	87	61	...	*	21	15
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, Granite Falls	...	...	20	35	30	30	35	10	...	150	87	...	*	53	40
Piney Grove	W. G. Sullivan, R5, Lenoir	13	16	15	26	23	32	37	...	10	107	75	...	*	37	33
Pleasant Hill	Jay Setzer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	71	...	...	...	...	...
Pisgah	John Pope, R8, Lenoir	...	10	...	15	...	27	23	...	...	75	55	...	...	...	...
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Ekard, Hudson	...	30	18	18	25	25	24	...	3	143	98	...	...	...	...
Poovey's Grove	Harvey Sherrill, Granite Falls	8	9	10	20	20	26	44	...	...	137	88	...	*	...	...
Rhodhiss	T. L. Benfield, (Asst.) Rhodhiss	12	10	43	60	34	35	58	...	3	218	147	...	*	149	121
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, R8, Lenoir	...	28	...	12	19	24	25	...	...	108	65	...	...	...	...
Rufus	W. C. Greene, R7, Lenoir	...	...	8	15	...	...	31	...	...	54	30	...	...	...	...
Sardis	H. B. Smith, Hudson	...	26	38	49	37	48	90	22	10	320	148	...	*	117	97
South Lenoir	M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway, Lenoir	55	73	90	148	108	127	201	...	21	823	382	...	*	175	148
Temple Missionary	N. E. Johnson, R5, Lenoir	...	18	...	15	15	18	21	...	...	95	55	...	*	35	30
Temple Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Union	Clyde Roberts, R2, Lenoir	...	15	18	33	23	82	20	11	...	202	88	...	*	58	50
Union Grove	Ira Bolick, R3, Lenoir	10	14	10	9	10	20	77	...	2	150	105	...	...	...	...
Whitnel First	W. D. Goble, Jr., Whitnel	11	19	18	46	21	10	50	...	5	180	100	...	*	70	65
Winklers Grove	Claude Huffman, R3, Hickory	...	17	...	25	26	....	55	...	...	123	90	...	...	...	...
West Lenoir	W. F. Whiting, Bradford St., Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	80	...	*	49	42
Yadkin	D. O. Taylor, R5, Lenoir	14	31	31	34	26	65	50	...	...	251	174	...	*	157	110
Yadkin Valley	Virgil Gragg, R5, Lenoir	...	10	...	7	....	8	13	...	...	38	20	...	...	...	...
TOTALS	...	361	879	829	1346	1110	1349	2241	128	146	8881	5003	...	...	2224	1769

TABLE III. TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Miss Martha Stroupe, R2 Granite Falls TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Y. P. Unions	Int. Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Tot. Unions, St. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People	Int Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hrs. Enrolled	Gen. Dept. Officers	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Youth Week	Chr. Home Week
Bethany		No Training Union Report															
Blairs Fork		No Training Union Report															
Buffalo Cove		No Training Union Report															
Calvary		No Training Union Report															
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Holler, R1, Lenoir	1	1				2	5	12					17			
Center Grove	W. R. Edwards, Hudson	1	1	1	1	1	5							37	25		
Central	Mrs. C. T. Tedder, R6, Lenoir	1		1	1		3	19		16	17		5	57	23		
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, R3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	14	15	15	12		66	42		
Clover	Coy Suddreth, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	18	15	13	25	22		93	45		
Concord	Ray Goble, Granite Falls	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	20	11	19	5	11	83	43		
Conways Chapel		No Training Union Report															
Dudley Shoals	Tallie Reed, Granite Falls	1		1	1		3	42		39	8		7	89	53		
Edgemont		No Training Union Report															
Flemings Chapel	Eugene King, R4, Lenoir		1	1			2		18	18				36			
Globe		No Training Union Report															
Grandview Park	Mrs. Edith Melton, R6, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	18	17	12	15		71	60		
Grandin		No Training Union Report															
Granite Falls First	C. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	1	1	1	1		4	30	16	20	24			80	50	*	*
Green Rock		No Training Union Report															
Green Valley		No Training Union Report															
Harris Chapel	Inez Moss, R3, Lenoir	1		1	1		3	12		15	29		2	58	36		
Hartland	O'Neal Owens, R4, Lenoir	1	1	1	1		4	19	18	12	17			66	55		
Johns River		No Training Union Report															
Kings Creek	R. V. Boggs, R1, Lenoir	1		1	1	1	4	8		34	25	6	10	83	43		
Lenoir First	C. E. Beach, Lenoir	1	1	3	1	1	7	45	23	50	24		9	151	85		
Longford	L. T. Coffey, R7, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	13	16	7	11	8		55	37		
Lovelady	June Weaver, Hickory	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	8	20	12	6	1	60	40	*	*
Lower Creek	Mrs. J. C. Pilkenton, R1, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	21	26	21	16	8	3	96	60		
Maple Grove		No Training Union Report															

Miller Hill		No Training Union Report																							
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith, R1, Hudson	1	2	1	1	1	6	16	26	22	20	8		94	57		
Mountain Grove	Miss Clyde Smith, R2, Granite Falls	1		1	1		3	8		16	18			42	30		
Mulberry		No Training Union Report																							
Mulvale		No Training Union Report																							
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Luther Suddreth, R8, Lenoir				1			1			24				24	12		
Oak Grove		No Training Union Report																							
Piney Grove		No Training Union Report																							
Pleasant Hill		No Training Union Report																							
Pisgah		No Training Union Report																							
Pooveys Chapel		No Training Union Report																							
Poovey's Grove	Martha Stroupe, Granite Falls	1	1	1	1		4	14	10	12	8			44			
Rhodhiss	Boyd Kirby, R2, Granite Falls	1		2	2	1	6	12		16	29	25	7	89	61		
Rocky Springs		No Training Union Report																							
Rufus		No Training Union Report																							
Sardis	C. W. Wilkie, Hudson	1	1	1	1	1	5	11	14	26	14	7	2	74	31		
South Lenoir	B. B. Byers, Lenoir	2	1	2	2	2	9	45	14	37	53	26	8	183	86		
Temple Missionary		No Training Union Report																							
Temple Hill		No Training Union Report																							
Union	Melvin Shaver, R2, Lenoir	1		1	1	1	4	22		16	19	12		69			
Union Grove		No Training Union Report																							
Whitnel First	Jerline Craig, Whitnel	1		1	1		3	12		18	23		4	53	40		
Winklers Grove		No Training Union Report																							
West Lenoir		No Training Union Report																							
Yadkin	Mrs. Julia Isaac, R5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	36	27	25	19	11	12	130	80		
Yadkin Valley		No Training Union Report																							
TOTALS		26	19	31	27	17	120	458	295	520	457	171	81	1982	1014		

TABLE IV. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	Associational President Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	Number W. M. S.	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number G. A.'s	Number R. A.'s	Number Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W.M.S. Members	Y.W.A. Members	G.A. Members	R.A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members	Enrolled In Mission Study	Contributions (Local Work) Given By W.M.U.	Contributions (Missions) Given By W.M.U.
Bethany	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Blairs Fork	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Buffalo Cove	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Calvary	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Cedar Rock	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Center Grove	Mrs. E. R. Teague, Hudson	1	1				2	11	6				17		13.25	38.08
Central	Mrs. C. T. Tedder, R6, Lenoir	1					1	10					10		5.50	
Clarks Chapel	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Clover	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Concord	Mrs. H. D. Travis, Granite Falls	1		1			2	32		12			44		1530.08	314.93
Conways Chapel	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls	1					1	18					18		8.22	32.50
Edgemont	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Flemings Chapel	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Globe	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Grandview Park	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, R1, Lenoir	1					1	9					9	6	50.00	62.04
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Carr Cline, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	40	15	18	19	22	114	80	235.28	139.47
Green Rock	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Green Valley	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Harris Chapel	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Hartland	Mrs. Jack Branch, R3, Morganton	1					1	36					36		22.50	30.60
Johns River	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Kings Creek	Mrs. V. W. Roberts, R.F.D., Lenoir	1					1	15					15	10		107.75
Lenoir First	Mrs. A. Y. Cottrell, Lenoir	1	1	2	1	1	6	100	15	25	16	27	183	139	8012.36	3629.92
Longford	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Lovelady	.....	No W.M.U. Report														
Lower Creek	Mrs. L. J. Rish, Willow St., Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	50	10	16	8	9	93	50		2155.80
Maple Grove	.....	No W.M.U. Report														

Miller Hill		No W.M.U. Report																			
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Lillie Annas, R1, Hudson	2		2	2		6	18		21	12		51	5		79.10					
Mountain Grove		No W.M.U. Report																			
Mulberry		No W.M.U. Report																			
Mulvale		No W.M.U. Report																			
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Jos. H. Craig, R8, Lenoir	1	1			1	3	10	10			11	31	3		63.75					
Oak Grove		No W.M.U. Report																			
Piney Grove		No W.M.U. Report																			
Pleasant Hill		No W.M.U. Report																			
Pisgah		No W.M.U. Report																			
Pooveys Chapel		No W.M.U. Report																			
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Virgie McCorkle, R2, Gran. Falls	1	1	1		1	4	15	15	12			42		73.00	166.16					
Rhodhiss	Mrs. J. G. Benfield, R2, Granite Falls	1		2	1	1	5	14		20	21	26	81	24		301.65					
Rocky Springs		No W.M.U. Report																			
Rufus		No W.M.U. Report																			
Sardis	Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Hudson	1		1			2	9		18			27			38.36					
South Lenoir	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Lenoir	1	1	2	2	1	7	70	14	29	20	27	160	117	5002.98	861.24					
Temple Missionary		No W.M.U. Report																			
Temple Hill		No W.M.U. Report																			
Union		No W.M.U. Report																			
Union Grove		No W.M.U. Report																			
Whitnel First	Mrs. Wylmoth Jenkins, R3, Lenoir	1					1	12					12			33.77					
Winklers Grove	Mrs. A. M. Hoskins, R4, Hickory	1					1	8					8		175.96	5.00					
West Lenoir		No W.M.U. Report																			
Yadkin	Mrs. Eugene McMillan, Lenoir																				
Yadkin Valley		No W.M.U. Report													71.11						
TOTALS		19	7	14	9	6	56	477	85	171	96	122	951	434	15200.24	8059.52					

Pooveys Grove reports Brotherhood with Earl Holman as director.

TABLE VI. GIFTS FOR LOCAL WORK OF CHURCH

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER R. L. Palmer, Lenoir CHURCH TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Incidentals—Janitor, Fuel, Water, Repairs, Insur., etc.	Asstant Pastor, Educational Director, Choir Leader, etc.	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Paid on Church Debt Out of Current Funds	Literature—Church Paper, Song Books, etc.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Building Fund (Amount Given Last Year)	Other Objects	Total Given For Local Church Work
Bethany	Lela Greene, R8, Lenoir	112.00	.....	.....	35.50	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	159.50
Blairs Fork	C. M. Isaac, R4, Lenoir	1887.71	166.85	20.00	.....	.....	51.70	63.40	5.00	868.27	177.55	3230.48
Buffalo Cove	....	266.48	39.00	41.00	.....	.....	36.09	.....	5.00	.....	.....	327.57
Calvary	....	1846.92	.....	.....	118.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1965.12
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mamie Holler, R1, Lenoir	179.38	58.81	18.59	18.48	60.66	69.76	15.61	.....	.....	.....	413.29
Center Grove	D. W. Fox, R1, Hudson	1813.00	87.10	10.00	60.00	.....	56.10	78.85	.....	.....	188.00	2303.05
Central	R. O. Campbell, Lenoir	1720.00	504.27	.....	180.39	322.78	143.49	52.57	4.50	3578.14	184.28	6690.42
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Geo. R. Craig, R6, Lenoir	1050.60	62.60	.....	96.00	.....	193.00	12.00	.....	356.35	137.36	1817.91
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls	1920.00	783.24	.....	245.84	2484.51	39.01	35.00	3.00	500.00	818.81	5807.89
Concord	J. N. Clay, Granite Falls	2730.00	1444.85	50.00	125.00	.....	264.32	102.23	.....	1587.10	25.00	6328.50
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, R4, Lenoir	191.08	138.20	.....	40.00	83.79	23.85	.....	10.20	.....	59.50	546.62
Dudley Shoals	Maynard Starnes, Granite Falls	1115.00	173.84	35.00	80.00	.....	99.70	.....	.....	.....	135.00	1938.54
Edgemont	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, R4, Lenoir	400.00	77.77	15.00	35.00	.....	41.87	.....	.....	.....	126.95	706.59
Globe	R. C. Cook, Globe	351.06	.....	37.00	175.20	.....	41.01	74.15	.....	56.00	7.29	705.01
Grandview Park	Fay Watson, R6, Lenoir	516.00	103.00	98.00	.....	.....	58.80	11.85	.....	150.00	150.22	1087.87
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, R1, Lenoir	457.05	953.63	.....	87.00	.....	52.65	50.00	2.00	.....	18.00	1614.58
Granite Falls First	C. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	2600 00	613.40	700.00	235.00	.....	499.36	.....	10.00	6430.29	1508.40	12596.45
Green Rock	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	J. B. Hayes, R8, Lenoir	83.43	10.00	.....	30.59	.....	11.25	.....	1.00	.....	.....	136.22
Harris Chapel	Ben A. Sullivan, R1, Hudson	1088.60	112.49	.....	43.00	.....	164.68	.....	5.00	5854.61	595.80	7863.58
Hartland	Floyd Greene, R4, Lenoir	1630.00	129.83	.....	267.06	.....	103.66	153.40	.....	.....	264.37	2548.32
Johns River	R. C. Estes, R8, Lenoir	265.28	21.00	.....	.....	.....	30.25	.....	6.00	.....	.....	322.51
Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, R1, Lenoir	1000.00	261.37	.....	135.66	.....	144.35	.....	.....	3507.61	205.41	5253.74
Lenoir First	Will Watson, Lenoir	4000.00	5628.80	2057.50	365.26	1530.00	1410.81	1046.31	16.50	2570.20	6941.70	25567.06
Longford	C. H. Coffey, R5, Lenoir	900.00	851.61	21.00	88.85	.....	102.80	.....	.....	.....	94.97	2059.26
Lovelady	....	1350.00	56.00	.....	180.00	.....	110.00	20.00	20.00	.....	.....	1736.00
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Box 348, Lenoir	3000 00	2636.69	120.00	180.37	.....	505.26	.....	11.00	80.25	2002.67	8536.26
Maple Grove	Nina Coffey, Mortimer	128.48	7.25	.....	.....	.....	15.01	74.95	.....	.....	.....	225.69

Miller Hill	Mrs. Agnes Smith, R6, Lenoir	705.00	81.39		101.08	280.50	45.15	98.08	3.00			1314.20
Mt. Zion	Albert Barker, R1, Hudson	1457.00	541.00	30.00	295.00	144.00	280.00	316.00		615.00	1058.00	4736.00
Mountain Grove	Midas Bolick, R2, Granite Falls	1062.50	208.68	85.26	120.00		215.42	12.03			24.07	1727.96
Mulberry		222.18			56.25		21.50		7.77			307.70
Mulvale	Mrs. Maude Moore, R4, Lenoir	375.00	302.68		104.35	270.00	42.68	10.00	3.00		43.26	1150.97
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, R8, Lenoir	529.96	1463.73		57.68	253.00	71.71	10.75	5.00	775.88	32.15	2946.86
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, R2, Granite Falls	820.58	120.96		221.42		81.60				498.23	1742.79
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, R5, Lenoir	494.22	316.21	24.07	92.59		85.66	12.06			19.91	1044.72
Pleasant Hill												
Pisgah	Mrs. Earl Gentry, Box 565, Lenoir	804.25	97.00		332.44		26.70					1260.38
Pooveys Chapel	Aron Hartley	803.79	95.45		100.49		50.65	68.41		570.00	62.11	1750.90
Poovey's Grove	H. J. Starnes, R.F.D., Granite Falls	774.44	172.10		108.00	500.00	137.51				430.03	2122.08
Rhodhiss	W. W. Hinson, Rhodhiss	2860.00	791.52	88.00	180.37	25.00	10.00	750.00	340.79			5045.68
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville	319.60	98.32	20.00	68.35		39.77	33.00	5.00		92.87	676.91
Rufus	W. B. Greene, R7, Lenoir	190.00	47.47	20.10	186.00		32.41					475.98
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson	1820.00	300.80		235.00	2500.00	382.42	204.65	7.00	3688.29	719.61	9875.15
South Lenoir	H. W. Chester, Powell Ave., Lenoir	3435.00	2681.89	1725.00	45.00	1854.07	637.30	367.30	12.50	11700.00	852.30	
Temple Missionary	N. E. Johnson, R5, Lenoir	1103.00	97.21	89.52	125.13	1251.68	44.78	50.00	4.50	115.63	135.76	3017.21
Temple Hill												
Union	Ralph McCrary, R2, Lenoir	1010.00	1453.22	120.00	162.03		149.95		7.00		190.60	3092.80
Union Grove	E. J. Cook, R3, Lenoir	753.00	258.00		93.00		64.00	29.00	15.00		67.00	1279.00
Whitnel First		2015.00	843.97		255.00	2293.05	144.70	26.55	6.60		263.79	5848.66
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hilderbrand, R4, Hickory	2675.46	219.44	175.96	213.87	3530.61	143.38	150.90	7.00		740.00	7756.62
West Lenoir	George Walker, Hayes Ave., Lenoir	612.33	107.90	225.07			66.24	58.94		163.79		1234.27
Yadkin	C. E. Griffin, R5, Lenoir	1000.00	400.00		300.00		175.00	250.00	8.00		300.00	4132.73
Yadkin Valley	George Sutton, R5, Lenoir	166.22			55.00			84.00				305.22
TOTALS		58744.10	25620.57	5826.07	6307.70	17132.65	7139.35	4322.69	523.36	43167.41	19170.97	165332 62

TABLE VII. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, Etc.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Gifts To Co-operative Program	Designated To Associational Missions	Designated To State Missions	Designated To Home Missions	Designated To Foreign Missions	Designated To Schools, Colleges, And Seminaries	Orphanages (Cash, Estimated Value of Clothing, etc.)	Designated To Hospitals	Designated To Red Cross And Foreign Relief	Relief and Annuity, Other Objects	Total For All Missions	Grand Total, All Purposes Given by Church and Its Orgs.
Bethany	Dillard Green, R.F.D., Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.00	.....	.....	9.00	168.50
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw, R5, Lenoir	.....	.....	48.00	43.72	19.22	.....	285.64	50.00	15.63	.....	462.21	3692.69
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19.00	.....	.....	19.00	346.57
Calvary	.....	68.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	41.97	.....	.....	129.97	2095.09
Cedar Rock	E. S. Holler, R1, Lenoir	.....	20.00	.....	.....	17.00	.....	46.16	6.45	5.00	.....	94.61	507.90
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, R2, Granite Falls	125.00	23.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	85.00	15.63	.....	.....	283.88	8500.60
Central	Glenn McCall, R6, Lenoir	29.35	.....	.....	.....	11.75	.....	14.50	14.45	.....	.....	70.05	6760.47
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clarke, R3, Lenoir	.....	12.00	18.00	.....	15.00	.....	20.50	32.00	15.30	51.45	164.25	1982.16
Clover	Miss Margie Propst, Granite Falls	71.00	.....	.....	.....	24.00	.....	.....	37.00	.....	433.09	565.09	6372.98
Concord	Earl L. Roberts, Granite Falls	651.65	67.63	11.29	15.33	.....	.....	325.22	104.31	100.00	121.47	1402.90	7731.40
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, R4, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.64	.....	.....	5.64	552.26
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls	21.50	24.00	36.98	.....	.....	.....	215.97	55.55	60.00	.....	414.00	2352.54
Edgemont	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, R4, Lenoir	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	25.00	.....	.....	45.00	751.59
Globe	Charles Woodruff	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00	33.47	.....	.....	57.47	762.48
Grandview Park	D. L. Snyder	.....	18.00	8.50	.....	.....	.....	49.00	19.00	.....	.....	94.50	1182.37
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, R1, Lenoir	58.85	.....	18.70	12.87	.....	.....	46.51	12.50	26.28	27.10	202.81	1817.19
Granite Falls First	Gladys Wilkie, Granite Falls	1438.22	82.00	361.70	.....	.....	.....	240.19	66.10	.....	63.36	2253.57	14850.02
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	B. B. Green, Colletsville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.65	.....	.....	12.65	148.87
Harris Chapel	Doyle J. Annas, R1, Hudson	72.00	34.00	15.00	19.55	62.87	.....	135.00	67.83	.....	.....	406.25	8269.83
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, R3, Morganton	50.00	.....	7.75	.....	29.34	.....	65.23	153.98	.....	7.50	313.80	2862.12
Johns River	Core Lee Andrews, Upton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.75	20.00	.....	.....	24.75	347.26
Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, R1, Lenoir	283.40	45.00	7.35	30.00	92.00	.....	252.15	100.00	110.73	.....	920.63	6174.37
Lenoir First	R. Carter Powell, Lenoir	5562.41	245.00	50.90	89.00	3438.90	100.00	883.77	363.77	165.00	15000.00	25889.75	51456.83
Longford	A. A. Watson, R5, Lenoir	63.00	.....	18.00	60.00	21.60	.....	25.00	20.00	.....	.....	207.60	2266.86
Lovelady	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.00	.....	.....	94.44	122.44	1858.44
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson, R1, Lenoir	2215.81	120.00	16.95	.....	152.80	.....	686.66	248.26	1172.73	.....	4613.11	13149.37
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	225.69

Miller Hill	D. J. Keaton, R6, Lenoir	40.00	.....	43.03	.....	.....	.....	50.00	20.35	15.73	.....	169.11	1483.31
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Albert W. Holden, R1, Hudson	189.00	30.00	32.20	30.00	39.00	.....	170.00	71.00	40.00	.....	601.20	5337.20
Mountain Grove	Carl Greene, R2, Granite Falls	144.00	.....	24.00	22.66	64.73	.....	75.00	30.76	68.23	38.92	468.30	2196.26
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, R7, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	6.00	25.07	.....	13.00	9.15	.....	.....	53.22	360.92
Mulvale	Walter Estes, R4, Lenoir	75.00	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	61.00	35.00	.....	.....	186.00	1336.97
Nelsons Chapel	Joseph H. Craig, R8, Lenoir	20.75	48.00	31.50	36.30	10.00	45.88	62.42	45.85	38.52	17.00	356.22	3303.08
Oak Grove	Mrs. J. W. Myers, R1, Granite Falls	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	25.00	.....	.....	35.00	1777.79
Piney Grove	Mrs. Charlie Winkler, R5, Lenoir	.....	26.00	183.50	.....	.....	.....	110.68	66.90	50.61	.....	437.69	1482.41
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pisgah	C. A. Coffey, Box 90, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	15.00	.....	.....	30.00	1290.38
Pooveys Chapel	G. S. Hartley, Hudson	.....	18.00	16.69	12.89	61.08	.....	280.19	40.66	.....	.....	429.51	2180.41
Poovey's Grove	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls	17.00	50.00	95.00	27.00	113.00	.....	47.00	30.00	76.27	30.00	485.27	2607.35
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss	520.00	60.00	30.76	.....	.....	.....	170.50	70.90	125.00	.....	997.16	6042.84
Rocky Springs	C. F. Annas, Colletsville	.....	20.00	11.60	8.00	8.00	.....	10.00	30.26	.....	.....	87.86	764.77
Rufus	W. B. Greene, R7, Lenoir	.....	.....	23.30	15.00	.....	.....	121.55	26.23	16.38	16.50	218.96	694.94
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Box 228, Hudson	616.82	45.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	213.11	68.15	170.00	.....	1043.78	10918.93
South Lenoir	W. W. Beshears, R9, Lenoir	1422.80	59.00	61.00	62.50	141.40	25.00	400.00	155.75	673.00	315.62	3316.07	.....
Temple Missionary	Mrs. H. E. Colvard, Box 101, Lenoir	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.00	30.00	.....	25.00	92.00	3109.21
Temple Hill	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Union	Woodrow Land	100.00	48.00	34.63	.....	.....	.....	125.95	50.67	100.00	.....	459.25	3552.05
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, R3, Lenoir	.....	.....	30.00	.....	.....	.....	36.00	48.00	.....	.....	114.00	1393.00
Whitnel First	Fred P. Price	263.79	15.00	18.40	20.77	32.40	.....	73.85	8.40	10.27	33.77	478.65	6327.31
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hilderbrand, R4, Hickory	.....	30.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	80.00	24.00	.....	.....	139.00	7895.62
West Lenoir	Vilas Brown, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00	.....	27.27	32.80	.....	.....	78.07	1312.34
Yadkin	C. A. Coffey, R5, Lenoir	.....	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	51.91	73.98	.....	247.70	403.59	4536.32
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Paul Steele, R5, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	305.22
TOTALS	....	14119.35	1194.88	1279.73	507.59	4397.16	170.88	5679.68	2542.37	3054.68	16524.92	49464.84	217394.48

Historical Table

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885-1946

	Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885	Rocky Springs.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886	Union.....	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887	Piney Grove.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888	Sardis.....	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889	Globe.....	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890	Lenoir 1st.....	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891	Dudley Shoals.....	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. S. Gwaltney
1892	Yadkin.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893	Granite Falls.....	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896	Conways Chapel...	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897	Piney Grove.....	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902	Bethany.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903	Lenoir, 1st.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904	Dudley Shoals.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905	Mtn. Grove.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906	Flemings Chapel...	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907	Mulberry.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908	Lower Creek.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909	Green Valley.....	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910	Granite Falls.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911	Kings Creek.....	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912	Rocky Springs.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913	Lenoir, 1st.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914	Union.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915	Sardis.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916	Blairs Fork.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917	Bethel.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove.....	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord.....	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir.....	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls.....	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park...	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir, 1st.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitnel.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo D. Early
1938	Rocky Springs.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek.....	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls.....	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin.....	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	R. F. Mayberry
1943	Mount Zion.....	Zeb Caudle...	H. S. Benfield.	S. M. Stroupe
1944	King's Creek.....	Zeb Caudle...	R. C. Powell...	Philip D. Fletcher
1945	Piney Grove.....	Zeb Caudle....	R. C. Powell...	J. H. Crisp
1946	Winklers Grove....			
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W. F. Woodall, Lenoir ---------- 1950
M. W. Stallings, RFD, Lenoir ---------- 1951
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George Hollar, Granite Falls _____ Two Years
Wade Hagler, Lenoir _____ Three Years

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Sara Posey _____ Lenoir
J. M. Laxton _____ Lenoir

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Grady A. Hamby _____ Pastor, Mountain Grove

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W. R. Moss

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E. W. Smith

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Thomas B. Flowe _____ Box 88, Lenoir
J. W. Fox _____ Lenoir
Grady H. Hamby _____ R. 2, Granite Falls
Horace Harris _____ Lenoir
Paul Hester _____ R. 1, Hudson
E. C. Hodges _____ Hendrix
J. R. Holland _____ Longview Station
W. O. Johnson _____ R. 2, Taylorsville
W. W. Jones _____ R. 9, Lenoir
Frank Knight _____ R. 1, Hudson
William E. Keller _____ R. 4, Hickory
Taft Laws _____ R. 5, Lenoir
O. R. Mangum _____ Lenoir
W. R. Moss _____ R. 3, Lenoir
Homer H. Messer _____ Lenoir
Grant R. Miller _____ Kings Creek
Lawrence Miller _____ Connelly Springs
B. F. Peeler _____ Patterson
J. W. Ramsey _____ Valdese
Fred C. Roberts _____ Granite Falls
W. H. Shores _____ Boone
J. S. Silver _____ R. 5, Lenoir

M. W. Stallings ---------- R. 2, Lenoir
E. R. Teague ---------- Hudson
A. E. Watts ---------- Taylorsville
Paul Wilson ---------- R. 3, Morganton
W. F. Woodall ---------- W. Harper—Lenoir
C. R. McFelea ---------- Lenoir

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Loyd Black ---------- Lenoir
Oscar Walker ---------- Hickory
Clifford Holland ---------- Longview Station

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name, Address	School
Paul Morrow, R. 9, Lenoir	Fruitland
C. H. Kincaid, R. 5, Lenoir	Fruitland
Charles Lee Hass, Granite Falls	
G. H. Hamby, Granite Falls	
Clifton Land, R. 9, Lenoir	
Miss Faye Turnmire (Mission Work)	Boiling Springs
	Gardner-Webb

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BETHANY—Conley Cook, Murray Greene, Dillard Greene.
BLAIRS FORK—Rev. Thomas Flowe, R. D. Holsclaw, Sr., Mrs. R. B. Holsclaw, Sr., R. M. Isaac, Mrs. R. M. Isaac.
BUFFALO COVE—J. C. Todd, Joe Cottrell, Bernard Hawkins.
CALVARY—Mrs. J. Ellis, B. H. Watson, James C. Wood.
CEDAR ROCK—C. T. Armes, Mrs. Nolie Correll, Mrs. Ervin Holler.
CENTER GROVE—J. M. Edwards, Mildred Burgarner, Lone Bell Bolick.
CENTRAL—Mrs. W. H. Livingston, Mrs. W. C. Lutz, Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Mr. J. A. Pearson.
CLARKS CHAPEL—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stone, George Craig, Mrs. George Craig, Vance Craig.
CLOVER—Mr. and Mrs. Grady H. Hamby, Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Harrill, Mrs. Fred Cline.
CONCORD—Mrs. Fred C. Roberts, George Hollar, George Mull.
CONWAYS CHAPEL—Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Roy Branch, Mrs. J. S. Braswell.

DUDLEY SHOALS—O. L. Smith, Fred G. Bowman, S. L. Reed.
FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Sam Silvers, Mrs. D. S. Riechard, Mrs. E. E. Holder, Mrs. Lem McCall, Ervin Beane.
GLOBE—Roy Philyaw, Z. V. Holloway, Charles Gragg..
GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. Annie Houck, Mrs. Gertie Kincaid, Mrs. D. L. Snyder.
GRANDIN—Miss Ida Greer, Miss Cora Greer, Bill Howell.
GRANITE FALLS FIRST—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kerley, Mrs. Clarence Clark, Mrs. Charlie Miller, Mrs. Raymond Miller, Mrs. J. E. Hennessee.
GREEN VALLEY—Johnnie Franklin, B. B. Greene, Miss Ruby Dellinger.
HARRIS CHAPEL—Marvin L. Annas, Lindsey R. Annas, Mrs. W. R. Moss, E. A. Houck, George Smith.
HARTLAND—Sidney McCall, W. J. Mull, Jack Branch.
JOHNS RIVER—David Andrews, R. C. Estes, C. E. Crump.
KINGS CREEK—Mrs. G. A. Ferguson, V. W. Roberts, H. M. Beach, A. G. Beach, Fred Price, J. M. Laxton.
LENOIR FIRST—O. L. Moore, E. W. Smith, B. F. Williams, R. L. Rowan, Mrs. A. Y. Cottrell.
LONG FORD—G. W. Keyes, Mrs. Coy Church, W. T. Watson.
LOVELADY—Harry Williams, Mary Williams, Bernice Burns, Mrs. Cara Ellen Kirby Mull.
LOWER CREEK—Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boldin, J. R. Swanson, S. L. Austin, Mrs. J. N. Moore, Mrs. Ellen Sherrill, Mrs. W. W. Jones.
MAPLE GROVE—Nina Coffey, Lottie Beane, J. V. Beane.
MILLER HILL—Mrs. R. A. Greene, Mrs. H. C. Coffey, Mrs. C. M. Triplett.
MT. ZION—Mrs. Lloyd Julian, Miss Carrie Mae Smith, Mrs. Lillie Annas, Marvin Benfield, Maynard Bumgarner.
MOUNTAIN GROVE—Mrs. A. Lee Pearson, Mrs. B. B. Beane, Mrs. Grady Hamby, J. C. Vannoy, J. E. McLeod.
MULBERRY—H. C. Bolick, H. I. Greene, B. F. Estes.
MULVALE—Walter Estes, Cecil Clark, T. J. Moore.
NELSONS CHAPEL—Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, Mrs. Luther Suddreth, Mrs. W. M. Hardin, Mrs. Boyd Miller, Joseph H. Craig.
NEW HOPE—Guy Barlow, George Crotts, Oscar Dobbins.

OAK GROVE—J. W. Myers, Marvin Bolick, Rex Kirby.
PINEY GROVE—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Winkler, W. G. Sullivan.
PLEASANT HILL—Lester Hoyle, Jack Smith, Author Underdown, Fred Walsh, Clifford Setzer.
PISGAH—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Coffey, Noah Austin, Mrs. Berthy Bryant, Andrew Beard.
POOVEYS CHAPEL—W. M. Bollinger, R. T. Hartley, John Haas, Everett Austin.
POOVEYS GROVE—E. V. Starnes, Cecil Keller, Garland Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fullbright.
RHODHISS—S. J. Earley, C. L. Barker, W. H. Barker, Dewey Annas.
ROCKY SYRINGS—M. C. Estes, Donald Franklin, Mrs. W. P. Spencer.
RUFUS—Rev. L. L. Nicholas, Mrs. Robert Coffey, Cary Coffey.
SARDIS—C. A. Keller, H. E. Austin, M. A. Setzer, Mrs. W. Clyde Smith, Mrs. B. F. Herman.
SOUTH LENOIR—W. F. Woodall, Mrs. R. F. Safford, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Chester, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, B. B. Byers, Carl Cooke, Mrs. J. E. Driver, Mrs. D. T. Bumgarner, Mrs. E. E. Safford, Mrs. Andrew Triplett, Miss Sara Posey.
TEMPLE—Rev. Horace Harris, Mrs. H. E. Colvard, Mrs. W. C. Harless, Mrs. C. C. Summerlin, Mrs. Gordon Whisnant.
TEMPLE HILL—Mrs. L. R. Davis, Mrs. F. Pennell, Mrs. Sam Keller, Mrs. Jones Williams.
UNION—W. T. Land, Raph McRary, C. A. Bolick.
UNION GROVE—
WHITNEL FIRST—Mrs. D. G. Younce, Mrs. Lidia Sanders, W. R. Pennell, Lester Graig.
WINKLERS GROVE—Claude Huffman, Henry Winkler, Rev. Oscar Walker.
YADKIN—Mrs. Ned Austin, Mrs. Oscar Price, Mrs. Earnest Pierce, H. F. Curtis, Roby Woods.
YADKIN VALLEY—R. Don Watson, P. C. Barrett, Ben Sutton.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Program First Day ..... First Baptist Church, Lenoir

Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... A. E. Blankenship
10:10—Organization, Recognition of Visitors, Announcements
10:25—Sermon ..... M. W. Stallings
11:05—Singing ..... Congregation
11:10—Announcements
11:15—*Christian Education*—Plans for Wake Forest College—Hon. J. M. Broughton, Raleigh, N. C.
(WJRI will broadcast this address)
12:00—Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:15—Praise and Prayer ..... T. B. Flowe
1:25—Sunday School ..... J. M. Laxton
1:45—Orphanage Report ..... George Steel
Address by ..... I. G. Greer
2:00—Singing ..... Congregation
2:05—Cooperative Program—State, Home, Foreign Mission, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement ..... H. S. Benfield
Address by ..... M. A. Huggins
3:55—Mission Treasurer's Report ..... R. L. Palmer
4:00—Adjournment

Program Second Day, Center Grove Baptist Church, Hudson

Morning Session

10:00—Praise and Prayer ..... W. W. Jones
10:10—Biblical Recorder ..... M. W. Stallings
10:25—Report Associational Worker ..... Elizabeth Campbell
10:45—Allied Church League ..... A. E. Blankenship
11:10—Singing ..... Congregation
11:15—Discussion of Associational Work in Caldwell County, Delegates

Note: During this period delegates to the Association are invited to bring before the Association any problems that the Association could help solve. (Let's make this period helpful).

12:00—Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:00—Praise and Prayer ..... W. F. Woodall
1:10—W. M. U. ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
1:40—Training Union Report ..... Pearl Keller
2:00 Reports of Committees:
1. Associational Statistician ..... E. W. Smith
2. Executive ..... George Boutwell
3. Trustees Caldwell Cabin ..... E. W. Smith
4. Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ..... H. S. Benfield

5. Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund ..... Miss Sara Posey
6. Historian ..... J. R. Swanson
7. Time, Place, and Preacher ..... Committees

2:40—Song ..... Congregation
2:45—Election of Officers ..... Delegates
3:00—Memorials ..... Paul Hester
3:30—Adjournment

CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1947-48

Superintendent ..... Mr. J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek
Assoc. Supt. in Charge of Training ..... Miss Sara Posey, Lenoir
Assoc. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism..Rev. A. E. Blankenship, Lenoir
Assoc. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement .. Mr. C. C. Huskins, R2, Lenoir
Assoc. Supt. in Charge of V.B.S. ..... Miss Erma Teague, Boomer
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mr. G. G. Steele, R1, Lenoir
Pianist ..... Miss Mildred Isaac, R3, Lenoir
Choirister ..... Mr. Victor Roberts, R1, Lenoir

Group Superintendents

Collettsville: Mr. Troy Estes, R8, Lenoir; Patterson: Mr. Walter Sullivan, Yadkin Valley; Lenoir: Mr. Frank Smith, Sr., Lenoir; Hudson: Mr. C. A. Keller, Hudson; Granite Falls: Mr. W. F. Kerley, Hudson.

Department Superintendents

Cradle Roll - Nursery: Mrs. O. L. Grice, R9, Lenoir; Beginner: Miss Beulah Austin, R1, Lenoir, Mrs. J. F. Reece, Box 816, Lenoir; Primary: Mrs. C. L. Wilson, N. Main St., Lenoir; Junior: Miss Pansy Moore, R2, Lenoir; Intermediate: Mrs. E. P. Carson, 111 Oak, Lenoir; Young People: Mrs. R. J. Smith, 313 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir; Adult: Mr. C. M. Abernethy, Beall St., Lenoir; Extension: Mr. George Hollar, Granite Falls.

CALDWELL ASSOCIATION TRAINING UNION OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1947-48

Director ..... Miss Pearl Keller, R2, Granite Falls
Associate Director ..... Mr. Boyd Kirby, Rhodhiss
Secretary ..... Miss Hilda Beane, Granite Falls
Choirister ..... Mr. Green Thompson, R9, Lenior
Pianist ..... Mrs. Nora Annas, Rhodhiss
Pastor Advisor ..... Rev. Grant Miller, Kings Creek

Department Superintendents

Story Hour: Mrs. Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir; Junior: Mrs. Frank L. Smith, Jr., 226 East Harper, Lenoir; Intermediate: Mr. Clarence Prestwood, R9, Lenoir; Young People: Mrs. Carter Powell, Woodsway Lane, Lenoir.

PROCEEDINGS

1. At 10:00 o'clock on Thursday morning, September 25th, 1947, the Caldwell Baptist Association convened in the sixty-third Annual Session with the First Baptist Church, Lenior, N. C.

2. Following the opening hymns, "Praise Him, Praise Him,' and "We're Marching To Zion," led by Dr. P. P. Yates, a short devotional was conducted by Rev. A. E. Blankenship.

3. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, C. M. Abernathy and the following visitors were immediately recognized: M. A. Huggins, Hon. J. M. Broughton, I. G. Greer, M. H. Kendall, Ben Fisher, Dr. W. K. McGee, R. M. Hauss, Nell E. Estes, Rev. W. A. McCall, Lovella Brown, A. C. Payne, William C. Jones, Rev. C. A. Tuttle, Rev. G. C. Teague, Mrs. Frank L. Smith, Sr., Claude Gaddy, Fred Forester, R. F. Mayberry, L. F. Snipes, A. E. Watts, J. R. Lail

NOTE**** Program for the two-day Session adopted.

4. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. M. W. Stallings, Pastor Whitnel Baptist Church. Rev. Stallings used the following Scripture as the basis of his sermon: 2nd. Corinthians, 4th chapter. The theme of his message was, "The Power of the Gospel."

5. Following the singing of, "Come Thou Almighty King," B. F. Williams, introduced the Hon. J. M. Broughton, who spoke to the Association on Christian Education, presenting the program for Wake Forest College.

6. Adjournment and lunch—served picnic style, ladies of host church serving coffee.

SEPTEMBER 25, 1947,—Afternoon Session

7. The afternoon session opened with the singing of two hymns: "The Old Rugged Cross," and "Onward Christian Solders." Rev. T. B. Flowe, Pastor of Blairs Fork Church, conducted a short devotional, using the first chapter of Ephesians as the Scripture.

8. Report on Sunday School Work was made by J. M. Laxton who made the motion that this report be adopted. Fur-

ther discussion of this report was given by Mr. Laxton, after which the report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

Although figures are unavailable now to make a comparison in enrollment and attendance with last year, we feel that some gains have been registered. Highlights were the number of Vacation Bible Schools with 35 reported, 23 churches participating in training courses with over 300 awards, approximately 25 registering at Ridgecrest, and more than 175 attending the Vacation Bible School Conference in May. We were represented in the planning meeting at Morganton and at the State Sunday School Convention in Charlotte. Two associational meetings were held, and church planning meetings were sponsored. All in all, however, we are just scratching the surface.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. Laxton

9. Report on Orphanages was made by G. G. Steele. Motion was made to adopt this report. Dr. I. G. Greer, Superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage, gave an interesting summary of the work being done at the Baptist Orphanages, using his personal experiences with Orphan children as highlights of his remarks. The report was adopted.

ORPHANAGES

The original purpose of the Orphanage was to care for fatherless and motherless children. We see to-day that one of the chief concerns is the wrecked homes. There are over one thousand children in Orphanages of North Carolina who have both parents living. Many children for whom application is made should never go to the orphanage. We believe that one of the greatest services the orphanage can render is to make it possible for parents and children to help themselves.

Last year the orphanage, through its case work, helped to make adjustments for more than four hundred children where applications had been made to enter the orphanage.

The Ophanage authorities are developing a program of boarding home care. This enables them to place children in good homes under the supervision of the Orphanage and thus give many children the privilege of having a good home without placing them in the institution.

Last year the Orphanage cared for seven hundred children; sixty of these were cared for in boarding homes and fifty by Mothers Aid. Case work service was made available to eleven

hundred and seven children.

Let us continue to support this worthy institution with our prayers, our once a month Sunday School Offering, the Special Thanksgiving Cash Offering, and the produce collection at Thanksgiving.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Rep.

10. The congregation was led in singing the hymn, "There is a fountain Filled With Blood," by Dr. P. P. Yates; after which the report of the Cooperative Program, State, Home, Foreign Missions, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement, was made by Rev. H. S. Benfield. This report was discussed further by Rev. Benfield and further discussed by M. A. Huggins. Mr. McGee discussed the work of the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, and Mr. Kendall brought greeting from Mars Hill College. The Report was adopted.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

A question that is often raised by the membership of our churches is: "What is the Baptist Cooperative Program, and how does it operate?" It is a good question, and those who ask it are sincerely desirous of knowing the truth about the whole matter.

Our Baptist Program comes out of the New Testament. (See in particular Luke 4:16-30 and Luke 7:17-23.) In short, as church members it is our business to carry on the work that Jesus began, acting both individually and collectively. There is much we can and ought to do as individuals; there is more we can and ought to do as we cooperate with other Baptists in our own church and in other churches. Only a few in our churches are called to full time Christian service, whether it be mission work, work with the orphanages, work in the hospitals, or work in the schools; but all of us can share in the promotion of these agencies by putting into practice the New Testament principles of the Christian stewardship.

Again, what the church budget is to the local church the Cooperative program is to the denomination as a whole. For example, a church adopts a budget which sets forth the needs of each object to be supported, such as the pastor, the building expansion and up-keep, and the various other items in the local church budget. As a part of that budget a missionary church will provide a certain percentage of the total budget for the support of the objects of the State Convention and the Southern Convention. The percentage of the total allocated to the objects

of the two conventions goes *through* the Cooperative Program to the objects which are cherished or supported.

But whether it be the budget of the local church or the Co-operative Plan of the Convention, neither can be properly supported unless the people bring their tithes and offerings into the treasury of the church. Figuratively speaking, one does not give *to* the church budget or *to* the Cooperative program. Rather, one gives *through* these means or channels.

All funds given through the Cooperative program are divided as follows:

	%
For Objects of the State Convention	
State Missions	13
Hospital	7
Christian Education (Colleges)	30
TOTAL	50
For Objects of the Southern Convention	
Foreign Missions	23
Home Missions	9
Seminaries	8.5
W. M. U. Training School	.5
Relief and Annuity Board	7.5
Radio Committee	.95
Baptist Brotherhood	.5
Southern Baptist Hospital	.05
TOTAL	50-100%

We are glad that we have at last reached the place where all undesignated funds are equally divided between state and south-wide objects.

Now for this year it is hoped that scores of church members will avail themselves of the privilege of becoming tithers, and that week by week they will bring their tithes and offerings into the treasury of the churches. A special effort is being made this fall, and the goal for the Southern Baptist Convention is ONE MILLION TITHERS. That means that North Carolina must reach ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND. It is estimated that at present we have around thirty-five thousand tithers in the State. Thus we have a long way to go if we reach the goal.

We have the program, and we have the plan, coming out of the New Testament and out of experience. It remains for each church member, as a good steward, to commit himself or herself to the principle of tithing. Only in this way can the church budget and the Cooperative Plan be properly supported. It is hoped that each church will increase the percentage given to the Cooperative Program.

Objects in the Cooperative Program

The aim or purpose of State Missions is a three fold one. In the first place, those activities are promoted which develop a Christian state, that is evangelism and training. Winning the lost and teaching the "found" develop Christian citizenship. In the second place, an aggressive State Mission program is essential to the growth of the denomination, and to its morale. In the third place, all missions—State, Home and Foreign—all schools, colleges and seminaries, and all benevolent agencies depend upon State Missions as their base of supplies. For example, through State Missions people are won, churches are established, and the membership trained. As the churches grow, and their membership becomes informed, they in turn support not alone State Missions but through the Baptist program all missions, all education, and all benevolence.

Home Missions: The Home Mission Board now has 720 full time missionaries and 200 summer workers from colleges and seminaries who served for 10 weeks on the various fields. 87 new missionaries were added during the past year.

Foreign Missions: The Foreign Mission Board faces the most significant opportunities of its history. Appalling world needs, material and spiritual, constitute a tremendous challenge to Southern Baptists. We now have 624 missionaries in active service. Of this number, 58 were appointed last April and May. Sixty missionaries were appointed last year. Even with these additional recruits, we have only one foreign missionary to approximately 10,000 Southern Baptists. Our opportunities now call for millions of dollars and hundreds of new missionaries.

Christian Education: Christian education, considered in its broader aspects, represents all efforts of Christian teaching, whether in the home, church, public institutions, or in colleges owned and operated by denominations. The six Baptist Colleges in North Carolina are Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Campbell, Gardner-Webb, and Wingate.

Baptist Hospitals: Each year the hospital is able to admit approximately 8,000 patients as bed patients. In addition, the present out patients facilities accommodate about 20,000 who are given complete diagnostic examinations and are not admitted as bed patients. Also, the medical school operates a private clinic that examines approximately 20,0000, making a grand total of 48,000 people who depend each year upon the Baptist Hospital for relief from pain. Of the 8,000 patients admitted each year more than 4,000 of them pay no doctor's fee and who pay reduced hospital expenses. Many of them pay nothing at all. Mother's Day offerings which have been increasing year by year make it possible for many who cannot pay a hospital bill to have the best

of medical and hospital care.

Relief and Annuity Board: Nineteen hundred forty-six was one of the most prosperous years the Board had ever known. Many new members were enrolled in the several plans through which the Board serves our Southern Baptist constituency. A total of 2,541 new certificates were issued during the past year.

Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan

Six other states qualified for participation in the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan as of Jan. 1, 1947, bringing the total number of states now participating in this plan to twelve. It is expected that this plan will be operating in all the states and the District of Columbia at an early date.

Relief

The high cost of living has made it necessary to heed the requests of hundreds of those on the relief roll for increased amounts. Many others should receive raises and will receive them when Southern Baptists make it possible. More than sixteen hundred look to the relief department for their livelihood. Even small amounts received by these who served before there was any Relief or Annuity Board means the difference between dire want and more or less comfort.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Benfield

11. The report of the Budget Committee, due at this time, was postponed until Friday afternoon.

12. The Mission Treasurer's report was next given by Mr. R. L. Palmer, who made the motion that this report be adopted. There was no discussion of this report and it was adopted.

MISSION TREASURER

Balance on hand Sept. 19, 1946			518.77	
RECEIPTS:				
From Carter Powell, Clerk		84.46		
From forty-six churches		1832.84		
From State Convention	600.00			
" Cost-of-living supplement	72.00			
" For V. B. S. work	60.00	732.00	2649.30	3168.07
DISBURSEMENTS:				
Benfield's - for napkins, 1946 Asso.		3.80		
B. T. U. expense - cards, dinners, etc.		29.34		
Deacon's Week (hotel bill Rev. E. R. Bradley)		18.85		
Pastor's School (total expense)		116.73		
Biblical Recorder (Caudle resolutions)		1.30		

Mrs. C. A. Bowman - W. M. U. expense	15.00	
Miss Pearl Keller - V. B. S. work	60.00	
V. B. S. books (Association property)	10.00	
J. M. Laxton - Asso. S. S. expenses	15.06	
Geo. Boutwell, clerk - year's salary	50.00	
Theo. Davis Sons - printing minutes	184.10	
Express and postage on minutes	14.85	
Miss Elizabeth Campbell - net salary	1514.81	
Miss Campbell - travel expense	400.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue	85.20	
Miss Campbell - cost-of-living supplement	144.00	2663.04
Balance in Bank Sept. 24, 1947		505.03 3168.07

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Palmer, Treasurer.

13. Adjournment.

ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE

Report of the enrollment committee: Given during afternoon Session—First day

Messengers present	260
Visitors	25
Total present	285

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Rowan
Walter Sullivan

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

14. A. W. Laxton led the Association in singing the opening hymn, "Crown Him Lord Of All." Rev. W. W. Jones, Pastor of Lower Creek Church, conducted the devotional, using the 10th chapter of Romans as his Scripture.

15. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, C. M. Abernethy, who immediately recognized the pastor of the Center Grove Church, Rev. C. R. McFelea. The Pastor of this church welcomed the messengers to this second day of the Annual Session, as host church.

16. Report on the Biblical Recorder was given by Rev. M. W. Stallings. Motion was made to adopt this report. Further remarks made by Rev. Grant R. Miller, after which the report was adopted.

BIBLICAL RECORDER

Consider this question: What seek ye from reading materials placed in your home? Does the daily news paper and secular magazines contain sufficient reading for character building and spiritual strengthening in your home. Our reading guides much of our thinking. "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he." The Bible should be the central source of our reading. Then I would suggest our denominational papers, the Biblical Recorder, Home Life, Commission, Home Missions, and the various other publications for young people and adults.

The daily news paper and secular magazines that are received into the average home cost around twelve to twenty dollars per year. All of our leading denominational papers including those for the young people can be had for no more than six dollars per year including the state Baptist paper, even at single subscriptions cost. "What seek ye?"

The Rcorder has three plans. First, the every member family plan which costs only $1.20 per year. Second Recorder club plan, where four or five families subscribe, $1.50 per year. Third, single subscription plan which costs $2.00 per year. Be an inspired, informed Baptist. Take the Biblical Recorder, and the other denominational papers.

Respectfully submitted,
M. W. Stallings

17. The Caldwell Associational Missionary Report was made by Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Worker. Motion was made that this report be adopted and further time given to Miss Campbell for discussion of the report. Report adopted.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

(SEPTEMBER 1946 - AUGUST 1947)

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

OCTOBER 6, 1947, First Baptist Church, Morganton, 10 A. M. The Associational Sunday School Officers Training Conferences will be held.

NOVEMBER 5, 1947, First Baptist Church, Morganton, 10 A. M., the Associational Training Union Officers Training Conference will be held.

DECEMBER 7, 1947, First Baptist Church, Lenoir — Southwide Simultaneous Training Union Meeting. Dr. Clay I. Hudson of Nashville to be the speaker.

SPEEDING THE MESSAGE

How long does it take to send a message around the world? "Eight minutes" says the New York Sun, referring to the ca-

blegram that was flashed around the entire globe some time ago and returned within that time to its senders, 400 editors and their wives, assembled in annual convention at the University of Missouri. This we believe marks a record. How long from America to Europe? Once upon a time it took five weeks, with favorable breezes. Trans Atlantic airlines now cover the distance on regular passenger flights in 18 hours.

How long to cover the world with the Supreme Message, THE MESSAGE OF THE CROSS AND THE GOSPEL? It has already taken 1,900 years, and the thing is not yet done. Great multitudes of men and women have not heard the message though great multitudes, who have heard it and accepted it, have been commanded to carry it "into all the world." Truly, "the children of this world are wiser in their generation than the chilnren of light." (Copied—*Exchange*)

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS PROGRAM? Certainly, the aim is SPEEDING THE MESSAGE, in our own local communities and from there unto the uttermost parts of the earth? Why has it taken us so long to send the Message of the Cross and the Gospel to those who have never heard? Is it because we have not been interested? Is it because we have not been informed? Is it because we feel that it is too great a sacrifice for us to make? Is it beiause we do not want the message sent? Is it because we have not been able to se beyond our own needs? Is it because we do not understand God's plan?

I am sure that our program of Associational Missions seeks to help eliminate some of the above possible causes, and seks to follow Jesus' plan of work as given to us in His word. I. HE WENT ABOUT *ALL* THE CITIES AND VILLAGES. 2. HE WENT TEACHING. 3. HE WENT PREACHING. 4. HE WENT HEALING. WHY? 'But when Jesus saw the multitude he was moved with compassion on them, bcause they fainted, and were scattere abroad, as sheep having no shehperd. Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few: Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest." (Matt. 9:36-38)

How do we seek to carry out Jesus' Plan? Through our organized work. A Sunday School in every church, a Training Program in every church, Every church helping to care for the Orphan Child in our midst, Every Church supporting the Baptist Hospital, Every Church supporting Missions and Christian Education through the Cooperative Program. IT IS EVERY CHURCH TRULY BEING "LABOURERS TOGETHER WITH GOD."

It is the duty of your Associational Missionary to promote this work in the 55 churches of the Caldwell Association. She

cannot do it by herself. It must be a matter of PRAYING AND WORKING TOGETHER.

What are some of the things that have been accomplished during the past year?

1. A Deacons' Week was held with an average attendance of around 80 deacons. Someone said of this week of work, that it was the best thing that had been promoted in the Caldwell Association. ANOTHER SUCH WEEK IS TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 17-21 IN SEVERAL OF THE DISTRICTS. PLAN NOW TO HAVE YOUR DEACONS REPRESENTED AT SUCH A MEETING.

2. In the Granite Falls and Lenoir Districts Sunday School Central Training Schools were held. More awards were earned by our Teacher and officers during this two weeks effort than during the entire year before, and more than the Association had ever earned in a previous year without a special enlargement effort. OCTOBER 20-24 WE WILL HAVE OUR SECOND SUNDAY SCHOOL SIMULTANEOUS TRAINING SCHOOL, ONE BEING IN GRANITE FALLS, ANOTHER IN LENOIR AND ANOTHER IN PATTERSON. OUR GOAL IS 350 FOR THIS EFFORT.

3. The Third Pastors' School was held in March with some 40 pastors in attendance. A period of Bible Study, another of Sermon Building and another period presenting our Baptist Work was conducted each day. These periods proved to be very helpful to all those that attended.

4. Two meetings have been held for the VOLUNTEERS FOR SPECIAL CHRISTIAN WORK in our Association. There are some sixty of these young people. At the first meeting, Rev. M. H. Kendall, Bible Professor of Mars Hill College, spoke on PREPARATION FOR LIFE WORK. At the second meeting, Dr. W. L. Howse, Professor, School of Religious Education, Southwestern Sminary, spone on FIELDS OF SERVICE OPEN TO YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

5. THIRTY-THREE BIBLE SCHOOLS were held this summer in our Association which is the largest number that this association has ever reported. Through the V. B. S. your Associational Missionary was able to reach 7 churches that she had not previously done any work in.

6. FIVE NEW TRAINING UNIONS have been organized this year.

7. Regular meetings of the Officers of the Association—Sunday School Training Union, W. M. U. and Executive Committee—have been held quarterly. NEXT MEETING—TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 30TH, MRS. C. A. BOWMAN'S DUDLEY SHOALS. DINNER MEETING 6:30.

8. Mission Study Classes. 1944—38; 1945—49; 1946—50; Our interest in Mission Study is increasing in all of our churches.

9. An Associational Budget was started. It has already proven itself to be the best plan for taking care of the work in the Association. SUGGESTED BUDGET FOR THIS YEAR (1947-48) IS AS FOLLOWS:

Minutes and Clerk	$ 250.00
Sunday School	130.00
Training Union	130.00
W. M. U.	100.00
Deacons' School	125.00
Vacation Bible School	10.00
Pastors' School	150.00
Asso. Worker (Salary 1600-Travel 400)	2000.00
Miscellaneous	128.00
TOTAL	$3023.00

10. Mr. C. M. Abernathy, Mr. C. A. Keller and your Associational Missionary was appointed on a committee at the last Associational meeting to divide the Caldwell Association into districts. We have the following districts to suggest for your approval.

1. COLLETTSVILLE—Edgemont, Maple Grove, Green Valley, Rocky Springs, Mulvale, Johns River, Globe, Conways Chapel, Rufus, Mulberry.

2. PATTERSON—Bethany, Nelsons Chapel, Yadkin, Yadkin Valley, Green Rock, Buffalo Cove, Piney Grove.

3. LENOIR—South Lenoir, Lenoir First, Lower Creek, Cedar Rock, Kings Creek, Grandin, Union, Blairs Fork, Calvary, Temple Missionary, Long Ford, West Lenoir, Pisgah, Hartland, FlemingsChapel, Grandview Park.

4. HUDSON—Sardis, Pooveys Chapel, Center Grove, Whitnel, Central, Mt. Zion, Harris Chapel, Mt. Grove, Union Grove, Pleasant Hill, Miller Hill, Clarks Chapel.

5. GRANITE FALLS—Granite First, Concord, Pooveys Grove, Lovelady, Dudley Shoals, Temple Hill, Rhodhiss, Winklers Grove, Oak Grove, Clover.

It is hoped that these districts will lead to more and better work in our Sunday School, Training Union and W. M. U.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

OCTOBER 6, 1947 First Baptist Church, Morganton 10 A. M. The Associational Sunday School Officers Training Conferences will be held.

NOVEMBER 5, 1947 First Baptist Church, Morganton 10 A. M. the Associational Training Union Officers Training Conferences will be held.

DECEMBER 7, 1947 First Baptist Church, Lenoir—Southwide Simultaneous Baptist Training Union Meeting. Dr. Clay I. Hudson of Nashville to be the speaker.

Rv. Fred Roberts, Pastor of the Concord Baptist Church, Granite Falls and Dr. O. R. Mangum, Pastor of the Lenoir First Baptist Church have been ill for sometime now. We are glad to know that Dr. Mangum is up and out some now. Let's remember these in our prayers, as well as others that we might know about. We will miss them on our Associational Program this year.

(September 1946 - August 1947)

Church:	No. Ser.	WMU M.S.	WMU Cir.	Sun. Sch.	S.S. Team	Tr. Un'n	B.S.	Social
Bethany	*							
Blairs Fork						3	4	
Buffalo Cove				2			4	
Calvary	*							
Cedar Rock							4	
Center Grove								
Central							4	
Clarks Chapel							0	
Clover					1		0	
Concord				2				
Conways Chapel	*							
Dudley Shoals	*							
Edgemont	*							
Globe	*							
Grandin		11					0	
Grandview Park	*							
Granite First		111						
Green Rock	*							
Green Valley				2	1		4	
Harris Chapel							4	
Hartland		11					4	
Johns River	*							
Kings Creek		1				3		
Lenoir First		1	11		1	1	4	
Long Ford						3	4	
Lovelady					1			
Lower Creek		11	11		1	3		1
Maple Grove	*							
Miller Hill						3	4	
Mt. Zion							4	
Mt. Grove							0	
Mulberry	*							
Mulvale					1		4	
Nelsons Chapel		1					4	1
Oak Grove	*							
Piney Grove				2	1		4	
Pisgah	*							
Pleasant Hill	*							

Pooveys Chapel	*							
Pooveys Grove		1						
Rhodhiss	*							
Rocky Springs	*							
Rufus							0	
Sardis				Census		3		
South Lenoir		1	1	2	1			1
Temple Hill	*							
Temple Missionary							4	
Union Grove	*							
Union							4	
West Lenoir	*							
Whitnel							4	
Winklers Grove	*							
Yadkin		1			1			
Yadkin Valley	*							
(Dry Ponds)							4	

* No Associational Service Rendered by the Missionary or Helpers
0 Indicates Helpers conducted the Bible School
1 One Day Meetings—Mission Study, Circle, S.S. Team, Social
2 Indicates Week of Work in Sunday School
3 Indicates Week of Work in Training Union
4 Indicates Week of Work in Vacation Bible School

18. Report of the Allied Church League was made by Rev. A. E. Blankenship and the motion was made to adopt this report. This report was discussed by Rev. Blankenship and Mr. R. M. Hauss. Report adopted.

ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

The Allied Church League has assisted in six county and one city election during the past year. Only lost the Mecklenburg while winning in Franklin, Person, Pender, Rowan, and Alleghany counties and the city of Hickory.

Plans are in progress for votes on wine and beer in a large number of the western counties. This privilege for counties to vote on wine and beer came as a result of the efforts of the Allied Church League in the last legislature of North Carolina. Any county can call an election on a petition of 15 per cent of the registered voters in the last general election. Many of the western and central counties are taking advantage of this recent law, and will vote after the first of the year when the law goes into effect.

The Allied Church League is interested in the repeal of the gallon law which allows an individual to have a gallon of taxed liquor in his possession in dry territory. This is one objective for the group in the coming election for members of the legislature.

The League is deeply concerned about the alcohol education in the public schools and is suggesting Allied Youth Posts in all our high schools. Your educational director is working with state authorities to see that an adequate program is working in each school.

We are urging that our churches institute an alcohol educational program in each department of the Sunday School, in our homes, and that our ministers use their pulpits to further the cause of temperance. Some of our denominations have already instituted such a program and the results have been most gratifying. If we are to solve the liquor problem we must be deeply concerned with keeping the individual away from beverage alcohol as well as keeping alcohol away from the individual. This can only be done by making Christians out of our people and then train them in to Christian living.

Respectfully submitted,
A. E. Blankenship

19. After the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers," the report of the Budget Committee, postponed from Thursday, was given. Mr. Abernethy reported that the proposed budget for 1947-48 had been subscribed. The report was adopted.

20. At this time the delegates to the Association were invited to bring before the Association any problems which the Association could help solve. A number of problems were presented for discussion, among them being: (1) Who is responsible for feeding the delegates to the annual Session (2) The policy of the Association to have the two-day Session held at a different church each day was questioned but it was decided to leave this set policy as it is. (3) The question of better cooperation between churches of the same vicinity was brought up and duly discussed but no motion was made concerning solution of this problem. Before completion of these discussions, it was time for lunch. A motion was made that fifteen minutes additional time be given to further discussion of these problems when the afternoon session convened.

21. Lunch—Served by Ladies of Host Church—Picnic style on Church Grounds.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

22. Singing: "Revive Us Again"—led by J. M. Laxton. After this song, Rev. W. F. Woodall conducted the devotional, using verses of Scripture from the book of Thessalonians, af-

ter which, prayer was made.

23. The W. M. U. Report was made by Mrs. C. A. Bowman, who made the motion that this report be adopted. Further discussion of this report was made by Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Jones. Report adopted.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

It is a deep sense of appreciation of the entire W. M. U. Membership, that has made the work a joy, and that has contributed to what ever success achieved. There has been nothing spectacular to mark it, but a steady pursuit of ideals and objectives for which we are organized.

Fine associational meetings were held the past year. Both annual and quarterly meetings were well attended.

As to associational standard, nine points were reached. Steady gains were made in work in all the societies, also in the young peoples work.

Several new W. M. U's have been organized. A gain in membership both in W. M. S. and Young Peoples Organizations. A good number of our women attended Ridgecrest also several divisional meetings. More work and interest has been shown than any past year.

Total gifts for the past year were $8,403.29.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman

24. The Baptist Training Union Report was given by Miss Pearl Keller, who made the motion that this report be adopted. Miss Keller discussed this report after which it was adopted.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

A mass meeting of the Training Union has ben held each quarter except one during the year. Three executive meetings were held and district meetings in each district.

Ninety-five members spent at least a part of one Training Union week at Ridgecrest in the Caldwell Cottage and thirty-five or forty from Lenoir First in a separate cottage. A number of young people dedicated their lives to full time Christian service.

Five new Training Unions have been organized during the year, making a total of thirty-two.

Let us continue to study that we may serve.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Pearl Keller

25. The report of the Association Statistician was made by Mr. E. W. Smith. A motion was made to include a summary

of this report in the Minutes of the Association. The report was adopted and the motion passed.

STATISTICIAN

My report as statistician of the Caldwell Baptist Association is shown in detail in the six tables attached hereto, which are as follows:

Table No. 1—Church Membership
Table No. 2—Sunday School
Table No. 3—Training Union
Table No. 5—Gifts for the Local Work of the Church
Table No. 6—Gifts for all Missions, Education, Orphanages and etcs.

Some of the most important facts shown in the above tables may be summarized as follows:

Church Membership—Table No. 1

The Total Church Membership is 11,120, which is an increase of 395 over last year. The percentage of increase is 2.81 per cent, or one addition for each 281 members. You will also note that the larger churches in the association show the smaller growth.

Sunday School—Table No. 2

The Total Sunday School Enrollment is 9,201 which is an increase of 320 over last year. The average attendance for the year was 5,280, which was an increase of 277 over last year.

Training Union—Table No. 3

The Total Training Union Enrollment is 2,178, which is an increase of 196 over last year. The average attendance was 1,288, which is an increase of 214 over last year.

Woman's Missionary Union—Table No. 4

The Total Missionary Union Enrollment is 1,155, which is an increase of 204 over last year.

Gifts for Local Work of the Church—Table No. 5

The Total Gifts for the Local Work of the Church for the year amounted to $230,840.98, which is an increase of $65,508.36 over last year.

Gifts for all Missions, Education, Orphanage and etc.—Table No. 6

The Total Gifts for the year amounted to $36,865.27, which is an increase of $2,400.43 over last year.

The total gifts to all sources during the year amounted to $267,-706.25, which was an increase of $67,908.79 over the previous year.

The average per-capita contribution for the year was approximately $24.00, of which approximately $3.30 went for missions and the cooperative program.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith, Statistician

DISTRICTS *of the* CALDV

Group No. 1
COLLETTSVILLE

1. Edgemont
2. Maple Grove
3. John's River
4. Globe
5. Green Valley
6. Rocky Springs
7. Mulvale
8. Conway's Chapel
9. Mulberry
10. Rufus

Group No. 2
PATTERSON

11. Bethany
12. Buffalo Cove
13. Nelson's Chapel
14. Yadkin
15. Green Rock
16. Yadkin Valley
17. Piney Grove

Group No. 3
LENOIR

18. Long Ford
19. Blair's Fork
20. Temple Missionary
21. Lenoir First
22. South Lenoir
23. Lower Creek
24. Cedar Rock
25. Kings Creek
26. Grandin
27. Union
28. Calvary
29. West Lenoir
30. Pisgah
31. Grandview Park
32. Flemings Chapel
33. Hartland
56. New Hope

Group No. 4
HUDSON

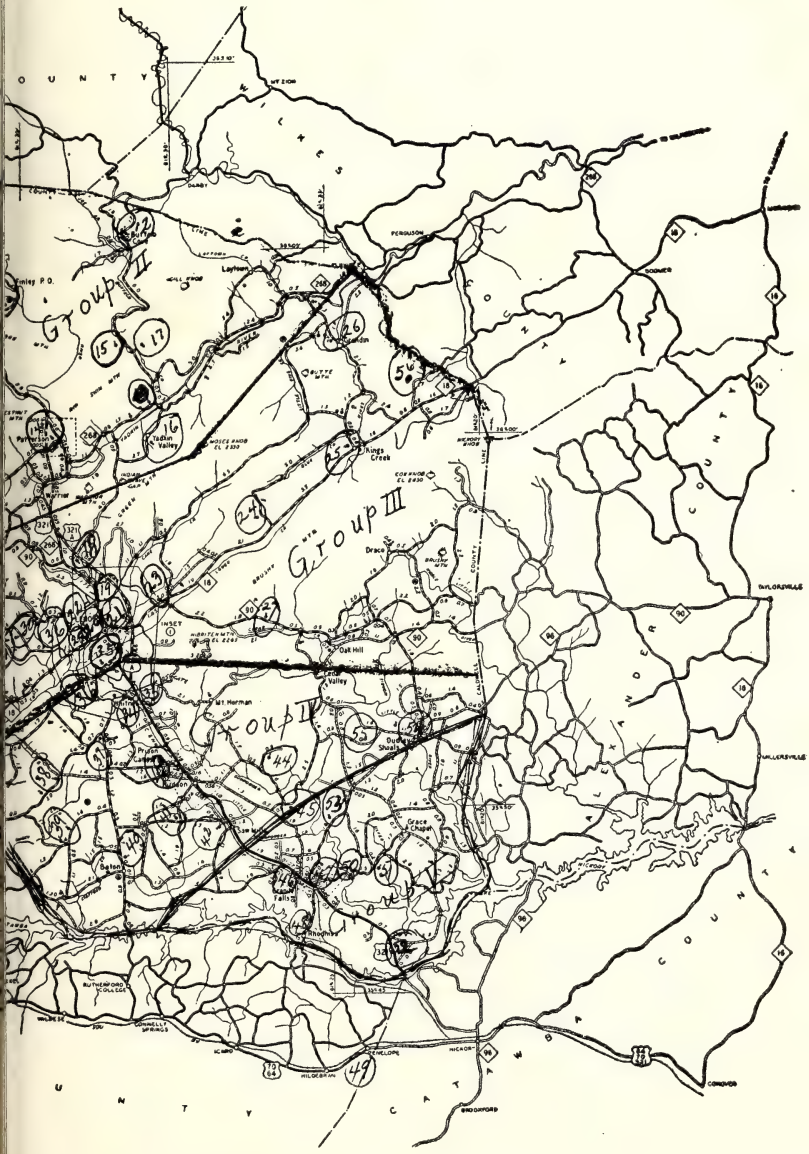
34. Central
35. Whitnel
36. Miller Hill
37. Pleasant Hill
38. Clarkes Chapel
39. Union Grove
40. Mt. Grove
41. Harris Chapel
42. Mt. Zion
43. Sardis
44. Poovey's Chapel
45. Center Grove

Group No. 5
GRANITE FALLS

46. Clover
47. Granite Falls First
48. Rhodhiss
49. Winklers Grove
50. Concord
51. Oak Grove
52. Poovey's Grove
53. Lovelady
54. Dudley Shoals
55. Temple Hill



BAPTIST ASSOCIATION



26. Report of the Executive Committee was made by George Boutwell. Motion made to adopt this report—Report adopted, after motion made to include resume of Executive Committee meetings in Minutes.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association has been very active during the past year. This Committee has met in regular session four times with a majority of members pesent at each meeting. Since a detailed report of the proceedings of all four meetings would be too long to read or print in the Minutes of the Association, a few of the most important decisions of this committee are listed below:

(1) Committee handled the resignation of Moderator, Rev. Zeb. A. Caudle, and the election of C. M. Abernethy from Vice Moderator to Moderator. Rev. W. F. Woodall elected Vice Moderator.

(2) Committee appointed from the Executive Committee to act in advisory capacity for Churches in the Association seeking advice and counsel. Committe: C. M. Abernethy, W. F. Woodall, Fred C. Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Campbell.

(3) Committee voted to match Supplement Cost of Living proposal by State Board. The State Board sent 36.00 which amount was matched by funds from Caldwell Association. Action for this year only.

(4) Committee aided in preparing program for Two-Day Annual Session. Budget Committee appointed.

Respectfully submitted,
George Boutwell (Clerk)

27. A report of the Board of Trustees of Associational Property was made by E. W. Smith, who made motion that this report be adopted. In the discussion that followed, the fact was made plain that more Baptist people should avail themselves of the opportunity to use this Ridgecrest Cabin. Report adopted.

TRUSTEES

Cash in Bank September 15, 1946		$251.29
RECEIPTS		
Rents Received		324.50
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$575.79
DISBURSEMENTS		
Power and Lights	$ 6.99	

Water	8.50	
Coal	11.25	
Repairs to Cabin	50.99	
Cleaning Supplies and Labor	31.90	109.63
Balance of Cash in Bank of Lenoir as of Sept. 24, 1947		$466.16

We have no record of any unpaid bills at the date of this report, and the above statement is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith
C. T. Smith
George Hollar

28. Report of the Committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was made by Rev. H. S. Benfield. Motion to adopt report—report adopted.

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION

No recommendations were made for organizing any new churches during the past year.

Two Ministers were recommended for ordination. These two Ministers were L. H. Black and G. C. Hice. L. H. Black was called by the Worship Point Church and also a church in another Association. G. C. Hice was called to a church in Catawba River Association.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Benfield (Chairman)

NOTE***** The only church making application for membership into the Caldwell Baptist Association was New Hope Church. This Church was admitted into the Association the first day of the Annual Session, and the pastor of this church, Rev. Grant R. Miller, was introduced to the Association at that time. Letter of dismissal from the Brushy Mountain Association was presented to the Caldwell Association along with application for admittance.

To Whom Thes Presents Come
Greetings:

This is to certify that on this day New Hope Church in Caldwell County made application for dismissal from the Brushy Mountain Association to join the Caldwell Association, and upon motion due second the request was granted.

The New Hope Church has made progress since its constitu-

tion and it goes from us in full fellowship and with our commendation as it unites with our sister Association.

This action taken in regular annual session of the Brushy Mountain Association at Boiling Springs Church.

T. E. Story, Moderator
J. F. Jordan, Clerk

29. Report of the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was made by Miss Sara Posey. Motion was made to adopt this report, and after a brief discussion, the report was adopted.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund, established for the purpose of aiding worthy students in preparation for full time Christian Service, will be used this fall for the first time. Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek Baptist Church, is now a student at the W. M. U. Training School in Louisville. She is the first to be helped through the Fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Balance 9-25-46		$1041.04
RECEIPTS:		
April 30, 1947—Annual W. M. U. Meeting:		
Granite Falls	$ 4.00	
Concord	9.45	
Lower Creek	5.00	
Nelson's Chapel	2.00	
Whitnel	1.55	
South Lenoir	15.00	
King's Creek	5.00	
Miscellaneous	2.50	$44.50
TOTAL TO DATE		$1,085.54

Respectfully submitted,
Sara Posey

30. After the singing of: "On Jordans Stormy Banks I Stand," the Historian, Mr. J. R. Swanson, made his report. After Mr. Swanson made his "Usual Customary Remarks pertaining to the limitation of printed reports to 150 words," the motion was made to adopt this report. Report adopted.

HISTORIAN

Lenoir First Baptist Church with which the 63rd session of the Caldwell Association is meeting was organized the 18th day of August 1889 with 18 members, the organizing Presbytery was composed of Revs. Isaac Oxford, Isaac Smith, W. A. Poole, Ox-

ford Moderator and W. A. Poole Clerk, and the following have served as pastors since, W. A. Poole, I. W. Thomas, G. H. Church, J. G. Pulliam, W. R. Bradshaw, A. T. Howell, R. P. Walker, O. A. G. Thomas, J. O. Fulbright, B. W. N. Simms, Balus Cade, J. E. Hoyle, W. C. Tyree, R. E. Hardaway, O. R. Mangum, present pastor. Those serving as clerks since organization, G. R. Clark, J. V. McCall, W. M. Moore, Columbus Andrews, M. G. Shearer, W. T. Beach, R. L. Palmer, Carter Powell present clerk. The Caldwell Association has met with this church as follows: 1890, 1903, 1918, 1934. Membership 1946, 887.

Center Grove Church was organized on Saturday before the first Sunday in Nov. 1912 by the following Presbytery: Revs. J. M. Harris, J. R. J. Annas, D. L. Miller, L. M. Annas, P. H. Icenhour, and the Deacons of Sardis Church (viz) J. S. Crump, J. R. Barker, J. G. Kirby, 17 members going into the organization. The following have served as pastors since: J. M. Harris, S. B. McCall, A. J. Setzer, J. P. Hagaman, W. B. Bryant, L. G. Curtis, Arvil Icard, E. R. Teague. Clerks serving since, A. J. Bumgarner, W. F. Hatly, H. O. Bumgarner, J. E. Haas, A. P. Bumgarner, W. R. Edwards, P. L. McCrary, present clerk, present members 102, Association met here in 1921.

31. Report of the Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher was made at this time by Chairman, H. M. Beach. Report adopted.

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

Time—Thursday and Friday before the 4th Sunday in September, 1947.

Place—Thursday, September, — Central Baptist Church, Whitnel and Friday, September —, Hartland Baptist Church, about eight miles west of Lenoir, located on the Lenoir-Morganton Highway.

Preacher—Rev. W. W. Jones, pastor Lower Creek Baptist Church.

Alternate—Rev. Paul Hester, pastor Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

H. M. Beach (Chmn.)

32. A report was made by the Committee appointed to Divide the Association into Districts at this time. Motion made to adopt this report . . Discussion: New Hope Church added to Lenior District.

NOTE******Refer to Map for location of your church in District.

33. Election of officers: The nominating committee, composed of Grant Miller, W. K. Kerley, Miss Elizabeth

Campbell, and B. F. Williams, presented its report for nomination of officers for the Association for the next year. The report was adopted. See Directory of the Association for a complete list of these officers.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... Dr. J. F. Reece
Vice-Moderator ..... W. F. Woodall
Clerk ..... E. W. Smith
Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
Asso. Worker ..... Elizabeth Campbell
Sunday School Supt. ..... J. M. Laxton
Training Union Director ..... Pearl Keller
Orphanage Rep. ..... George Steele
Biblical Recorder Rep. ..... C. T. Smith
Historian ..... J. R. Swanson

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Moderator ..... Dr. J. F. Reece
Vice-Moderator ..... W. F. Woodall
Clerk ..... E. W. Smith
Treasurer ..... R. L. Palmer
Asso. Worker ..... Elizabeth Campbell
W. F Kerley C. T. Smith Paul Hester H. W Chester D. R. Collins

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTON OF CHURCHES

O. R. Mangum 1948
W. W. Jones 1949
W. F. Woodall 1950
M. W. Stallings 1951
Grant Miller 1952

TRUSTEES OF ASOCIATIONAL PROPERTY RIDGECREST

E. W. Smith 1-Year
George Hollar 2-Years
Wade Hagler 3-Years

Committee on administration of Associational property Ridgecrest Pearl Keller, Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Elizabeth Campbell, Sara Posey, and J. M. Laxton.

MESSENGER TO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

W. R. Moss

MESSENGER TO STATE BAPTIST CONVENTION

Grady A. Hamby, Pastor Mountain Grove

TRUSTEES OF RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Sara Posey, and Mrs. J. A. Boldin

ASSOCIATIONAL STATISTICIAN
E. W. Smith

Respectfully submitted,
Grant Miller
W. F. Kerley
Elizabeth Campbell
B. F. Williams

34. Report of the Resolutions Committee was made by Mrs. J. H. Craig. Motion made to adopt this report—Report adopted.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your Resolutions Committee, make the following recommendations:

1. That we express our appreciation to the First Baptist Church of Lenoir for the fine way in which the Association was entertained on the first day.

2. That we express to the Center Grove Baptist Church and Pastor our appreciation for the fellowship on the second day, also for the nice dinner on the grounds.

3. That we express our gratitude to the Program Committee for the splendid program and all those Caldwell people having a part during the two days.

4. That we express our thanks to those who came from beyond our Association, namely: M. A. Huggins, Hon. J. M. Broughton, I. G. Greer, M. H. Kendall, Ben Fisher, Dr. W. K. McGee, R. M. Hauss, for information and inspiration they brought concerning our work in the State.

5. That we, as Caldwell Baptists, resolve to accept the challnge of cooperation, unity and brotherly love.

Respectfully submitted,
S. Posey
H. S. Benfield
Mrs. J. H. Craig

35. The part of the program given to Memorials was conducted by Rev. Paul Hester, Pastor of the Mt. Zion Church. In paying tribute to those who have passed on, Rev. Hester read the Poem: "Crossing The Bar" by Alfred Tennyson. A list of these honored dead was read, and the churches to which they belonged.

36. After singing: "Bless Be The Tie That Binds," the meeting was adjourned.

NOTE******Between No. 34 and 35 should be inserted this item of business: Amendment to Budget Report: The motion was made by Rev. W. W. Jones that Miss Elizabeth Campbell's salary be raised $5.00 per week. After due discussion of this motion, it was passed.

A motion was made, authorizing the Committee on Administration of Associational Property, Ridgecrest, to secure a couple to "live in" and "take care of" the Ridgecrest Cabin during the summer months. This motion was passed after it had been discussed.

Facts Contained in Address Given By Hon J. M. Broughton

Mr. Broughton related to the Convention facts concerning the moving of Wake Forest College from the earliest stages of the movement. He stated that there were certain strong personal ties and feelings attached to Wake Forest as it is today in its present location. Mr. Broughton pointed out that by moving this college to Winston-Salem, it would be nearer the geographic center of the State, in-so-far as population is concerned. He also pointed out that architects who had been employed to diagram the new buildings on the new proposed tract of land and had made statements that this school in its proposed new location, would be one of, if not the, most beautiful school campuses in the United States. Mr. Broughton further stated that the part which the Baptists of North Carolina were being asked to take in raising funds for this proposed project seemed to be reasonable because of the fact that this school in its proposed new location would be able to serve more of the Baptist people in North Carolina than it is now serving. Mr. Broughton concluded by throwing out the challenge to the churches of the Caldwell Association to oversubscribe the coming drive for funds for this school.

IN MEMORIAM

BETHANY—Mr. Joshua L. Storie, Mrs. J. R. Bolick
BLAIRS FORK—Mr. Albert Hall
BUFFALO COVE—Mrs. J. W. Cottrell
CALVARY—Mr. Tom Ellis
CENTER GROVE—Mr. J. A. Bumgarner, Mr. S. B. Watson
CENTRAL—Deacon S. G. Clark
CONCORD—Mrs. David Clark, Mrs. Lora Barlow
DUDLEY SHOALS—Mrs. Ollie Lynn, Mrs. Lizzie Smith, Mr. George Poovey, Mrs. Martha Presnell
GRANDVIEW PARK—Mr. Jerry T. Snyder
GRANDIN—Mr. Hill McNeil
HARRIS CHAPEL—Deacon D. J. Annas, Mrs. Lizzie Joplin
HARTLAND—Mrs. Amanda Williams, Mr. Thomas Oliver
KINGS CREEK—Mrs. Lucy Beach, Mr. B. F. Laney
LENOIR FIRST—Mr. J. B. Clay, Mr. W. L. Lawing, Mr. Albert Miller Mrs. J. K. Wells, Mrs. Silas Wilson
LONGFORD—Mr. Elbert Greene
LOVELADY—Mr. Henry Winkler
LOWER CREEK—Mrs. Mary Jane Presnell, Mrs. Gladys Swann, Deacon F. M. Thompson, Mr. C. J. Powell, Mr. Charles Broach, Mr. I. A. Swanson, Mrs. Mary Hayes
MULBERRY—Mrs. Clare Edmisten
MULVALE—Mr. Jake Setzer, Mrs. Maggie Suddreth, Mr. Clarence Presnell
NELSON'S CHAPEL—Mrs. L. McLeod
OAK GROVE—Mr. Billy Joe Richards
PINEY GROVE—Deacon W. G. B. Messer
PISGAH—Mr. H. L. Curtis
POOVEYS CHAPEL—Mrs. Julia Austin, Mrs. Floyd Foster
POOVEY'S GROVE—Mrs. S. M. Stroupe, Mr. L. A. Smith
RHODHISS—Mrs. A. C. Hollar
ROCKY SPRINGS—Mr. J. L. Hayes
SARDIS—Mrs. A. E. Helton, Mrs. M. S. Phillips, Mrs. Mahala Smith, Miss Ollie Crouch, Mr. A. E. Helton
SOUTH LENIOR—Mr. Edd Haas, Mr. Burley Kirby, Mrs. Ella Kirby, Mr. Mack W. Smith, Mrs. Robey Smith, Mrs. Ann Holman Taylor, Mrs. T. T. White
UNION—Mrs. J. J. Roberts, Mrs. Charlie Beach, Mr. Dayton Anderson
UNION GROVE—Mrs. Mary Bolick
WHITNEL FIRST—Mr. George Simmons
YADKIN—Deacon N. J. Bulley
YADKIN VALLEY—Mr. J. F. Sulton

One death was reported from Clover Baptist Church, but the name of the deceased was not given.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

PROGRAM

Theme: "JESUS CALLS US"

10:00—Call To Worship; Romans 10:13-15 .... Concord W. M. S.
Hymn: "Hark! The Voice of Jesus Calling"
Scripture:
Period of Silent Meditation
Solo "Jesus Calls Us" as heads are bowed.
Welcome ..... Mrs. Carr Cline
Response ..... Mrs. O. R. Mangum
10:15—Business ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Recognition of Visitors
Appointments of Committees
Recognition of Societies Represented
10:30—In Answer to His Call
Superintendent, Mission Study, Stewardship, Community Missions, and Literature Chairmen
11:10—Hymn: "O Zion, Haste"
11:15—Forty Years of Following:
Young Woman's Auxiliary—Testimony
W. M. U. Training School ..... Miss Sara Posey
11:40—Special Music ..... Miss Imogene Greene
11:45—"Fields White Unto Harvest'" Miss Bertha Smith, China
Prayer

LUNCH 12:30-1:30

1:30—Hymn "Lead On, O King Eternal"
Scripture: W. M. U. Organizational Watchwords
1:40—The Call To Serve Youth ..... Mrs. P. D. Fletcher
Report:
Playlet "The Tale of Two Tithes"
2:25—"Take The Task He Gives You Gladly"
Miss Ruth Provence, W. M. U. Executice Secretary, Raleigh
2:50—Reports of Committees—Election of Officers
3:00—"Lo, I Am With You" Mrs. C. N. Myers, Div. Supt, Elkin

Superintendent's Report

As I bring the report of the Caldwell Association, it is a joy to note progress in the work of our W. M. U. women. This being the best year since I've been Supt. the past eight years.

God has been gracious unto us, and caused His face to shine upon us.

In 1946, 14 societies were visited, letters written 270, postals 99, talks made 18, miles traveled 2842. Attended Executive Council meeting in Raleigh, W. M. U. Divisional meeting Mount Airy,

leaders meeting in Elkin, and Southern Baptist Convention in Miami, also Ridgecrest.

Total gifts for 1946 were $8403.29. All associational meetings were well attended, both annual and quarterly.

As to Associational Standard 9 points were reached, two societies 9, twelve 8.

Miss Campbell, our associational missionary has done much to strengthen our work.

May we pray that God will help us to walk closer and go farther with Him. Giving our best in Kingdom work.

We praise Him for all attainments, and look to Him for larger growth this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Supt.

Mission Study

No. Mission Study Classes 50
(W. M. S. Classes 27—Young People's Classes 23)
No. Small Seals 484
No. Official Seals 4
No. Reading Stamps 57
No. Engaged in Study 502
OFFICE REPORT
No. Letters and postals written 70
No. Packages Mission Study Awards Mailed 30
No. Telephone Calls 75
SUGGESTED AIMS

1. For W. M. S. *At least* two Mission Study classes, three if possible. (If circle plan, one or more classes in each circle)

(a) One-third of the membership *Completing* the study of *one* book.

(b) Two-thirds of the membership reading *at least* One Missionary book.

2. *Two* Mission Study Classes in every Y. W. A.-G. A.-R. A. and Sunbeam Band.

Reports to Associational chairman at the close of each quarter.
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mission Study Chm.

Secretary's Report

Collected for Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund $63.43
Amount collected for W. M. A. Asso. expense fund 38.82
Associational W. M. U. Expnses:
Visiting Missionary $12.23
Postage 10.67
Associational District progress fund 7.00

$29.90

Balance $8.92

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Fred G. Bowman

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association met and after much thought and consideration nominated the following officers for the coming year.

Superintendent ..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Young People's Leader ..... Mrs. T. C. High
Secretary ..... Mrs. Fred G. Bowman
Stewardship Chairman ..... Mrs. Craig
Community Missions chairman ..... Mrs. Joe Benfield
Mission Study chairman ..... Mrs. J. A. Baldin
Librarian ..... Miss Ella Dickson

Signed
Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Mrs. Carr Cline
Mrs. L. J. Rish

Library

Books loaned 12
Books returned 12
Books purchased 0
Books donated 22
Books in Library now 280

Eller Dickson (Librarian)

Appreciation

We the members of the Caldwell W. M. U. wish to express our sincere appreciation to Granite Falls W. M. U. for the privilege of meeting with them and for every courtesy shown us today.

To all of those who have had a part on the program today and especially to Miss Bertha Smith, Miss Ruth Provence, Mrs. C. N. Myers and the Young People of Granite Falls Church for the playlet "The Tale of Two Tithers" also to our faithful Supt. Mrs. Bowman for her untiring effort in behalf of our Caldwell W. M. U.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. O. R. Mangum
Mrs. J. N. Moore

Community Missions

Caldwell Association in Wilkesboro Division
For Year ending December 31, 1946

Total number of organizations:
W. M. S.: 21 Y. W. A.: 7; G. A.: 9; R. A.: 8; S. B.: 6

Number of organizations reporting this year:
W. M. S.: 7; Y. W. A.: 5; G. A.: 5; R. A.: 4; S. B.: 4

	WM	YW	GA	RA	SB	Tot
I. Endeavoring to enlist all members in Community Missions	6	3	3	..	1	13
II. Having Community Missions Committee	6	3	4	..	..	13
III. Reporting Community Missions	7	5	6	7	..	25
IV. Number of surveys	2	1	1	..	..	4
V. Number classes studying *Guide to Community Missions*	1	..	..	..	..	1
VI. Number classes studying book on Soul-winning	1	..	..	..	..	1
VII. Engaged in Definite Evangelistic Efforts	6	6	3	2	..	17
VIII. Showing Christian Fellowship	7	5	3	3	1	19
IX. Lifting Moral Standards of Community	3	..	..	..	..	3

Have you an Associational Community Missions Council? *Yes*

Mrs. J. G. Benfield
Granite Falls, Rt. 2

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Year Organized	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Baptisms	By Letter	Other Additions	Losses by Letter	By Death	Other Losses	Pres. Res. Mem'ship	Non-Res. Mem'ship	Grand Total Present Membership	Weekly Pr. Mts. Held?	No. Rev. Meets Held	Spent Building or Remodeling	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Total Debt on Church Property
Bethany	OC	1902	L. B. Beane, Collettsville	13	...	...	5	1	...	111	....	111	...	1	.....	.....	1100	.....
Blairs Fork	T	1891	Thomas B. Flowe, R5, Lenoir	10	11	...	14	1	...	207	....	207	Yes	2	3313	7000	12000	2500
Buffalo Cove	OC	1851	Walter Dula, Blackstone	6	2	...	8	1	...	61	70	131	Yes	1	.....	.....	1000	.....
Calvary	V	....	J. E. Crump, Hudson	28	23	...	...	...	...	131	....	131	Yes	2	.....	.....	5500	.....
Cedar Rock	OC	1942	J. H. Crisp, R3, Lenoir	3	6	...	4	...	8	35	16	51	Yes	2	20	.....	1500	.....
Center Grove	OC	1912	E. R. Teague, Hudson	5	6	1	4	2	1	107	....	107	...	1	42	.....	3832	.....
Central	V	1938	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	15	23	...	5	1	...	286	....	286	Yes	1	.....	3000	20000	8500
Clarks Chapel	OC	1900	J. W. Ramsey, Valdese	7	1	1	9	...	1	114	66	180	Yes	1	.....	.....	2000	.....
Clover	T	....	Grady H. Hamby, Granite Falls	12	12	...	2	1	8	105	....	105	Yes	3	3500	.....	10000	1736
Concord	T	1908	Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls	23	11	...	15	2	...	268	27	295	Yes	2	150	5000	33000	.....
Conways Chapel	...	....	.....	2	2	...	2	...	...	70	....	70	Yes	1	.....	.....	1500	.....
Dudley Shoals	OC	1861	A. E. Watts, Taylorsville	18	2	...	5	4	...	260	15	275	...	1	.....	.....	4500	.....
Edgemont	OC	....	Taft Laws, R5, Lenoir	2	1	...	...	...	...	17	....	17	...	1	25	.....	800	.....
Flemings Chapel	OC	1888	Sam Silvers, R5, Lenoir	2	...	...	...	...	...	118	26	134	...	1	.....	.....	2250	.....
Globe	OC	1860	L. B. Beane, Collettsville	1	1	...	2	...	...	75	37	102	Yes	2	.....	.....	1000	.....
Grandview Park	OC	1930	J. S. Silver, R6, Lenoir	3	2	...	5	1	...	90	....	90	...	1	1300	.....	4500	.....
Grandin	OC	1914	W. O. Johnson, R2, Taylorsville	14	4	...	4	1	...	60	23	83	...	1	.....	.....	4000	.....
Granite Falls First	T	1907	Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls	8	10	...	5	...	...	437	....	437	Yes	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Rock	...	....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	OC	1888	L. B. Beane, Collettsville	...	...	...	...	...	1	42	....	42	...	1	22	.....	850	.....
Harris Chapel	OC	1912	W. R. Moss, R3, Lenoir	4	2	...	5	2	...	183	47	230	No	1	18291	.....	20000	10000
Hartland	OC	1938	Lawrence Miller, Connelly Springs	8	14	...	7	2	...	170	14	184	Yes	2	2230	.....	15000	.....
Johns River	OC	1890	.....	2	1	...	2	...	...	128	....	128	No	2	.....	.....	1385	.....
Kings Creek	OC	1779	G. R. Miller, Kings Creek	...	6	...	11	2	3	371	....	371	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lenoir First	C	1889	Dr. O. R. Mangum, Pennton Av., Len'r	6	33	...	29	5	...	892	....	892	Yes	1	.....	.....	200000	.....
Longford	OC	1934	Homer H. Messer, Lenoir	14	7	...	8	1	1	220	....	220	Yes	2	.....	.....	3374	.....
Lovelady	OC	1937	William E. Keller, R4, Hickory	33	19	13	...	1	...	175	....	175	Yes	2	2800	1000	10000	.....
Lower Creek	V	1826	W. W. Jones, R9, Lenoir	10	15	...	15	8	...	558	....	558	Yes	1	.....	7000	77000	.....
Maple Grove	OC	....	J. W. Fox, Lenoir	6	3	...	2	...	...	128	....	128	...	1	.....	.....	1800	.....
Miller Hill	V	1935	D. L. Bumgarner, R3, Lenoir	3	3	...	...	...	...	108	....	108	Yes	2	.....	2000	4000	.....

Mt. Zion	OC	1889	Paul Hester, R1, Hudson	20	16	...	4	...	...	414	....	414	Yes	3	.....	1500	8500	.....
Mountain Grove	V	1884	Grady Hamby, R2, Granite Falls	32	14	...	15	...	...	150	124	274	Yes	2	6000	8000	15000	1723
Mulberry	OC	1853	W. H. Shores, Boone	...	...	...	...	1	...	66	....	66	...	1	250	.....	500	.....
Mulvale	OC	1941	J. Clinard Brooks, R2, Granite Falls..	12	3	...	3	3	1	93	....	93	Yes	1	220	.....	4736	.....
Nelsons Chapel	OC	1905	J. Clinard Brooks, R2, Granite Falls..	6	...	1	4	1	...	53	35	88	Yes	2	1928	.....	5000	600
Oak Grove	OC	1938	....	...	1	...	2	1	...	85	22	107	Yes	1	.....	.....	500	.....
Piney Grove	OC	1869	E. C. Hodges, Hendrix	...	...	...	4	1	...	159	....	159	...	1	.....	.....	5000	.....
Pleasant Hill	OC	....	C. F. Cook R1, Hudson	24	16	4	...	...	...	55	....	55	Yes	2	1238	.....	2000	.....
Pisgah	OC	1877	Gordon Crump, Box 76, Hudson	24	12	...	28	1	4	93	3	96	Yes	2	2500	4000	8000	2000
Pooveys Chapel	OC	1932	Frank Knight, R1, Hudson	5	...	...	10	2	...	114	4	118	Yes	...	5887	.....	9000	2640
Pooveys Grove	OC	1898	....	5	5	...	8	2	...	140	41	181	...	1	.....	4000	10300	.....
Rhodhiss	T	1906	....	10	3	...	19	1	1	225	163	388	Yes	2	.....	.....	10000	.....
Rocky Springs	V	1906	J. S. Silver, Lenoir	...	...	...	8	1	...	72	21	93	...	...	.....	.....	2500	.....
Rufus	OC	1940	Will Bolick, R3, Lenoir	11	3	...	...	...	...	67	7	74	Yes	1	.....	.....	1000	.....
Sardis	T	1831	H. S. Benfield, Sr., Hudson	29	21	...	12	5	2	390	88	478	Yes	2	144	3500	10000	.....
South Lenoir	C	1910	W. F. Woodall, 482 W Harper Ave., L'r	73	65	5	26	7	7	887	188	1075	Yes	...	24959	8500	75000	.....
Temple Missionary	V	1944	Horace Harris, Lenoir	25	25	...	6	...	...	107	10	117	Yes	2	.....	4500	6500	.....
Temple Hill	OC	1946	L. R. Davis, R1, Granite Falls	19	4	...	...	...	...	65	....	65	Yes	1	300	.....	3000	550
Union	OC	1814	W. O. Johnson, R2, Taylorsville	13	6	...	6	3	...	211	170	381	...	1	1089	.....	15000	.....
Union Grove	OC	1898	Paul Wilson, R3, Morganton	11	10	1	6	1	...	154	80	234	Yes	2	1700	.....	6500	.....
Whitnel First	T	1910	M. W. Stallings, R2, Lenoir	9	8	...	11	1	...	175	40	215	Yes	2	.....	8000	23000	3513
Winkler's Grove	OC	1886	J. R. Holland, Longview Station	20	5	4	6	...	...	155	72	227	Yes	3	1000	.....	10000	.....
West Lenoir	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yadkin	OC	1791	B. F. Peeler, Patterson	18	14	4	11	1	3	349	....	349	Yes	2	4320	5000	12000	840
Yadkin Valley	OC	1935	D. C. Dellinger, R7, Lenoir	...	2	...	7	1	...	50	....	50	Yes	1	.....	.....	1000	.....
New Hope (adm. 1947)	...	....	Grant Miller, Kings Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS	...	....	....	624	453	34	364	69	41	9856	1409	11245	...	75	83228	72000	685927	34602

TABLE II. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES Associational Superintendent J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek	Cradle Roll, 3, Under	Nursery, 3 and Under	Beginners, 4-5	Primaries 6-8	Juniors, 9-12	Intermediates 13-16	Young People, 17-24	Adults, 25 Years, Up	Extension Department	Den., D'ptal Officers	No. Mission S. Schools	Total Enrollment, Officers, Tchers, Pupils	Average Attendance	Enrolment Vacation Bible Schools	Average Attendance
Bethany	Grady Greene, R8, Lenoir	...	...	1	...	10	...	11	...	...	...	...	54	28	...	...
Blairs Fork	John Taylor, R5, Lenoir	...	...	20	13	13	16	42	46	...	...	...	163	104	64	56
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley	...	...	14	10	25	20	25	25	...	...	...	125	57	...	...
Calvary	Charles Hugh Kincaid, R4, Lenoir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	140	...	...
Cedar Rock	C. T. Armes, R1, Lenoir	3	...	4	5	...	12	12	18	...	...	...	49	30	26	21
Center Grove	Tula Bumgarner, Hudson	...	11	11	16	38	29	37	22	...	5	...	170	88	...	...
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel	28	...	12	25	39	26	54	28	...	9	...	221	141	12	10
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, R9, Lenoir	...	...	18	15	35	16	17	37	...	2	...	140	79	51	42
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls	10	19	27	28	26	24	21	25	3	...	...	177	95	87	62
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls	...	...	19	41	77	63	24	87	...	5	...	316	158	129	109
Conways Chapel	Roy Branch, R3, Morganton	...	...	5	...	9	...	10	8	...	7	...	39	30	...	...
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austin, R1, Granite Falls	...	...	36	24	25	28	25	62	...	3	...	181	103	53	49
Edgemont	Mrs. Pearl Suddreth, Edgemont	...	...	...	5	3	6	5	11	...	...	...	30	19	...	...
Flemings Chapel	J. E. Bean, R4, Lenoir	...	...	12	15	10	15	25	40	...	2	...	117	95	...	...
Globe	Robert Coffey, Globe	...	...	...	15	15	...	20	24	...	...	...	74	55	60	45
Grandview Park	.....	...	...	26	17	22	16	19	26	...	...	...	126	98	...	...
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, R1, Lenoir	...	8	10	8	16	10	17	20	...	2	...	85	50	32	28
Granite Falls First	Charlie Miller, Granite Falls	...	20	17	49	66	62	37	117	...	4	...	355	180	138	108
Green Rock	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Valley	James Philyaw, Colletsville	...	...	15	...	...	...	13	20	...	2	...	50	25	23	20
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, R1, Hudson	5	...	26	23	25	22	39	38	...	2	...	180	133	55	45
Hartland	Oscar Martin, R3, Morganton	...	...	16	...	17	15	38	43	...	...	...	129	80	21	19
Johns River	.....	...	...	14	...	15	...	12	8	...	...	...	49	35	...	...
Kings Creek	W. W. Roberts, R1, Lenoir	10	6	24	18	38	35	26	92	18	...	...	167	139	93	79
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir	37	...	51	62	95	67	68	257	...	9	...	646	384	122	105
Longford	Carl Borders, R5, Lenoir	...	...	30	20	15	26	10	54	...	...	...	165	107	72	60
Lovelady	J. Harry Williams, Granite Falls	13	...	12	17	23	30	21	53	...	4	...	169	148	50	47
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, R1, Lenoir	13	33	25	34	50	41	39	139	...	20	...	374	252	144	126
Maple Grove	Miss Agnes Coffey, Mortimer	...	...	5	8	4	3	5	4	...	...	...	29	25	...	...
Miller Hill	James Teeters, R9, Lenoir	...	...	16	16	19	16	10	29	...	2	...	108	70	...	...

Mt. Zion	Maynard Bumgarner, R2, Granite Falls	28	...	36	34	35	34	76	114	10	4	...	361	180	65	59
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, R2, Granite Falls	12	10	34	28	54	56	27	109	28	4	...	353	147	103	89
Mulberry	B. F. Estes, R8, Lenoir	...	...	7	8	6	....	15	9	...	...	...	45	35	....	....
Mulvale	Cecil Clark, R4, Lenoir	...	...	12	9	22	16	8	29	...	2	...	98	47	30	25
Nelsons Chapel	Raymond Craig, R8-Box 89, Lenoir	...	...	10	10	8	8	11	27	...	2	...	94	51	31	26
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, 37 Pearl St., Granite Falls	...	...	....	32	28	15	37	43	10	3	...	165	63	....	....
Piney Grove	Walter Sullivan, R5, Lenoir	10	...	18	18	23	22	28	48	...	7	1	167	73	52	48
Pleasant Hill	Jay Setzer, R6, Lenoir	...	...	20	...	22	....	30	28	...	...	...	100	70	....	....
Pisgah	John Pope, R8-Box 238, Lenoir	...	...	23	...	21	....	23	18	...	...	...	85	50	....	....
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Ekard, R1, Hudson	...	...	35	19	16	24	21	23	...	2	...	138	95	....	....
Pooveys Grove	Garland Keller, R2, Granite Falls	...	6	13	14	16	22	25	35	...	...	...	131	83	33	25
Rhodhiss	Joe Church, R1, Granite Falls	11	...	7	10	37	19	6	38	...	2	...	130	115	....	....
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, R8, Lenoir	...	...	24	...	16	22	20	21	...	...	...	103	63	....	....
Rufus	W. C. Greene, R8, Lenoir	...	...	6	8	....	15	....	36	...	...	...	65	35	43	35
Sardis	H. B. Smith, Hudson	...	...	43	46	53	63	36	125	24	6	...	396	181	151	150
South Lenoir	M. A. Jenkins, Lenoir	28	66	80	97	142	110	111	236	13	77	...	960	435	212	173
Temple Missionary	H. E. Colvard, Box 101, Lenoir	...	...	28	...	24	18	....	60	...	2	...	130	100	50	40
Temple Hill	Albert Mathis, R1, Granite Falls	...	...	20	...	20	....	12	18	...	...	...	80	70	....	....
Union	W. Clyde Roberts, R2, Lenoir	...	...	15	23	31	31	80	26	18	...	...	224	100	95	87
Union Grove	Ira Bolick, R3, Lenoir	...	15	16	15	15	16	38	60	...	2	...	175	130	....	....
Whitnel First	W. S. Honaker, R3, Lenoir	...	...	18	26	36	26	13	46	...	5	...	170	101	114	97
Winklers Grove	Claude Huffman, R3, Hickory	...	...	19	...	18	15	11	54	...	...	...	117	90	25	20
West Lenoir	....	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	....	....	....
Yadkin	D. O. Taylor, R5, Lenoir	8	...	34	10	55	30	36	81	...	7	...	261	185	119	112
Yadkin Valley	P. C. Barrett, R5, Lenoir	...	...	12	...	13	....	14	21	...	2	...	62	35	....	....
TOTALS	....	216	194	1005	902	1451	1170	1363	2659	124	205	1	9354	5482	2355	2017

TABLE III. 8TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Miss Martha Stroupe, Granite Falls	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions, St. Hrs.	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Gen., Dep'ta Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Attendance	Youth Week Observed?
Bethany	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blairs Fork	Fred Mathis, 115 Warren Lane, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	16	14	12	7	8	...	57	45	...
Buffalo Cove	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calvary	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cedar Rock	.... Name of Director not given	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	36	...	...	...	5	41	23	...
Center Grove	Earl Lail, Hudson	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	3	13	18	...	2	36	18	...
Central	J. M. Bentley, R9, Lenoir	1	1	...	1	...	3	14	13	...	4	...	5	36	20	...
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, R3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	10	10	15	5	...	49	38	...
Clover	.... Name of Director not given	1	1	2	2	2	8	18	23	20	24	18	...	103	65	...
Concord	Ray Goble, Granite Falls	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	14	21	18	16	5	88	40	...
Conways Chapel	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dudley Shoals	Allen Jones, Granite Falls	1	...	1	1	...	3	30	...	36	14	...	6	86	43	...
Edgemont	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flemings Chapel	Earnest Arney, R7, Lenoir	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	32	...	...	...	...	32	25	...
Globe	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grandview Park	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell, R1, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	6	6	6	4	...	32	30	...
Granite Falls First	....	1	1	1	1	...	4	16	28	18	20	...	2	84	45	...
Green Rock	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Valley	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harris Chapel	Mrs. J. Doyle Annas, R1, Hudson	1	1	1	1	...	4	9	11	15	17	...	2	54	33	...
Hartland	Claude Setzer, R6, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	...	3	18	...	18	10	...	...	46	30	...
Johns River	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kings Creek	R. V. Boggs, R1, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	13	10	23	19	14	...	79	55	...
Lenoir First	C. E. Beach, 221 Pennton Ave., Lenoir	1	1	2	1	1	6	60	32	27	26	8	4	164	85	*
Longford	Mrs. Lula Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	16	12	21	11	10	5	71	44	...
Lovelady	June Weaver, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	2	8	15	15	17	11	24	2	84	62	...
Lower Creek	Edward Beach, R9, Lenoir	1	2	1	1	1	6	24	37	24	24	8	3	120	75	*
Maple Grove	..... No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miller Hill	Miss Pearl Lackey, R3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	7	9	13	7	...	46	30	...

Mt. Zion	Carrie Mae Smith, R1, Hudson	1	2	1	1	1	6	15	32	16	18	15	6	102	63	...
Mountain Grove	Willard Hemlet, R2, Granite Falls	1	1	1	2	1	6	11	9	39	24	...	1	84	50	...
Mulberry	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mulvale	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nelsons Chapel	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oak Grove	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Piney Grove	Raymond Suddreth, R5, Lenoir	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	22	11	...	...	...	33	27	...
Pleasant Hill	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pisgah	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pooveys Chapel	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pooveys Grove	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls	1	...	1	1	...	3	13	...	12	15	...	...	40	25	...
Rhodhiss	Boyd Kirby, Rhodhiss	1	...	1	2	1	5	6	...	13	31	9	4	63	60	...
Rocky Springs	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rufus	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sardis	Clarabel Keller, Hudson	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	22	22	15	13	4	90	43	...
South Lenoir	B. B. Byers, Lenoir	2	1	2	2	2	9	43	22	51	52	22	15	205	118	*
Temple Missionary	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Temple Hill	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Union	Melvin Shaver, R2, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	8	10	8	11	...	57	38	...
Union Grove	Ivey Haul, R3, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	12	13	10	8	...	55	38	...
Whitnel First	Lester Gragg, R9, Lenoir	1	...	1	1	1	4	20	...	13	10	12	3	58	42	...
Winklers Grove	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
West Lenoir		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin, R5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	19	17	13	25	13	3	90	60	...
Yadkin Valley	No Training Union Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS		27	27	31	32	23	149	465	447	503	465	225	77	2185	1370	3

TABLE IV. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls	Number W.M.S.	Number Y.W.A.-s	Number G.A.'s	Number R.A.'s	Number Sunbeams	Tota W.M.U. Orgs.	W.M.S. Members	Y.W.A. Members	G.A. Members	R.A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Mem. Enrolled	Tot. Enr. Miss St. Crs	Contributions (Local Work) by W.M.U.	Contributions (Missions) by W.M.U.
Bethany	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Blairs Fork	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Buffalo Cove	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Calvary	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Cedar Rock	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Center Grove		1	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	..	...	...	8	...	4.00	16.85
Central	Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	12	...	19.00	.....
Clarks Chapel	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Clover	Mrs. G. H. Hamby, Granite Falls	1	1	1	...	...	3	45	17	13	...	...	25	...	.....	3.19
Concord	Mrs. Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls	1	...	2	...	...	3	12	...	16	...	...	78	...	1683.37	350.93
Conways Chapel	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls	1	...	...	...	...	1	18	...	...	...	...	18	...	16.90	54.00
Edgemont	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Flemings Chapel	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Globe	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Grandview Park	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, R1, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	7	7	50.00	45.00
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Carl Cline, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	44	18	20	20	25	127	80	240.80	159.48
Green Rock		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Green Valley	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Harris Chapel	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Hartland	Mrs. W. M. Cannon, R6, Lenoir	1	...	...	...	...	1	34	...	...	...	...	34	25	13.00	24.20
Johns River	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Kings Creek		1	1	1	...	1	4	16	13	17	...	5	51	12	17.25	214.50
Lenoir First	Mrs. A. Y. Cottrell, Lenoir	1	1	2	1	1	6	126	10	22	22	27	207	86	.....	530.00
Longford	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Lovelady	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Lower Creek	Mrs. Carl Thompson, R2, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	...	5	82	18	29	...	37	166	46	.....	2326.30
Maple Grove	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Miller Hill	No W. M. U. Report	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....

Mt. Zion	Mrs. Lilly Annas, R2, Granite Falls	1	1	1			3	10	10	9			29						79.00
Mountain Grove	Mrs. B. B. Beane, R2, Granite Falls	1		1	1	1	4	15		20	5	5	45			11.81			
Mulberry	No W. M. U. Report																		
Mulvale	No W. M. U. Report																		
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, R8, Lenoir	1	1				2	12	8				20	14		21.83			75.75
Oak Grove	No W. M. U. Report																		
Piney Grove	No W. M. U. Report																		
Pleasant Hill	No W. M. U. Report																		
Pisgah	No W. M. U. Report																		
Pooveys Chapel	No W. M. U. Report																		
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Virginia McCorkle, R2, Granite F.	1	1	1		1	4	15	15	12		10	52	22					164.89
Rhodhiss	No W. M. U. Report																		
Rocky Springs	No W. M. U. Report																		
Rufus	No W. M. U. Report																		
Sardis	Mrs. Paul Sanford, Hudson	1		1			2	16		17			33			57.00			170.46
South Lenoir	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Lenoir	1	1	2	2	1	7	87	10	28	23	20	168	112		6128.85			1072.15
Temple Missionary	No W. M. U. Report																		
Temple Hill	No W. M. U. Report																		
Union	No W. M. U. Report																		
Union Grove	No W. M. U. Report																		
Whitnel First	Mrs. D. G. Younce, R9, Lenoir	1	1	1			3	12	9	12			33	36					54.70
Winklers Grove	Mrs. A. M. Hoskins, R4, Hickory	1					1	14					14			327.09			9.80
West Lenoir																			
Yadkin	Mrs. Julia Isaacs, R5, Lenoir	1	1				2	19	9				28	7		283.00			68.26
Yadkin Valley	No W. M. U. Report																		
TOTALS		20	11	16	7	6	61	604	137	215	70	129	1155	447		8873.90			5419.46

TABLE VI. GIFTS FOR LOCAL WORK OF CHURCH

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER R. L. Palmer, Lenoir	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Incidentals — Janitor, Fuel, Water, Repairs, Insurance, Etc.	Assistant Pastor, Choir Leader, Etc.	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Paid on Church Debt Out of Current Funds	Literature — Quarterlies, Church Paper, Song Books, etc.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Building Fund (Am't. Given Asso'nal Year	Local Missions	Other Objects	Total Given For Local Church Work
Bethany	Murray Greene, R8-Box 131, Lenoir	146	.....	26	57	....	20	....	...	.....	....	.....	249
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaac, R4, Lenoir	1392	115	157	136	38	111	72	...	3313	....	.....	5334
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley	168	54	....	63	....	36	17	2	235	....	.....	575
Calvary	.....	2250	2686	....	345	.....	.....	194	...	.....	....	.....	5475
Cedar Rock	C. T. Armes, Box 66, Lenoir	241	26	....	68	....	90	15	...	.....	....	19	460
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, R2, Granite Falls	1820	170	....	85	....	67	29	50	1142	....	10	3373
Central	Glenn McCall, R9, Lenoir	2160	308	75	32	650	208	13	24	2601	....	169	6239
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George R. Craig, R9, Lenoir	1216	78	....	102	....	112	70	...	166	....	65	1808
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls	2045	1120	....	166	384	153	15	...	575	715	.....	5173
Concord	Nelson Clay, Granite Falls	3180	1483	50	203	....	398	35	...	6000	....	341	11691
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, R6-Box 475, Len.	299	118	....	82	84	18	....	12	.....	....	19	630
Dudley Shoals	Clifton Sigmon, Granite Falls	1530	314	150	146	....	182	....	5	1245	196	285	4062
Edgemont	Bunion Hollander	50	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	119
Flemings Chapel	D. R. Reichard, R6, Lenoir	465	150	....	99	....	149	44	...	.....	....	581	1489
Globe	R. C. Cook, R8, Lenoir	201	20	....	111	....	45	....	...	.....	....	.....	376
Grandview Park	Mrs. Fay Watson, R6, Lenoir	440	173	47	.....	.....	106	....	...	.....	....	117	883
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, R1, Lenoir	427	45	....	85	....	62	25	3	.....	10	.....	657
Granite Falls First	C. D. Mackie, Granite Falls	3140	1035	320	150	....	413	....	....	5070	....	450	10578
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Colletsville	123	32	....	50	....	14	....	...	.....	....	2	220
Harris Chapel	Ben A. Sullivan, R1, Hudson	1325	161	....	53	217	75	....	...	4946	....	567	7344
Hartland	Floyd Green, R4, Lenoir	1330	133	....	265	132	130	52	...	.....	13	114	2170
Johns River	R. C. Estes, R8 Lenoir	167	24	....	192	....	29	....	7	.....	12	234	665
Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, R1, Lenoir	1200	501	....	147	....	282	287	...	1302	....	.....	3718
Lenoir First	O. L. Moore 122 Hibriten St., Lenoir	4123	8012	2527	399	1250	888	948	18	177	....	702	19044
Longford	C. H. Coffey, Box 311, Lenoir	965	165	....	70	....	102	37	3	.....	....	975	2317
Lovelady	Mrs. Nan Williams, Granite Falls	2380	50	....	300	....	400	200	...	.....	150	.....	3480
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, RFD, Lenoir	2001	2011	110	881	.....	.....	.....	.....	4050	....	2224	12664
Maple Grove	Nina Coffey, Mortimer	156	1	....	28	....	12	51	...	.....	....	.....	248
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Greene, R9, Lenoir	1024	409	79	....	119	68	....	3	.....	....	130	1829

Mt. Zion	Albert Barker, R1, Hudson	2568	1205	....	150	59	270	473	10	762	....	521	6029
Mountain Grove	Midas Bolick, R2, Granite Falls	2305	1514	47	69	....	264	71	52	6000	48	24	10392
Mulberry	H. I. Greene R8, Lenoir	235	.....	....	69	....	20	....	5	250	....	.....	579
Mulvale	Mrs. Maude Moore, R4, Lenoir	370	147	....	88	1438	59	50	5	220	....	149	2526
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, Box 89, Lenoir	544	1209	....	187	933	54	20	...	774	36	98	3767
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, R2, Granite Falls	1165	442	10	94	....	70	....	...	.....	....	185	1967
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, R5, Lenoir	453	248	....	101	....	130	17	7	.....	....	154	1110
Pleasant Hill	Fred Walsh, R3, Lenoir	494	10	13	65	48	52	7	12	1406	....	80	2187
Pisgah	Fred Crisp, R6-Box 91, Lenoir	1375	120	....	190	....	45	115	...	.....	....	.....	1845
Pooveys Chapel	Oran A. Hartley, R1, Hudson	1081	184	30	58	....	58	26	...	.....	....	53	1490
Pooveys Grove	Howard J. Starnes, R2, Granite Falls	1259	121	....	130	....	148	....	...	.....	38	364	2060
Rhodhiss	W. W. Hinson, Rhodhiss	2860	437	....	283	....	301	75	10	600	....	347	4913
Rocky Springs	Mrs. H. G. Boyette, Colletsville	315	117	....	....	....	46	60	5	.....	....	162	705
Rufus	W. B. Greene, R8, Lenoir	293	53	47	155	....	30	11	...	.....	....	57	645
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson	2100	699	....	130	....	406	245	...	8197	144	.....	11992
South Lenoir	B. B. Byers, Lenoir	3765	2156	1970	53	....	672	229	12	25098	204	1002	35162
Temple Missionary	C. C. Summerlin, R9, Lenoir	1020	188	....	178	....	35	30	...	.....	55	.....	1506
Temple Hill	Arnold McRary, R1, Granite Falls	400	65	....	50	100	30	90	...	.....	....	30	765
Union	Ralph McRary, R2, Lenoir	832	435	100	107	....	174	353	7	1089	....	131	3227
Union Grove	E. L. Cook, R3, Lenoir	1241	1900	....	139	....	105	....	18	.....	....	71	3474
Whitnel First	Ivey W. Craig, Whitnel	2600	969	....	176	1964	231	62	6	.....	....	297	6306
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hilderbrand, R4, Hickory	3125	194	76	517	1883	137	210	8	1000	17	1029	8196
West Lenoir	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Yadkin	H. F. Curtis, R5, Lenoir	2037	444	....	204	....	242	249	...	4320	....	20	7516
Yadkin Valley	R. Don Watson, R8, Lenoir	270	22	....	37	....	28	10	...	.....	....	.....	357
TOTALS	....	68671	33273	5834	7589	9299	7777	4507	284	80538	1638	11803	231586

TABLE VII. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, Etc.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES Associational Missionary Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Lenoir	Gifts to Co-op. Program, Unified Budget	Designated to Associational Missions	Designated to State Missions	Designated to Home Missions	Designated to Foreign Missions	Designated to Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanages (Cash and Est. Value of Merchandise, Clothing, etc.	Designated to Hospitals	Designated to Red Cross, Foreign Relief	Relief and Annuity, Other Objects	Total for All Missions	Grand Total of All Contributions for All Purposes
Bethany	Dillard Greene, R8, Box 130, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	249.17
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw Sr., R5, Lenoir	90.29	24.00	93.54	.....	.....	.....	209.90	53.35	.....	80.00	551.08	5884.86
Buffalo Cove	Dorothy Coffey, Yadkin Valley	17.00	.....	11.55	.....	34.30	.....	.....	23.56	.....	.....	86.41	661.79
Calvary	.....	60.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33.10	26.63	.....	.....	112.53	5606.28
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin Holler, Box 61, Lenoir	3.29	24.00	18.00	.....	.....	.....	51.69	7.57	.....	.....	104.55	564.24
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Box 118, Granite Falls	.....	.....	60.00	.....	.....	.....	79.00	36.50	75.00	.....	250.50	3623.03
Central	W. C. Lutz, R9, Lenoir	52.58	.....	.....	79.85	45.00	.....	93.42	14.85	.....	.....	285.70	6571.50
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, R3, Lenoir	13.60	24.00	22.50	.....	15.00	.....	31.50	32.00	31.00	.....	169.60	1977.86
Clover	Miss Margie Propst, Granite Falls	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.00	.....	19.20	38.04	18.00	.....	99.24	5272.37
Concord	Mrs. H. D. Travis, Granite Falls	975.61	83.71	12.00	.....	.....	.....	364.83	.....	.....	30.00	1466.15	13157.46
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, R6, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.25	.....	.....	9.25	639.73
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls	144.00	51.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	221.47	22.00	.....	.....	438.47	4500.78
Edgemont	Bunion Hollander	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	119.00
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Box 477, Lenoir	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	50.00	.....	.....	95.00	1584.31
Globe	Bobbie Cook, R8, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.00	.....	.....	11.00	387.21
Grandview Park	D. L. Snyder, R6, Lenoir	.....	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	80.00	963.01
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, R1, Lenoir	30.00	24.00	19.25	14.46	11.00	.....	77.64	22.56	18.28	.....	217.19	874.49
Granite Falls First	Gladys L. Wilkey, Granite Falls	984.35	76.00	.....	.....	66.75	.....	271.51	84.61	.....	604.00	2107.22	12685.19
Green Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Colletsville	3.28	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	28.28	247.89
Harris Chapel	Howard Annas, R1, Hudson	79.50	42.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	173.00	67.83	.....	.....	362.33	7706.69
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, R3, B 43, Morganton	50.00	24.00	.....	.....	24.20	.....	68.40	40.00	.....	8.00	214.60	2384.28
Johns River	Troy E. Estes, R8, Lenoir	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26.50	.....	.....	26.50	691.52
Kings Creek	H. M. Beach, R1 Lenoir	500.00	60.00	100.00	25.00	54.59	125.00	203.00	100.00	21.00	17.25	1205.84	4922.72
Lenoir First	R. Carter Powell, Lenoir	7045.02	244.85	59.90	105.68	2515.05	200.00	961.21	171.18	920.74	172.79	12396.42	31430.09
Longford	A. A. Watson, R5, Lenoir	56.83	24.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	25.00	.....	.....	125.83	2443.31
Lovelady	Atlas Kirby, Granite Falls	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150.00	3630.00
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson, R1, Lenoir	2548.27	156.00	46.60	78.95	159.75	.....	917.67	248.30	50.00	79.00	285.54	16949.65
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	.....	.....	20.00	268.31
Miller Hill	I. J. Keaton, R9, Lenoir	44.75	24.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	27.53	.....	.....	150.00	1979.50

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Mt. Zion	Mrs. Albert Holden, R1, Hudson	249.19	60.00	53.90	91.00	79.00		222.00	71.00	85.00		911.09	7171.94
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlet, Granite Falls	173.00	42.00		50.00	50.00	60.00	47.50	75.41	71.00	50.00	618.91	11011.24
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, R8, Lenoir							24.66	13.00			37.66	617.14
Mulvale		55.00	5.00	15.00	5.00	5.00		47.50	28.00			160.50	2686.06
Nelsons Chapel	Joseph H. Craig, R8, Granite Falls	19.65	60.00	10.00	9.50	12.00		110.38	63.96	7.75	44.16	337.40	4191.09
Oak Grove	Mrs. J. W. Myers, Granite Falls	30.00		18.25				15.00	12.40			75.65	2042.60
Piney Grove	Mrs. C. F. Winkler, R5, Lenoir	12.43	36.00		34.00		25.00	147.89	40.00			295.32	1406.22
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle, R3, Lenoir							8.00	30.00			38.00	2225.17
Pisgah	C. A. Coffey, Box 90, Lenoir								15.00			15.00	1860.33
Pooveys Chapel	J. L. Sigmon, R1, Hudson		24.00	21.80	12.31	12.30		295.50	40.32	75.37		481.60	1971.70
Pooveys Grove	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls	17.00	50.00	40.50	24.55	111.34		78.00		39.00	30.00	390.39	2450.68
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss	540.00	80.00					169.14	77.58	125.00		991.72	5905.54
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Colletsville		18.00	20.15	10.00	9.00		16.65	27.00			100.80	805.88
Rufus	W. B. Greene, R8, Lenoir			9.00	29.53			64.77	40.52			143.82	788.89
Sardis	C. A. Keller, R1, Hudson	709.04	60.00	45.59				246.26	74.25	30.00		1165.14	13087.62
South Lenoir	W. W. Beshears, Lenoir	1833.60	78.00	132.95	43.53	503.23		503.00	138.89	216.89	253.16	3703.25	38864.93
Temple Missionary	Mrs. H. E. Colvard, Box 101, Lenoir	4.30	36.00						25.00			55.37	1556.47
Temple Hill	Arnold McRary, R1, Granite Falls		12.00									12.00	777.00
Union	W. F. Land, R2, Lenoir	11.98	60.00		26.20	26.20		110.00	56.00		15.00	305.38	3532.45
Union Grove	O. L. Gibson, R3, Lenoir			30.00				34.00	18.00			82.00	3556.00
Whitnel First	W. R. Pennell, R3, Lenoir	104.39	30.00	78.00	80.00	230.00		90.20	46.92	174.50		834.71	7140.57
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hilderbrand, R4, Hickory		42.00		9.80			50.00	32.00		14.09	147.89	8344.31
West Lenoir													
Yadkin	Paul Curtis, R5, Lenoir	56.46	30.00	48.87	487.98			162.10	96.95			882.36	8398.37
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack Clark, R5, Lenoir		15.00						15.00	7.50		37.50	394.77
TOTALS		16515.21	1674.56	967.35	1217.34	3987.71	410.00	6369.09	2210.46	1966.03	1397.45	32872.69	268762.21

TABLE V.

BROTHERHOOD WORK

Churches	Directors and Addresses
Cedar Rock	C. F. Armes, RFD 1, Lenoir
Central	W. C. Lutz, RFD 9, Lenoir
Clarks Chapel	Haywood Clark, RFD 3, Lenoir
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls
Grandview Park	J. L. Owens, RFD 6, Lenoir
Grandin	Bill Howell, RFD 1, Lenoir
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Colletsville
Harris Chapel	George E. Smith, RFD 1, Hudson
Kings Creek	A. G. Beach, RFD 1, Lenoir
Mountain Grove	Arvin Herman, RFD 1, Hudson
Nalsons Chapel	Joseph H. Craig, Box 89, Lenoir
Pleasant Hill	Fred Walsh, RFD 3, Lenoir
Pooveys Grove	E. V. Starnes, Granite Falls
Rhodhiss	L. A. Elmore, Rhodhiss
Rocky Springs	C. F. Annas, Colletsville
Temple Hill	Finley Pennell, RFD 1, Granite Falls
Union	R. M. Teague, RFD 2, Lenoir
Winklers Grove	Horace Keller, RFD 4, Hickory
Yadkin	D. R. Collins, RFD 5, Lenoir

No Men's Brotherhoods reported from churches not listed above.

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Rev. Fred C. Roberts will preach the annual sermon.

Rev. D. L. Bumgarner, Alternate.

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

1948-49

OFFICERS

Dr. J. F. Reece, Moderator ..... Lenoir

W. F. Woodall, Vice Moderator ..... Lenoir

E. W. Smith, Clerk ..... Lenoir

E. D. Beach, Treas. ..... Lenoir

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Asso. Worker ..... Lenoir

J. M. Laxton, Sunday School Supt. ..... Lenoir

Pearl Keller, Training Union Director ..... Granite Falls

Mrs. Grover Triplett, W. M. U. Pres. ..... Lenoir

G. G. Steele, Orphanage Rep. ..... Rt. 1, Lenoir

C. T. Smith, Biblical Recorder Rep. ..... Hudson

J. R. Swanson, Historian ..... Rt. 1, Lenoir

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Dr. J. F. Reece
W. F. Woodall
E. W. Smith
E. D. Beach
Miss Elizabeth Campbell
J. M. Laxton
Miss Pearl Keller
Mrs. Grover Triplett
Donald Franklin
Jesse Hawkins
Ralph McRary
B. A. Sullivan
W. F. Kerley
W. W. Jones
Frank Colburn
John Carter

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

W. W. Jones, RFD, Lenoir 1949
W. F. Woodall, Lenoir 1950
M. W. Stallings, RFD, Lenoir 1951
Grant Miller, Kings Creek 1952
Paul Hester, Hudson 1953

W. M. U. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Superintendent—Mrs. Grover Triplett, 216 West Ashe Ave, Lenoir, N. C.

Associate Superintendent—Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Granite Falls, N. C.

Secretary—Mrs. Ira Pritchard, S. Main Street, Lenoir, N. C.

Young Peoples' Leader—Mrs. T. C. High, Granite Falls, N. C.

Stewardship Chairman—Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.

Community Missions Chairman—Mrs. J. G. Benfield, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.

Mission Study Chairman—Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.

Literature Chairman—Mrs. Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls, N. C.

Training School Chairman—Miss Sara Posey, Lenoir, N. C.

R. A. Leader—Rev. Philip D. Fletcher, Granite Falls, N. C.

Margaret Fund Chairman—Mrs. W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY

RIDGECREST

George Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C. ..... One Year

Wade Haigler, Lenoir, N. C. ..... Two Years

C. T. Smith, Hudson, N. C. ..... Three Years

COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATION OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY RIDGECREST

Pearl Keller.....Granite Falls, N. C.
Miss Elizabeth Campbell.....Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. Grover Tripplett.....Lenoir, N. C.
J. M. Laxton.....Lenoir, N. C.

MESSENGER TO THE STATE BAPTIST CONVENTION

A. E. Blankenship.....Pastor, Lenoir First

MESSENGER TO THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Miss Elizabeth Campbell

TRUSTEES OF RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Mrs. C. A. Bowman.....Granite Falls, N. C.
Mrs. Grover Triplett.....Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. J. A. Boldin.....Lenoir, N. C.

SUPERINTENDENT OF EVANGELISM

W. F. Woodall

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1949

W. M. U.....Mrs. Grover Triplett
Sunday School.....J. M. Laxton
Training Union.....Pearl Keller
Orphanage.....G. G. Steele
Biblical Recorder.....C. T. Smith
Memorials.....Ed Crump
Allied Church League.....Frank Colburn
Nominating Committee — To nominate officers for 1949-50
B. F. Williams, Chairman; W. R. Moss, W. W. Hinson, George Kincaid, Mrs. W. W. Jones.
Program Committees—Rev. A. E. Blankenship, C. T. Smith, Rev. Homer Messer, Rev. P. D. Fletcher.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Paul Morrow	Lenoir, N. C.
Hugh Kincaid	Lenoir, N. C.
Bernard Tuttle	Lenoir, N. C.
Carl Mull	Morganton, N. C.
Cecil McFelea	Lenoir, N. C.
Walter Dula	Lenoir, N. C.
Henry E. Colvard	Lenoir, N. C.

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name, Address	School
Dudley Nelson, Jr., Lenoir, N. C.	Mars Hill College
Clifton Land, Lenoir, N. C.	Furman
Edward C. Davis, Hudson, N. C.	Carson-Newman University
Miss Faye Turnmire (Mission Work)	Gardner-Webb
J. W. Meyer	
Baine Harris, Hudson, N. C.	S. Baptist Theo. Sem.
Bruce Cresson, Lenoir, N. C.	Wake Forest

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BETHANY—Carl Duncan.

BLAIRS FORK—Mrs. Jennings Taylor, Mrs. H. L. Andrews.

BUFFALO COVE—

CALVARY—Gladen Adams, Howard Shumake

CEDAR ROCK—Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Mrs. Beatrice Barlow, Mrs. Nola Correll.

CENTER GROVE—J. M. Edward, C. W. Colvard, Lona Bell Bolick, Mrs. Ernest Bumgarner.

CENTRAL—Mrs. Wade Livingston, J. H. Crisp, Mrs. Kenneth Hood, Mrs. Clark Steele, Wade Livingston, Mrs. C. J. Tedder, Mrs. J. H. Crisp.

CLARKS CHAPEL—Rev. J. W. Ramsey, Mrs. W. R. Stone, Mrs. George Craig, Mrs. Mary Craig.

CLOVER—Mrs. J. H. Hamby, Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Mrs. Fred Cline, Grady H. Hamby.

CONCORD—Fred C. Roberts, George Hollar, A. A. Clay, James R. Clay.

CONWAYS CHAPEL—Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Mrs. J. C. Braswell.

DUDLEY SHOALS—Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Fred G. Bowman, Mrs. Fred G. Bowman.

EDGEMONT—Archie R. Coffey, Mrs. Pearl Suddreth.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Rev. Sam Silvers, Mrs. D. S. Richard, Mrs. E. C. Holder, Mrs. G. C. McCall, Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, R. O. Blackburn, Mrs. M. K. Thompson.

GLOBE—

GRANDVIEW PARK—Rev. Sam Silvers, Mrs. Carl Anderson, N. S. Watson, Mrs. Poovey Watson, Mrs. Charles Melton, Greata Marie Houck.

GRANDIN—Clara Greer, Ida Greer, Cora Greer.

GRANITE FALLS FIRST—Rev. L. W. Teague, W. F. Sherrill, W. F. Kerley, Mrs. P. D. Fletcher, Rev. P. D. Fletcher, Mrs. Harold Reid, Mrs. H. H. Sheppard.

GREENE VALLEY—O. C. Dellinger, Mrs. Alice Coffey.

HARRIS CHAPEL—Sidney Joplin, R. J. Champion, Mrs. Gwyn Heafner, Mrs. Ben Sullivan, W. R. Moss, Mrs. W. R. Moss, Mrs. Doyle J. Annas, Howard Annas, Mrs. Robert Farr.

HARTLAND—Tullie Benton, Mrs. W. H. Sanders, W. J. Mull, W. S. McCall, J. Edd Miller, Lewis Swanson.

JOHNS RIVER—Paul Gragg.

KINGS CREEK—J. M. Laxton, H. M. Beach, Mrs. J. Claude Jones, Mrs. Grant Miller, Mrs. Fred Beach, A. G. Beach, Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, Fred Price, Mrs. Jay McGee.

LENOIR FIRST—E. C. McCall, L. E. Watson, O. L. Moore, B. F. Williams, A. E. Blankenship, Mrs. J. F. Barnett, Alt., Mrs. O L. Grice, Alt., Frank L. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Nelson, Mrs. R. M. Hardin, Mrs. Walter E. Wilson, C. M. Abernathy, Mrs. E. C. McCall

LONG FORD—G. W. Keyes, Mrs. Homer Messer, Rev. Homer H. Messer, Mrs. Pearl Watson, Mrs. Clyde Hollar, Mrs. Bill Tuttle, A. A. Watson.

LOWER CREEK—Mrs. Carl Thompson, Mrs. Lucy Rodwell, Alt., Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. Ralph Land, Mrs. Ellen Sherrill, Mrs. G. G. Steele, Mrs. J. R. Swanson, Mrs. Walter Jones, Alt., G. G. Steele, Mrs. J. G. Benfield, J. R. Swanson, E. D. Beach, Mrs. Frank Barlow, J. G. Benfield, W. Walter Jones.

MAPLE GROVE—A. J. Tolbert.

MILLER HILL—D. F. Bumgarner, Mrs. R. A. Greene, Mrs. Conrad Greene.

MT. ZION—Mrs. George Smith, Earl D. Miller, Nevada Cline, Mrs. J. M. Bumgarner, Kathleen Annas, Mrs. O. D. Minton, Paul Hester, O. D. Menton.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—Rev. G. A. Hamby, Mrs. J. L. Greene, J. E. McLeod, Mrs. B. B. Beane, Willard Hamlet, Mrs. G. A. Hamby, Mrs. A. Lee Pearson.

MULBERRY—

MULVALE—Will Bolick, Mrs. Glen Suddreth, Houston Clark, T. J. Moore.

NELSONS CHAPEL—Raymond L. Craig, Mrs. R. E. Robbins, Joseph H. Craig, Mrs. Luther Suddreth.

NEW HOPE—Mrs. C. P. McGee, Mrs. Guy Barlow, Mrs. Felix Malba, Guy Barlow.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Ray Yarborough, Marvin Bolick, Mrs. Julia Richards, Rev. Ray Yarborough.

PINEY GROVE—W. J. Cook, Charlie Winkler, J. R. Wike, Ellis M. Frye, Ira Greene.

PLEASANT HILL—Rev. C. F. Cook, Hazel Smith, Mrs. J. P. Parsons, Charlie Campbell.

PISGAH—John Pope, Mrs. John Pope, C. A. Coffey, Mrs. Robert Thomas.

POOVEYS CHAPEL—R. T. Hartley, John E. Haas.

POOVEYS GROVE—John E. Carter, Mrs. L. D. Keller, Virginia McCorkle, Mrs. Foster Fulbright, H. J. Starnes, Cecil Keller.

RHODHISS—Frank Colburn, Mrs. R. P. Culcasure, Mrs. H. L. Hanks, Mrs. Frank Colburn, Mrs. Bernard Phillips.

ROCKY SPRINGS—Mrs. W. P. Spencer, Mrs. M. C. Estes, M. C. Estes.

RUFUS—Will Bolick, Mrs. Willard Bolick, L. A. Moore, W. C. Coffey.

SARDIS—Mrs. H. S. Benfield, Mrs. W. F. Sullivan, C. T. Smith, Mrs. C. T. Smith, Mrs. M. Clyde Smith, Mrs. Coy Smith.

COLLEGE AVENUE—H. W. Chester, Mrs. A. L. Moore, Ira D. Pritchard, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. Walter Winkler, W. F. Woodall, Mrs. J. E. Driver, Mrs. W. F. Woodall, Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Mrs Ira D. Pritchard

TEMPLE—R. M. Hopkins, Frank St. John, Mrs. Carl Summerlin, Mrs. W. C. Harless, Mrs. Mayme Scott.

TEMPLE HILL—L. R. Davis, Mrs. L. R. Davis, James E. Smith, Mrs. Finley Pennell, Mrs. Sam Kelley.

UNION—Rev. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. Maynard Teague, Mrs. Will Reid, Mrs. Ernest Roberts.

UNION GROVE—Ivey Hall, Mrs. Brooks Smith, Mrs. Ivey Hall, Mrs. C. V. Harmon, H. G. Goforth, W. A. Reid, J. M. Croty, Mrs. J. R. Mast.

WEST LENOIR—Mildred Gilbert, T. R. Moore, Ira Walker.

WHITNEL FIRST—M. W. Stallings, W. R. Pennell, W. S. Haymaker, Mrs. Jay Francum, Mrs. Ed. Rainey, Mrs. Daniel G. Younce.

WINKLERS GROVE—Mrs. Charles Huffman, Mrs. Dewey Bowman, Charles Huffman, Dewey Bowman.

YADKIN—Mrs. Douglas Greene, Mrs. A. E. Price, Mrs. R. H. Church, Mrs. Amos Greene, Mrs. O. F. Pierce.

YADKIN VALLEY—Mrs. Zack Clark, Mrs. George Sutton.

BEAUTIFUL BAPTIST—E. C. Philyaw, Rev. H. E. Colvard, Mrs. H. E. Colvard, Mrs. Carl Storie, Mrs. Clarence Gurley, C. T. Gurley, Mrs. Roger Holtsclaw.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

FIRST DAY: CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

10:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. Frank Colburn

10:10 Organization, Recognition of Visitors, Announcements

10:25 Report of Associational Missionary .... Miss Elizabeth Campbell

Discussion of Report ..... Rev. G. W. Bullard

10:55 Singing

11:00 Sunday School Report..... Mrs. J. M. Laxton

11:20 Sermon..... Rev. W. W. Jones

12:00 Lunch

1:15 Praise and Prayer..... Rev. John Carter

1:25 Training Union Report..... Miss Pearl Keller

1:45 W. M. U. Report..... Mrs. C. A. Bowman

2:05 Singing

2:10 Cooperative Program (State, Home and Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Hospitals, Ministers' Relief and Retirement..... Rev. A. E. Blankenship

Discussion..... Mr. M. A. Huggins

Other Representatives

3:05 Orphanage..... Mr. G. G. Steele

3:35 Treasurers' Report, and Budget Committee..... Mr. R. L. Palmer

4:00 Adjournment

SECOND DAY: HARTLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

10:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. W. E. Keller

10:10 Announcements

10:15 Christian Education ..... Dr. Phil Elliott

10:45 Allied Church League ..... Rev. P. D. Fletcher

11:05 Singing

11:10 Discussion of Associational Problems

12:00 Lunch

1:15 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. W. O. Johnson

1:25 Evangelism ..... Dr. J. C. Canipe

2:00 Report of Committees:

1. Associational Statistician ..... Mr. E. W. Smith
2. Executive ..... Mr. E. W. Smith
3. Trustees of Caldwell Cabin ..... Mr. E. W. Smith
4. Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ..... Rev. M. W. Stallings
5. Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
6. Historian ..... Mr. J. R. Swanson
7. Time, Place, and Preacher ..... Mr. George Hollar
8. Nominating ..... Mr. E. W. Smith
9. Resolutions ..... Rev. A E.. Blankenship

2:45 Singing

2:50 Installation of Officers

3:00 Memorials ..... Rev. H. S. Benfield

3:30 Adjournment

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Missionary: Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, 111 Oak St., Lenoir, N. C.

Superintendent: J. Malcolm Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.

Asso. Supt. In Charge of Training: Mrs. George Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.

Asso. Supt. In Charge of Evangelism: Rev W. F. Woodall, 482 West Harper, Lenoir, N. C.

Sec. & Treas.: Mr. G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.

Pianist: Miss Ivadine Benfield, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.

Chorister: Mr. Cleve Smith, Hudson, N. C.

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

Mr. Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir, N. C.; Mr. Raymond Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.; Mrs. Margaret Glass Dalrymple, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.; Mr. C. A. Keller, Hudson, N. C.; Mr. W. F. Kerley, Granite Falls, N. C.

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS

Cradle Roll: Mrs. O. L. Grice, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Nursery:
Beginner: Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway St., Lenoir, N. C.
Primary: Mrs. C. L. Wilson, N. Main St., Lenoir, N. C.
Junior: Miss Pansy Moore, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Intermediate: Mrs. Brown Whisnant, 422 W. Harper, Lenoir, N. C.
Young People: Mrs. R. J. Smith, 313 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir, N. C.
Adult: Mr. M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway St., Lenoir, N. C.
Extension: Miss Erma Teague, Boomer, N. C.
Vacation Bible School: Rev. John Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONALY TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director: Miss Pearl Keller, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

Associate Director: Rev. Frank Colburn, Rhodhiss, N. C.

Secretary: Miss Hilda Beane, Granite Falls, N. C.

Choirister: Mr. Maynard Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

Pianist:

Pastor Advisor: Rev. A. E. Blankenship, Lenoir, N. C.

DEPARTMENT DIRECTORS

Story Hour: Mrs. Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir, N. C.

Junior: Mr. Frank L. Smith, Jr., 226 East Harper, Lenoir, N. C.

Intermediate: Mrs. Nora Annas, Rhodhiss, N. C.

Young People: Mrs. Carter Powell, 308 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir, N. C.

Adult: Mr. C. C. Huskins, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.

DISTRICT LEADERS

Collettsville:
Patterson: Miss Dorothy Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Lenoir: Mr. Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Hudson: Miss Mary Sue Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Granite Falls: Miss Sara Capshaw, Granite Falls, N. C.

PROCEEDINGS

At 10:00 O'clock on Thursday Morning, September 23, 1948, the Caldwell Baptist Association convened in the sixety-fourth Annual Session with the Central Baptist Church, Whitnel, N. C.

Following the opening hymn, "Praise Him, Praise Him", led by Rev. A. E. Blankenship, a short devotional was conducted by Rev. Frank Colburn.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, J. F. Reece, and the following visitors were recognized: W. K. McGee, M. A. Huggins, Eugene Olive, M. H. Kendall, R. M. Haus, G. W. Ballard, L. L. Carpenter, M. I. Harris, Mrs. M. I. Harris, W. W. Rimer, Vipperman, Louella Brown, R. F. Mayberry, and Zeno Wall. The program for the two day session was then adopted.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell gave her report as Associational Missionary. A copy of this report is included elsewhere in these minutes. A discussion of this report was made by Rev. G. W. Bullard. After the discussion the congregation, led by Rev. A. E. Blankenship, joined in the singing of "Amazing Grace."

At this time one of the visitors, Eugene Olive of Wake Forest College, was recognized and spoke on the present program of Wake Forest College which includes the moving of the college to Winston-Salem, N. C.

Following this discussion Mr. J. M. Laxton gave a report of the Sunday School Work for the past year. Additional information about the Sunday School Work may be obtained by referring to Statistical Table Number 2 of this report.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

Your Organization has held an associational meeting and has participated in the executive meetings once each quarter. Three simultaneous clinics for officers and teachers were held last October one at Granite Falls, one at Lower Creek and one at Yadkin—with over 300 enrolled. Approximately 40 churches were reached with church planning meetings in February. A very successful Vacation Bible School clinic with a good attendance was conducted in May, followed up with 25 Bible Schools this summer. We were represented at Ridgecrest during Sunday School weeks by more than 50 people of the association. Statistics of Sunday School enrollment and attendance will be available in the minutes. It will be remembered that the polio epidemic reduced both attendance and the number of Vacation Bible Schools. Hundreds of letters have been written and several conferences held in promoting Sunday School work in the association.

We covet your prayers and cooperation in this, the Lord's work.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. Laxton.

The above report was adopted.

Rev. W. F. Woodall made his report on plans for the associational wide evangelistic effort which has been set for October 1949, after which Rev. R. M. Haus, representing the Allied Church League, made a special appeal to the members of the association that they join in a drive to abolish beverage alcohol.

After the singing of "Send the Light," the annual sermon was preached by Rev. W. Walter Jones, pastor of the Lower Creek Baptist Church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Following a short devotional conducted by Rev. John Carter, the following report of Training Union work was adopted.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The following program of Training Union work has been carried out during the associational year: Executive Committee meeting each quarter, Officers and Leaders Council last three quarters, Mass Meetings in December and May, Group or District Meetings in February and August.

A Central Training School was conducted at College Avenue Church April 26-29 by State Training Union Leaders. Average attendance for this school was 392. The peak attendance on one night —410 set a new record in the state for Central Schools.

Caldwell has been a Standard Association in Training Union for two quarters this year.

A large number of our members from the association attended Ridgecrest again this summer. There was a fine spirit of cooperation and wonderful christian fellowship in "The Caldwell" during Training Union weeks. Several attended the assemblies at Fruitland and Seaside.

One of our number, Miss Inez Moss, won third place in State Better Speakers Tournament.

We have enjoyed great blessings while in training this year, but in checking on our groups on the Caldwell Map we find that ten churches in Group 1 have all missed these great opportunities. Who will share with them in 1948-49?

Respectfully submitted,

Pearl Keller, Director.

The above report was prepared by Miss Pearl Keller and presented to the association by Rev. Grant Miller. Further information about the Training Union work is given in Statistical Table Number 3 of this report.

At this time the following committees were appointed: Resolutions, Time, Place, and Preacher, and the nominating committee for 1949. Names of the members of these committees may be obtained by referring to the directory at the beginning of these minutes.

Mrs. C. A. Bowman gave the following report on W. M. U. Work:

In the commemoration year of our W. M. U. work in our Southland, over a period of sixty successful years, our W. M. U. women have been faithful. "For God and home and every land."

We feel that the women of Caldwell Association have truly joined hands in trying to obey God's command with their gifts, prayers and service. "Labors together with God" have brought joy to all of our hearts.

The past year has been one of interest and growth in all phases of W. M. U. work. All meetings have been well attended and much interest shown. An increase has been made in organizations, both in W. M. U. and young people's work. We have now twenty-five active societies.

There is still a great need and opportunity for earnest faithful effort in all phases of the work. We need deeper consecration for we know, with Ella Wheeler Wilcox that

"Tis the set of the Soul that decides the
goal, and not the storms of strife."

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Bowman.

After a discussion on the need of mission work by Mrs. W. Walter Jones, the report was adopted.

Following the singing of "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" led by C. T. Smith, the association accepted Rev. A. E. Blankenship's report on the cooperative program:

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

Southern Baptist are becoming increasingly conscious of the Christian doctrine of stewardship, and the fact that it is fundamental both to our obedience to God and to his blessing of us and the work we do.

The special tithing campaign during October, November, and December last year was a great educational project which helped to bring our people to realize the stewardship privileges and obligations under which a Christian lives. Apparently the effort to reach, "A Million Southern Baptist Tithers for Christ" during that three months period was successful. But we realize that if tithing is right for one Baptist or for one million, it is right for six million; and if there is reason for them to tithe three months, there is the same reason for tithing all the time.

And so we Southern Baptists move nearer toward the scriptural ideal when we undertake the program of "EVERY BAPTIST A TITHER." The world is calling to Christians, and particularly to the people who bear the Baptist name and have the Baptist message, to "come over into Macedonia and help us." How can we enter the open doors of opportunity which are clamoring for the gospel message today? How can we match this hour? Two things are needful. The first is embodied in the ideal "Every Baptist a Tither"; the second, in the ideal "Fifty-Fifty by 1950." Baptists are a missionary people. And yet last year out of total gifts through our churches of $132,162,846, the churches spent $103,690,832 or 78.5% on themselves and $28,472,014 or 21.5% on all missionary and benevolent work in all the world beyond their own communities, including state missions, orphanages, hospitals, Christian education, home missions, and foreign missions. The Lord Jesus says, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as **thyself.** Can Baptist people and Baptist churches do this and give less to the whole world than they expend on their local church programs?

We urgently and prayerfully recommend:

1. That as a step in co-operatively promoting our Baptist message, all the churches in our association be encouraged and urged to identify their church buildings by a sign, nameplate, bulletin board, or other appropriate marking. "If it's a Baptist Church, say so!"

2. That every Baptist Church enter with all its energy and enthusiasm into the effort to enlist "EVERY BAPTIST A TITHER."

3. That Sunday, October 17, or nearest convenient Sunday, be observed as Enlistment Day in the churches, at which time every member will be asked to pledge loyalty to the church program, to offer personal service for places of church leadership, to pledge the tithe, and to pledge to the 1949 church budget; and that the churches be informed of the "Enlistment Day" card available through the office of our State Secretary for use on that day.

4. That the Special Days as provided in the Calendar of Denominational Activities be observed in all our churches for informing our people and enlisting them in our work.

5. That we reaffirm our conviction that the Cooperative Program is the fundamental, effective, and indispensable channel of providing for the needs of all our work; and that we continue through every means at our disposal to urge all our people to join in giving the Cooperative Program their loyal and undivided support.

6. That we set for ourselves as individual Baptists and as churches the ideal of "loving our neighbor" as ourselves; that we give more largely to missions through the Cooperative Program; and that we strive diligently toward the ideal, so far as our gifts as individuals and churches are concerned, of FIFTY-FIFTY BY 1950.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. Blankenship.

After the acceptance of the above report talks were heard as follows:

M. A. Huggins: The Baptist Program in North Carolina

W. K. McGee: The Baptist Hospital

M. H. Kendall: Christian Education

Mr. C. T. Smith's Report which follows was adopted:

BIBLICAL RECORDER

The report of the Biblical Recorder is encouraging. Although we face some difficulties due to increasing cost of print, items, and paper, the present circulation is around 44,000 in the state, of which the Caldwell Association has 483 Recorder subscriptions in clubs. There are a few individual subscribers also. Two churches have the EVERY FAMILY PLAN; Lenoir First, and Mountain Grove.

The Recorder has three subscription plans; $2.00 a year for individual subscribers, $1.50 a year in clubs - a minimum of at least three subscribtions is required for churches with less than 100 members, and a minimum of five for a church having a hundred or more. $1.20 is charged for the every family plan and we recommend this plan. There are 311 churches with the Recorder in every resident family. There are 306 churches which have Recorder Clubs.

In addition to information about Baptist Work the Recorder carries week by week significant articles which deal with the great issues of life, which all our people must face. WE URGE THAT EVERY FAMILY POSSIBLE HAVE THE RECORDER IN THEIR HOME DURING THE COMING YEAR.

Respectfully submitted,

C. T. Smith.

A report by G. G. Steele and a discussion by Rev. Zeno Wall concerning the orphanage was heard next by the association. Mr. Steele's report is as follows:

ORPHANAGES

Last year six hundred and eight children were cared for in Mills Home and Kennedy Home, eighty-three children in foster homes, and eighty children were given Mother's Aid; making a total of seven hundred and seventy-one children helped directly. The case workers helped with the plans for seven hunderd and forty-nine other children, thus serving a total of fifteen hunderd and twenty children in one year.

While the foster home program is still in its initial stage, it is rendering a timely and worth while service to eighty-three children being cared for in these homes, which would require more than three new cottages. The high cost of building almost prohibits erecting new buildings, however, a new cottage to take care of twenty-five children is to be built this year at Kennedy Home. At both homes, frozen food plants are under construction and will be completed within a short time.

In both homes there is a cooperative and unselfish spirit. All of the children attend Sunday School and Church and many are being won to Christ.

As we remember the Orphanage Officials and Children in our prayers, regular monthly gifts, special Thanksgiving Cash Offering and Produce Collections, remember, we are, or are not, doing our best to house, feed, clothe, educate, and lead into the deeper things of the spirit, hundreds of homeless children.

Respectfully submitted,

G. G. Steele.

The following reports as submitted by Mr. R. L. Palmer were then adopted.

MISSION TREASURER

Balance on hand September 24, 1947		$ 505.03
RECEIPTS:		
From forty-six churches	$ 2,121.86	
From State Convention	600.00	
Temporary loan	100.00	
Transferred from Bank of Lenoir (by C. M. Abernethy)	20.00	2,841.86
Total		$ 3,346.89
DISBURSEMENTS:		
J. M. Laxton - Asso. Sunday School Expense		$ 64.10
C. M. Abernethy - miscellaneous expense		8.57
Pastor's School		116.79
B. T. U. - total expense		113.18
W. M. U. expense - Mrs. C. A. Bowman	$ 15.00	
Miss Councilman	15.00	30.00
Deacon's School		73.00
Theo. Davis Sons - Printing 900 copies minutes		205.20
Express and Postage on Minutes		9.60
George Boutwell - year's salary as clerk		50.00
Withholding tax paid		106.90
Loan repaid		100.00
Miss Elizabeth Campbell - net salary for year		1,754.50
Miss Campbell - for travel expense		400.00
Total		$ 3,031.84
Balance in Union National Bank September 22, 1948		315.05
Total		$3,346.89

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. Palmer.

ASSOCIATIONAL BUDGET 1948-49

1.	MINUTES AND CLERK	$ 275.00
2.	SUNDAY SCHOOL	100.00
3.	TRAINING UNION	130.00
4.	W. M. O.	50.00
5.	DEACONS' SCHOOL	75.00
6.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	10.00
7.	PASTORS' SCHOOL	150.00
8.	ASSOCIATIONAL WORKER - SALARY	2,000.00
	- TRAVEL	400.00
9.	POSTAGE, PRINTING, PAPER, CALENDAR OR ACTIVITIES, ETC.	200.00
10.	RIDGECREST	150.00
	Total	$ 3,540.00

A motion was made and carried that Miss Elizabeth Campbell be reimbursed for equipment and expense expenditures made during the previous years from personal funds. However, this motion was amended later in the meeting and can be found in its amended form in the proceedings of the second day.

Before adjourning the following resolution, presented by A. E. Blankenship, was adopted:

Whereas, the Central Baptist Church extended an invitation to the association for meeting, and on this day, September 23, 1948, food was provided in abundance and everyone who was served was graciously provided for, and whereas the welcome received from the pastor and church has been most heart warming, be it resolved that this body show appreciation by a standing vote and making this resolution a part of the minutes.

The meeting was then adjourned until 10:00 o'clock Friday, September 24, 1948.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The meeting opened with the singing of "All Hail the Power" and a short devotion conducted by Rev. W. E. Keller. Rev. W. R. Moss was then appointed to serve in Dr. O. R. Mangum's place on the committee for new churches.

Dr. Phil Elliott, president of Gardner-Webb College, was introduced by Dr. J. F. Reece, and spoke to the association on "Christian Education." His talk included some very interesting facts about Gardner-Webb and the other Baptist Colleges of the state.

The following report given by Rev. P. D. Fletcher was adopted. Rev. Fletcher also led the discussion of this report:

ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

The Allied Church League which has for its object the abolition of beverage alcohol has had a most successful year. The League is composed of the following officers: Dr. L. M. Ellis, president; Dr. I. G. Greer, Chairman of the Executive Committee; and Rev. R. M. Hauss, educational director. The work of the League is mainly along legislative and educational lines.

Out of 19 county elections on the legalized sale of alcohol in recent months 18 outlawed the sale. There are other elections coming up on wine and beer and in all probability they also will abolish the legal sale of these beverages. For the first time in years one may feel that there is hope of a state-wide referendum. Mr. Scott has pledged his strength to loosen the grip of the "gag rule" upon the General Assembly; and when this is done a referendum is assured.

Plans are being made for even stronger emphasis on temperance education as well as for legal action against the sale of alcohol. Approximately 11 religious denominations in the state are working together in the League. May the Christian citizens of the churches of this Association rally to support and strengthen this important cause of temperance.

Respectfully submitted,
F. D. Fletcher.

Following the singing of "Amazing Grace," Rev. A. E. Blankenship informed the association they did not have sufficient funds to reimburse Miss Campbell as they had voted during the session of the first day to do. Upon motion made and carrier, the motion of the previous day was rescinded and another motion was then made and carried that a committee be appointed to study this situation and report later in the day. Dr. J. F. Reece appointed the committee which consisted of the following: M. W. Stallings, Grant Miller, and George McLeod. After a discussion, led by Rev. W. W. Jones, about the constitution and by-laws, the following motion was made and carried by a two-thirds vote: That part one of the present constitution be changed to read as follows: "This Association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof, not to exceed ten delegates per church, and all regularly ordained an licensed ministers as members ex-officio." After further discussion a motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to study and revise the constitution and by-laws, and to report to the association on he first day of meeting in 1949. A copy of the present constitution and by-laws can be found elsewhere in these minutes. The meeting was then adjourned for lunch which was served picnic style by the ladies of Hartland Church.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

After the singing of "How Firm a Foundation," led by A. E. Blankenship, the devotion was conducted by Rev. W. O. Johnson, who used as his scripture Proverbs 29:18. Dr. J. C. Canipe of Boone, North Carolina, then conducted a discussion of evangelism.

Rev. H. S. Benfield, reporting for the committee on new churches, requested that Beautiful Baptist Church be admitted to the association. After a short discussion, motion was made and carried that this church be admitted.

Reports from various committees given by E. W. Smith were adopted as follows:

STATISTICIAN

Caldwell Baptist Association:

My report as statistician of the Caldwell Baptist Association is shown in detail in the tables included in the minutes. Some of the most important facts shown in these tables are summarized as follows:

	Year 1947	Year 1948	Gain
Church Membership	11,120	11,722	602
Sunday School Enrollment	9,201	9,954	753
Training Union Enrollment	2,178	2,384	206
Women's Missionary Enrollment	1,155	1,453	298
Total Gifts for Local Work	$ 230,840.98	$ 289,101.04	$ 58,260.06
Gifts for all Missionary Education, Orphanage, etc.	$ 36,865.27	$ 46,101.98	$ 9,236.71
Total Gifts for all Purposes	$ 267,706.25	$ 335,203.02	$ 67,496.77

The average per-capita contribution for the year was approximately $28.00, an increase of $4.00 over last year. Of this $28.00, approximately $4.00 went for missions and the cooperative program.

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. Smith, Statistician.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

During the past year, the executive committee held four meetings at which only routine business was conducted. One matter which was discussed and may be of interest was the including of $150.00 in the budget for the Ridgecrest Cabin Fund. As shown by the budget for 1948-49 this recommendation was adopted.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith, Clerk.

CALDWELL CABIN TRUSTEES' REPORT

Balance of Cash in Bank as of September 24, 1947		$ 466.16
Receipts		
Rents Received		265.50
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$ 731.66
Disbursements		
Water and Lights	$ 9.51	
Insurance	36.10	
Equipment and Supplies	66.65	
Cleaning Cabin	22.70	
Repairs	31.86	
Fuel	15.20	
Ridgecrest - Registration Fee	5.00	
State Intangible Tax	.35	187.37
Balance of Cash in Bank of Lenoir as of September 23, 1948		$ 544.29

We have no record of any unpaid bills at the date of this report, and the above statement is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith
George Hollar
Wade Haigler

The report of the committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was given by M. W. Stallings. The report was adopted.

Mrs. J. A. Boldin gave the following report on the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund:

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was established for the purpose of aiding worthy students in preparation for full time Christian Service. The Fund has grown very little during the past two years, and was used for the first time last year. Other yeoung people will be needing help through the years, so let's keep the fund growing.

Financial Report:

Balance in Bank - September 25, 1947		$1,085.54
Receipts		
10/28/47		
Poovey's Grove Sunday School Class	$ 3.75	
April 16, 1948 - Annual W. M. U. Meeting:		
Lower Creek	5.00	
King's Creek	5.00	
Granite Falls, 1st	5.00	
Mt. Zion	1.50	
Mt. Grove	.50	
Grandin	4.00	
Poovey's Grove	2.00	
Total	$ 26.75	
Grand Total		$1,112.29
Disbursements		
October 28, 1947		
Miss Stella Austin	$ 50.00	
February 2, 1948		
Miss Stella Austin	50.00	100.00
Balance in Bank September 6, 1948		$1,012.29

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Posey.

After the adoption of the above report Mr. J. R. Swanson gave his report as historian:

HISTORIAN

Application was made to the ministers of the Caldwell Association for a presbytery to attend a meeting at Central Baptist Church on August 20, 1940, for the purpose of organizing. The following brethern attended: Rev. T. E. Payne, E. M. Bradshaw, A. F. Knight, L. A. Miller, Z. B. Baker, ordained ministers and J. R. Swanson, Layman. After T. E. Payne was made Chairman and J. R. Swanson Clerk, the above named presbytery proceeded to organize, after a thorough examination being made, thirty members going into the organization, they having been dismissed from other Baptist Churches in regular order. After the organization was effected the church retained it's former name, Central Baptist Church of Lenoir, N. C., Rt. 2. The presbytery was dismissed and the newly organized church went into Conference by electing W. H. Livingston moderator and W. C. Lutz clerk. Rev. Carl Roberts was elected pastor, and followed later by Rev. Dixon Couch, and then by Rev. J. H. Cusp who is the present pastor.

Hartland Baptist Church was organized April 5, 1938, by a presbytery consisting of Rev. S. B. McCall, Chairman; Rev. J. S. Silvers, Sec.; Deacon Claywell Burns and T. N. Hallyburton, who met at the home of A. P. Anderson and organized Hartland Baptist Church, consisting of 18 members and being dismissed from other Baptist Churches in regular order. Rev. Lawrence Miller, pastor and Mrs. Tom Puett, clerk.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson, Historian.

This report was adopted. A motion was made and carried that Mr. J. R. Swanson be appointed to write a history of the association and to report at the next meeting. For this report, the moderator allowed Mr. Swanson to ignore any limitation as to the number of words.

The report of the committee on Time, Place, and Preacher was given by George Hollar and adopted.

TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER

The committee on Time, Place, and Preacher for the next meeting of the Caldwell Association recommends that the association meet with Harris Chapel, Thursday, September 15, 1949, and with Lower Creek, Friday September 16, 1949.

The annual sermon to be preached by Fred C. Roberts, Pastor Concord Baptist Church, with D. L. Bumgarner as Alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
George W. Hollar
Ted Hawkins
Grady A. Hamby

The report of the nominating committee follows. All the officers included in this report were duly elected by the adoption of this report.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Officers

Moderator	Dr. J. F. Reece
Vice Moderator	W. F. Woodall
Clerk	E. W. Smith
Treasurer	E. D. Beach
Associational Missionary	Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Sunday School Supt.	J. M. Laxton
Training Union Director	Miss Pearl Keller
W. M. U. President	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Orphanage Representative	G. G. Steele
Biblical Recorder Rep.	C. T. Smith
Historian	J. R. Swanson

Executive Committee

Dr. J. F. Reece	Donald Franklin
Rev. W. F. Woodall	Ralph McRary
E. W. Smith	Jesse Hawkins
E. D. Beach	B. A. Sullivan
Miss Elizabeth Campbell	W. F. Kerley
J. M. Laxton	Rev. W. W. Jones
Miss Pearl Keller	Rev. Frank Colburn
Mrs. Grover Triplett	Rev. John Carter

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

W. W. Jones 1949
W. F. Woodall 1950
M. W. Stallings 1951
Grant Miller 1952
Paul Hester 1953

Ridgecrest Committee - Trustees and Administration

C. T. Smith ..... Three years
Wade Haigler ..... Two years
George Hollar ..... One year

Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Miss Pearl Miller
J. M. Laxton
Mrs. Grover Triplett

Trustees of Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund
Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Mrs. Grover Triplett

Messenger to the State Baptist Convention
Rev. A. E. Blankenship

Messenger to the Southern Baptist Convention
Miss Elizabeth Campbell

Associational Statistician
E. W. Smith

Superintendent of Evangelism
W. F. Woodall

Respectfully submitted,
(Committee)
Maynard Bumgarner
Paul Hester
Walter Sullivan
Elizabeth Campbell
J. M. Laxton

The committee appointed earlier in the day made the motion which was carried, that Miss Campbell be refunded the cost of the mimeograph machine. Another motion was made and carried that an offering be taken for Miss Campbell. The offering, amounting to $42.00 was taken during the singing of "Higher Ground", and presented to Miss Campbell. Upon motion made and carried the clerk was instructed to write Mr. R. L. Palmer a letter of thanks for his past service as treasurer of the association.

The part of the program given to memorials was conducted by Rev. H. S. Benfield. A list of the honored dead, and the churches to which they belonged, was read. A copy of this list is given in these minutes

The following committees were appointed by Dr. J. F. Reece: To revise the by-laws and constitution—W. W. Jones, Fred C. Roberts, and Grant Miller; For the abolition of beverage alcohol—P. D. Fletcher, J. M. Laxton, Horace Chester. The resolution committee then presented the following report which was adopted:

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

1. Because there arises a need in our churches to have before them for reference when desired, the constitution and by-laws of Association, be it resolved that the Association instruct the clerk to include the same in the published minutes. Also that there be included the historical table.

2. Whereas the Hartland Baptist Church extended an invitation at the last regular meeting for the Association to be entertained as its guest on the second day, September 24, 1948, and whereas out of the abundance of food, so that all were adequately cared for, and a warm welcome extended to each one present:

Be it resolved that this body show the appreciation felt in each heart by a standing vote, and this resolution became a part of minutes.

3. Whereas the program for the current session of the Association has provided an informative and inspiring list of speakers from outside the Association, and since these came without obligation to anyone, be it resolved that this body express appreciation by instructing clerk to write appropriate letters to the following:

Mr. M. A. Huggins, Mr. W. K. McGee, Mr. L. L. Carpenter, Dr. Zeno Wall, Mr. Paul Elliott, Mr. George Bullard, Mr. J. C. Canipe, Mr Eugene Olive, Mr. R. M. Haus, Mr. M. H. Kendall.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. Blankenship, Chairman
Mrs. R. J. Smith
Mrs. Phillip Fletcher

Before adjourning the Hand of Christian Fellowship was extended to the representatives of the Beautiful Baptist Church. The meeting was then adjourned.

ABSTRACT PRINCIPLES, CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. This association shall be known as the Caldwell Baptist Association, and shall be composed of delegates chosen by the churches—each being entitled to three delegates for the first fifty members or fractional part thereof, and one for each additional fifty members or fractional part thereof not to exceed ten delegates per church, and all regularly ordained and licensed ministers as members ex-officio.

The association shall hold an annual session, the time and place to be designated by the body.

2. The object of this association shall be the promotion of Christ's kingdom among men.

3. The delegates thus selected shall bear from each respective church a letter certifying their appointment and communicating information relative to the state of the Church and interest hereof.

4. The associaion thus formed shall choose a Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall continue in office for one year, and until others are chosen. The last two offices may be held by the same individual.

5. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at meetings of business, to keep order during such sessions, to decide questions of order subject to an appeal to the house by any member, and to perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

6. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a faithful and correct record of all the proceedings of each session of the Association, and keep a file of printed minutes of the Association, and every ten years have them bound in book form for the use of the association, and to perform such other duties assigned him by the association.

7. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a correct record of all the funds coming into his hands, and to report the same at the order of the association.

8. There shall be a Committee of Arrangements, consisting of three members of the Executive Committee besides the Modrator and clerk, the Committee to be called by the Moderator.

9. All letters or girevances and queries, together with all letters from corresponding association requiring any attention thereon, shall be submitted to the Committee on Arrangements and reported back to the association.

10. This body shall have no coercive power to exercise Lordship over God's heritage, but shall only be an advisory council in all matters respecting the internal regulations of the Churches.

11. The association shall not maintain permanent fellowship towards any of her Churches which neglect to institute and preserve Gospel order among their members, not any of her Churches and members that treat her constitution with contempt, but shall sustain with all her influences such as promote Gospel principles and order.

12. It shall be the province of this association to invite visiting and corresponding brethren to seats, who shall be entitled to speak on any point under discussion, but not to vote.

13. This association shall in all matters except pertaining to the constitution, be governed by a majority of the members present, and shall not adjourn until they have gotten through the business of the association in order that they may appear as such in the minutes.

14. The association shall furnish the Churches with minutes of her proceedings, and it shall be the duty of the Churches to enable her to do so.

15. By appointment of the association there may be an introductory, a missionary of denominational sermon preached at each annual session.

16. This constitution may be altered at any regular session, two-thirds of the members present concurring.

BY-LAWS OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. At each assemblage the association shall be opened with praise and prayer, after which the minutes may be read.

2. The Moderator may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and on points of order no member shall speak more than once without leave of the body.

3. All committees may be appointed by the Moderator, unless otherwise ordered by the body. He may name any member of the body to perform the duties of the chair.

4. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the Association, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Moderator, and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities; if two or more members rise at the same time the Moderator shall name the brother to speak first. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the body.

5. All papers addressed to the association shall be presented by the Moderator or by the committee appointed.

6. If any brother, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the association the Moderator shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the brother so called to order shall at once conform to the rules, or take his seat.

7. In all elections the Moderator shall vote; in other case he shall not vote, unless the association be equally divided.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote at any session of the association.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.

2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men.

We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.

6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.

8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local churches or to insist that the candidate for ordinance be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry, and to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines, and believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denomination recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

1. That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

2. If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advise and concurrence of other churches.

3. This advise and recognition should come from the churches of the association.

4. That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

5. That a church call a council to examine a candidate only with the consent and upon the advise of this committee of the association, and that the ordination be arranged only after the committee has passed favorably upon the candidate.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved.

1. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Church, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

11. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

111. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

IN MEMORIAM

BETHANY
Deacon Grady Greene
CALVARY
Tom Ellis
Homer Stone
CENTER GROVE
P. J. Bumgarner
CONWAYS CHAPEL
Homer Messer
DUDLEY SHOALS
Deacon John J. Jones
Mrs. Lou Poovey
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Eugene Arney
GLOBE
Deacon Eli Bolick
GRANITE FALLS FIRST
Mrs. A. O. Mackie
HARRIS CHAPEL
Mrs. N. J. Austin
JOHN'S RIVER
Mrs. Martha Tolbert
Elisha Tolbert
Mrs. Hester Hatley
Clyde Moore
KINGS CREEK
F. G. Laxton
C. F. McGee
Mrs. Jane Hedrick
Mrs. H. G. Beach
Mrs. W. R. Beach
LENOIR FIRST
T. W. Hopkins
A. M. Yates
LONG FORD
Mrs. Sarah Hartley
Mrs. Lillie Borders
R. Noland Tuttle
LOVELADY
Deacon William P. Yount
LOWER CREEK
Mrs. Emma Lail
MT. ZION
Rev. D. L. Miller (Ret.)
Mrs. Gevevia Gilliland
Lloyd Bean
MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mrs. Ellen Morrison
PINEY GROVE
Gwyn Adkins
Millard Johnson
PLEASANT HILL
Aleck Greer
PISGAH
Noah Austin
Charlie Pope
SARDIS
Mrs. Joe Lingle
T. P. Crouch
Z. V. Johnson
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mrs. Clay E. Bowman
Mrs. Carrie Setzer
F. B. Triplett
UNION
Mrs. J. L. Tolbert
Miss Julia Reid
A. C. McRary
Mrs. M. W. West
W. W. Poarch
UNION GROVE
Noah Smith
Deacon Oscar L. Gibson
WHITNEL FIRST
B. D. Setzer, Jr.
Mrs. Maggie Taylor
WINKLERS GROVE
Deacon W. W. Eggers
C. S. Stafford
Mrs. C. S. Stafford

One death was reported by Clover Baptist Church, one by Poovey's Grove Baptist Church, and an additional death by Lovelady Baptist Church, but the names of the deceased were not given.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM

10:00 — Hymn: "Jesus Shall Reign"

Watchwords (Quoted in Unison)
"Laborers together with God" 1 Cor. 3:9
"For Ye Serve the Lord Christ" Cor. 3:24
Worship Period: Mrs. A. E. Blankenship, Mrs. Carter Powell
Solo: "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"
Prayer: Mrs. W. F. Woodall

10:15 — Business
Word of Welcome — Mrs. E. C. McCall
Response
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees — Appreciation, Time & Place, Nominating
Recognition of Societies Rrpresented

10:30 — Avenue of Service in Our Commemoration Year:
1. Associational Superintendent—Mrs. C. A. Bowman
2. Assoc. Young Peoples' Director—Mrs. T. C. High
3. Assoc. R. A. Counselor—Rev. P. D. Fletcher
4. "For Ye Serve The Lord Christ"—Miss Hilda Mayo

11:30 — Hymn: "Come, Women, Wide Proclaim"
Announcements:
Special Music: Pantomine "O Zion Haste"—Mt. Zion Y.W.A.

11:40 — "Serving The Lord Christ in Paraguay"—Miss Estelle Councilman

12:10 — "Serving The Lord Christ Through Witnessing"—Rev. A. E. Blankenship

12:30 - 1:30 LUNCH

1:30 — Hymn: "The Kingdom is Coming"

Scripture: Philippians 2:1-11 — Mrs. Frank Colburn
Prayer

1:40 — "Serving The Lord Christ in Organizational Activities"

Mission Study — Mrs. J. A. Boldin

2. Stewardship — Mrs. J. H. Craig

3. Community Missions — Mrs. J. G. Benfield

4. Literature — Mrs. P. D. Fletcher

5. Training School and Margaret Fund

2:30 — Reports of Committees. Election of Officers:

2:45 — Installation of Officers — Mrs. H. K. Middleton

3:00 — Closing Message — Miss Estelle Councilman
Prayer:

W. M. U. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

"In all our ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths."

In the Caldwell Association the women and young people are earnestly endeavoring to acknowledge Him in a very humble, but meaningful way through prayer, study work, and giving.

Four W. M. U. Associational Meetings were held with good attendance and much interest shown. Mrs. High is doing a good work amnog our young people.

Steady gains are being realized in all our work. Several new W. M. S. have been organized.

Our aim for 1948, that four new W. M. S. be organized, one hundred new members, a ten percent increase in gifts.

Superintendent attended State Council meeting in Raleigh, two Divisional Meetings, traveled 735 miles, mailed 322 letters, and made 19 talks.

May we press forward in every phase of our work. Realizing God will go with us all the way.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Bowman

MISSION STUDY FOR W. M. U.

No. Mission Study Classes	69
(W. M. S. Classes 38 — Young People's Classes 31)	
No. Organizations reporting this year	33
No. Engaged in Study	683
No. W. M. S. Completing the Study of a Book	383
No. W. M. U. Members Reading One or More Missionary Books	471
No. Seals awarded Young People's Organization	263
No. Reading Stamps Awarded	19
No. Schools of Missions	1

OFFICE REPORT

No. Letters and Postals Written	65
No. Packages Mission Study Awards Malied	40
No. Telephone Calls	75

Associational Mission Study Goals 1948

1. A Mission Study Class inat least ¾ of the W. M. S. and in each of the Junior Organizations in the Association during the year.

2. An Associational Mission Study Institute during the year.

3. Three Additional Misisonary Round Tables organized in the Association.

4. Three Churches in which every member of every W. M. U. Organization, except the Sunbeams, reads at least one Missionary Book during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mission Study Chairman

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Carried over from 1946	$ 6.78
Amount Collected for Associational Expense Fund	71.90
Total	$78.68

Mailing Expenses, Sent to Mrs. T. C. High, Mrs. J. A. Bolding, Mrs. J. H. Craig	$10.00
Mailing Expenses for Associational Superintendent	13.25
Traveling Expenses for Visiting Missionary, Miss Bertha Smith	12.23
Love Offering — Miss Ruth Province	5.00
Love Offering — Mrs. C. N. Myers	5.00
Sent to District Associational Expense Fund	8.00
Total	$53.48
Balance	$25.20

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Fred G. Bowman

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Superintendent — Mrs. Grover Triplett
Associate Superintendent — Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Secretary and Treasurer — Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Community Missions—Mrs. J. G. Benfield
Mission Stury — Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Stewardship — Mrs. J. H. Craig
Young People's Leader — Mrs. T. C. High
Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund — Miss Sara Posey

LIBRARY

Loaned	1
Returned	3
Purchased	0
Donated	10
Books in Library Now	264

Respectfully submitted,
Eller Dickson

APPRECIATION

Strengthened in body and spirit by this day, we of the Caldwell W. M. U. express our gratitude to this the hostess church for every courtesy extended to us. To her pastor, for his message and general "shepherding", to Mrs. Mangum, for her beautiful music and to the Marthas Ministering so graciously to our physical needs, we are grateful.

Mrs. Bowman's quiet consecration and devoted work in this crowning year of her inestimable leadership evoke our genuine thankfulness for her life and service among us.

To the other officers and committees serving so well and to each one on the program today we owe a debt.

Miss Campbell is our guardian angel, pushing out our horizons and developing our christian discipleship by precept made real in example.

Miss Mayo's lucid presentation of goals and plans made us still more thankful to the Father for calling her radiant young life to this part of His Harvest Field.

To Miss Councilman, lifting our eyes to those other sheep still outside the fold, we give assurance of our prayers, for herself and her beloved Paraguay especially the book store.

To these and all others whose ministry has made this day a blessing, we say, Thank You!

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Walter Jones

ANNUAL REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL COMMUNITY MISSIONS CHAIRMAN

Total number of organizations: W. M. S. 23, Y. W. A. 8, G. A. 10, R. A. 6, S. B. 5. Number of organizations reporting this year: W. M. S. 11, Y. W. A. 7, G. A. 10, R. A. 2, S. B. 4.

Number or organizations	W.M.S.	Y.W.A.	G.A.	R.A.	S.B.	Total
1. Endeavoring to enlist all members in Community Missions	11	4	9	4	2	30
11. Having Community Missions Committee	11	4	8	3		26
111. Reporting Community Missions	11	7	10	2	4	34
1V. Number of Surveys	3	1				4
V. Number classes studying Guide to Community Missions	2					2
V1. Number classes studying book on Soul-winning	6					6
V11. Engaged in Definite Evangelistic Efforts	9	3	6	1		19
V111. Showing Christian Fellowship	9	7	8	2	1	27
1X. Lifting Moral Standards of Community	11	5	5	2		23
Number of members engaged in Community Missions	217	39	45	20	15	436

Has an Associational Community Missions Institute been held this year? Yes. Have you an Associational Community Missions Council? Yes.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. G. Benfield

REPORT ON STEWARDSHIP

Realizing the fact that we are God's Stewards, not only of our money, but of our time, and talents as well, and as I bring you my report of what our women, and young people have given in 1947, let us also consider our goals for 1948 and try to reach them.

No. of Tithers in W. M. S.	250
No. of Tithers in Young People	85
Annie Armstrong Offering	$ 217.77
Heck Memorial Offering	86.42
State Missions Offering	195.57
Lottie Moon Offering	1,262.95
Gifts to Cooperative Program	2,771.38

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. J. H. Craig

REPORT OF LITERATURE CHAIRMAN OF W. M. U.

Since the beginning of our organized work, Baptists have used the printed page in order to promote Kingdom work, and to understand each other better.

The Bible is today the world's best seller. We recommend that we read, and encourage others to read, the Bible through during 1948. From its pages we read one of the greatest statements: "Train up a child in the way it should go; and when it is old it will not depart from it." Good literature should be in every home so that the child may have access to it.

As the foods we eat are assimulated and become a part of our physical bodies, so the literature we read becomes a part of our lives, helping us to form our character and personality. Funny books and trashy literature, instead of good reading material, are flooding the American homes today.

Available to North Carolina Baptists is a splendid State Paper, "The Biblical Recorder". It presents every phase of our Baptist work, along with other helpful and inspirational material. It is published weekly and can be had for $2.00 per year; $1.50 in Clubs of Five; and $1.20 if placed in the Church Budget and sent to every Church home.

Other fine periodicals are: "The Commission", the Foreign Mission Board Publication, "Home Missions", The Home Mission Board Publication; and the various W. M. U. Publications, "Royal Service", "Window of Y. W. A.", "Ambassador Life" and "World Comrades". At least one of these publications should be coming regularly into every Baptist Home. Better still, is every member of the family receiving the magazine for his or her own particular age or organization.

We cannot be the informed Christians we ought to be in today's world unless we read our denominational periodicals.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. P. D. Fletcher

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Church	W.M.U.	Sunday School	Training Union	Bible School	Misc.
Bethany					
Blairs Fork		3			
Buffalo Cove		5		5	
Calvary	O,C				
Cedar Rock				5	
Center Grove	O				
Central				C	
Clark's Chapel					
Clover	M,M				
College Avenue	M,DC,C,M,M		4CTS		PS,YF
Concord	M				MW
Conway's Chapel					
Dudley Shoals	M		5	5	
Edgemont					
Fleming's Chapel					
Globe					
Grandview Park					
Grandin	M		5		
Green Rock					
Granite Falls First	M,M	G	G	5	
Green Valley					
Harris Chapel				5	
Hartland	M,M	G	5	5	
John's River				5	B
Kings Creek			5		V,PS
Lenoir First	DC,M,C	TC		5	
Longford			G,G		
Lovelady		T			
Lower Creek		G,G			
Maple Grove					
Miller Hill				5	
Mt. Zion				5	
Mtn. Grove	M				
Mulberry					
Mulvale					
Nelson's Chapel	M,M				
Oak Grove					
New Hope					
Piney Grove			G		

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Church	W.M.U.	Sunday School	Training Union	Bible School	Misc.
Pleasant Hill					
Pisgah		T			
Poovey's Chapel					
Poovey's Grove					MW,P
Rhodhiss				5	
Rocky Springs		G,T		5	
Rufus					
Sardis	M,M				
Temple Missionary				5	
Temple Hill					
Union					
Union Grove			5		
Whitnel First	M,M	B		5	
Winkler's Grove					
West Lenoir			3		
Yadkin	M				
Yadkin Valley			5		
Worship Point				5	

MILES TRAVELED SEPT. 1947—SEPT. 1948 — 5,960

M—Mission Study
TC—Taught Class
V—Volunteer Group
C—Commencement
PS—Prayer Service
MW—Morning Worship
G—General Meeting
B—Banquet
T—S.S. Team
CTS—Central Training School
DC—Devotional Circle
5—Days, Study Course, BS
O—Organization
Y—Youth Forum

OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED:

Divisional and State W .M. U. Meeting; W. M. U. Executive Officers' Council; State Vacation Bible School Clinics and 5 Associational Clinics; Two Enlargement Campaigns; Regional Training Union Meeting; Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention; Pastors' Conferences; Seaside Baptist Assembly; Sunday School and Training Union Associational Officers' Meeting; Associational Volunteer Band Meeting, and all Associational Sunday School, Training Union and W. M. U. Meetings; Executive Officers' Council Meetings—4.

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885-1948

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 | Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 | Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 | Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 | Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889 | Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 | Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 | Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 | Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 | Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 | Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895 | Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896 | Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 | Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 | Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 | Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 | Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 | Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 | Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 | Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 | Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 | Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 | Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 | Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 | Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 | Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 | Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 | Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 | Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 | Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 | Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 | Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 | Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield

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1917	Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918	Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919	Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920	Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921	Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922	Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923	Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924	Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925	Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926	Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927	Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A.. Stroup
1928	South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929	Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930	Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931	Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932	Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933	Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934	Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935	Whitenel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936	Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937	Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938	Rocky Springs	R D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939	Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940	Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941	Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942	Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943	Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944	King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945	Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946	Winklers Grove			
1946	Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1947	Lenoir First			
1947	Central Grove	C. M. Abernathy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1948	Central			
1948	Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smitn	W. W. Jones

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
TIME OF MEETINGS

Churches	First Sunday AM	First Sunday PM	Second Sunday AM	Second Sunday PM	Third Sunday AM	Third Sunday PM	Fourth Sunday AM	Fourth Sunday PM	Fifth Sunday AM	Fifth Sunday PM
Bethany					x	x				
Blairs Fork	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Buffalo Cove							x			
Calvary	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Cedar Rock	x				x					
Center Grove	x		x		x		x			
Central Baptist	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Clarks Chapel	x			x	x			x		
Clover	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
College Avenue	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Concord	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Conways Chapel	(No Report)									
Dudley Shoals		x	x			x	x			
Edgemont			x				x			
Flemings Chapel	x			x	x			x		
Globe			x				x			
Grandview Park		x	x			x	x			
Grandin	x					x				
Granite Falls First	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Green Rock	(No Report)									
Green Valley	x									
Harris Chapel	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Hartland		x	x			x	x			
John's River							x			
Kings Creek			x				x			
Lenoir First	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Long Ford	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		
Lovelady	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lower Creek	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Maple Grove	x				x					
Miller Hill	x			x	x			x	x	
Mt. Zion	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Mountain Grove	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Mulberry	x	x			x	x				
Mulvale		x	x			x	x			
Nelsons' Chapel	x	x			x	x				
New Hope		x			x					
Oak Grove	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Piney Grove	x									
Pleasant Hill	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Pisgah	x		x		x		x		x	
Pooveys' Chapel	x		x		x		x			
Poovey's Grove	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Rhodhiss	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Rocky Springs			x	x			x	x		
Rufus	x				x					
Sardis	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Temple Missionary	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Temple Hill	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Union			x				x			
Union Grove		x	x			x	x			
Whitnel First	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Winklers Grove	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
West Lenoir	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Yadkin	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Yadkin Valley	x				x					
Beautiful	x		x		x		x			

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Year Organized	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Baptisms	Letter and Other Additions	Loss by Death	Other Losses	Total Losses	Total Resident Members	Total Non-Resident Members	Grand Total Members	Revival Meetings Held	No. Tithers in Church	State Paper in Budget	Church Library	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Spent on Building and Remodeling	Total Building and Reserve Funds	Total Church Debt
Bethany	OC	1902	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	4	1	1	5	6	109		109	1		No	No		1100.			
Blairs Fork	V	1891	Thomas B. Flowe, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	3	2		26	26	104	65	169	1	22	No	No	7000.	12000.		1043.82	1658.79
Buffalo Cove	OC	1857	Walter Dula, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	1	2		3	3	61	70	131	1		No	No		1000.		610.80	
Calvary	V	1941	J. Edd Crump, Hudson, N. C.	67	46	2	16	18	225	3	228	2					35000.	15000.00		11790.00
Cedar Rock	OC	1942	E. O. Miller, Boomer, N. C.	1	2		1	1	30	21	51	2		No	No					
Center Grove	OC	1912	C. R. McFelea, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	4	9	1	21	22	98		98	1		No	No		4500.	1761.67		621.70
Central	T	1938	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	17	15		17	17	276	25	301	1	25	No	No	5000.	40000.	14000.00		9435.87
Clarks Chapel	OC	1900	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	1			8	8	115	58	173			No	Yes		2000.			
Clover	C	1942	Grady H. Hamby, Granite Falls, N. C.	16	9	1	2	3	128		128	2	37	Yes	Yes		20000.	764.27	725.42	1907.24
College Avenue	C	1910	W. F. Woodall, Lenoir, N. C.	54	75	3	28	31	943	230	1173		246	Yes	Yes	12500.	225000.	132000.00	3800.00	60000.00
Concord	C	1908	Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls, N. C.	12	7		15	15	290	70	360	2	72	No	No	8000.	33000.	1100.00	20379.00	
Conways Chapel			Clifton Cooper			1	3	4	28	39	67	1								
Dudley Shoals	OC	1861	A. E. Watts, Taylorsville, N. C.	2	6	2	9	11	257	15	272	1		No	Yes		4500.		8855.43	
Edgemont	OC	1915	O. C. Dellinger, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.																	
Flemings Chapel	OC	1888	Sam Silvers, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	6	9	1	3	4	125	26	151	1					2250.			
Globe	OC	1832	C. E. Woodruff, Globe, N. C.	6		1	5	6	74	37	111	1					1000.			
Grandview Park	OC	1930	J. S. Silvers, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	10			5	5	86	6	92	1		No	No		4500.			
Grandin	OC	1914	Grant Miller, Jr., Kings Creek, N. C.	6			1	1	50	38	88	1	12	No	Yes		4000.			
Granite Falls First	T	1907	P. D. Fletcher, Granite Falls, N. C.	11	19	1	11	12	455		455	1	105	Yes	No	5000.	30000.	2035.50	23438.00	
Green Rock			No Report																	
Green Valley	OC	1838	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.		5		2	2	45		45	1		No	No		950.			
Harris Chapel	OC	1912	W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	13	1	1	8	9	194	60	254	2	41	No	No		36000.	11396.00	3761.08	12722.47
Hartland	OC	1938	Tom Flowe, Lenoir, N. C.		10		14	14	162	18	180	2	25	No	No		50000.			15434.09
John's River	OC	1890	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			4	3	7	54	70	124			No	No		1000.	65.00	316.74	
Kings Creek	OC	1779	G. R. Miller, Jr., Kings Creek, N. C.	17	5	5	14	19	274	104	378	1		No	Yes	5000.	15000.	1025.00	540.00	

Lenoir First	C	1889	A. E. Blankenship, Lenoir, N. C.	31	38	2	22	24	790	147	937	1		Yes	No		245000.	22364.60	3530.17	10000.00	
Longford	OC	1934	Homer H. Messner, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	32	8	3	15	18	129	113	242	2	12	No	No		7500.		974.66		
Lovelady	OC	1937	W. E. Keller, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	3	6	2	3	5	150	7	157	2	20	No	No		10000.	2205.11	319.07		
Lower Creek	OC	1826	W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	13	13	1	21	22	500	62	562	1		No	Yes	15000.	115000.	2974.22	1967.95		
Maple Grove	OC		J. W. Fox, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	4			17	17	116		116	1									
Miller Hill	V	1935	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	26	8		1	1	124	18	142	2				2000.	4000.				
Mt. Zion	OC	1889	Paul Hester, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	15	21	3	7	10	440		440	2	35	No	Yes	3000.	20000.	14517.78	178.76		
Mountain Grove	V	1884	Grady H. Hamby, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	28		1	9	10	284	42	326	2	68	Yes	Yes	8000.	15000.	770.71		816.51	
Mulberry	OC	1853	W. H. Shores, Boone, N. C.	4	1		5	5	66		66	1									
Mulvale	OC	1941	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1					94		94			No	No						
Nelson's Chapel	OC	1905	J. C. Brooks, Granite Falls, N. C.				2	2	31	55	86	1	7	No	Yes						
New Hope	OC	1941	Grant Miller, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.						83		83	1		No	No		2500.				
Oak Grove	OC	1938	Ray Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	13	17		2	2	116	17	133	1	20	No	No		500.				
Piney Grove	OC	1869	W. J. Cooke, Rt. 1, Boone, N. C.			2	6	8	150		150			No	No		5000.				
Pleasant Hill	OC	1946	C. F. Cook, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	24	12	1	4	5	87		87	2			No		5000.		22.50		
Pisgah	OC	1877	Gordon Crump, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	20	9	2	6	8	95	24	119	2	11	No	No	4000.	8000.			1800.00	
Poovey's Chapel	OC	1932	Frank Knight, Hudson, N. C.	2	1		3	3	114	4	118	1		No	No		10000.	1141.70	200.00	2000.00	
Poovey's Grove	OC	1898	John E. Carter, Granite Falls, N. C.	16	4	1	4	5	150	45	195	1		No		4000.	10300.		381.00		
Rhodhiss	T	1906	Frank Colburn, Rhodhiss, N. C.														10000.	428.02			
Rocky Springs	V	1845	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	20	9		5	5	84	34	118	2					2500.				
Rufus	OC	1940	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	6	6		4	4	68	16	84	1									
Sardis	T	1831	H. S. Benfield, Hudson, N. C.	8	6	3	14	17	360	115	475	2	91	No	No	3500.	15000.	2422.41	29899.30		
Temple Missionary	V	1942	Lloyd M. Curtis, Hudson, N. C.	8	28		22	22	114	8	122	2	8	No	No		4000.	23.55	46.33		
Temple Hill	OC	1946	L. R. Davis, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	6	9				74		74	1		No	No		4500.			230.00	
Union	OC	1814	W. O. Johnson, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	6	3	5	4	9	211	170	381	1	12				18000.	1185.23	737.23		
Union Grove	OC	1898	Paul Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	8	8	2	7	9	163	78	241	1					6500.	385.00	296.32		
Whitnel First	T	1910	M. W. Stallings, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	25	11	2	20	22	195	31	226	4	65		Yes	8000.	23000.			3003.80	
Winkler's Grove	OC	1886	J. R. Holland, Longview Station, N. C.	29	12	3	4	7	179	75	254	2	50	No	No		15000.	3000.00		1500.00	
West Lenoir	V		Ira Walker, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	16	8		16	16	121		121	2			No	5000.	20000.	266.32		300.00	
Yadkin	V	1791	B. F. Peeler, Patterson, N. C.	7	7		15	15	348		348	2	15	No	No				760.95		
Yadkin Valley	OC	1935	O. C. Dellinger, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	5	1		1	1	55		55	1		No	No						
*Beautiful	OC	1948	H. E. Colvard, Lenoir, N. C.	11	21				32		32	1	16		No						
* Admitted in 1948.			**Totals**	638	490	57	459	516	9706	2016	11722	71	1015			95000.	1099100.	230832.09	102784.53	133220.47	

TABLE II. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT J. M. Laxton Kings Creek, N. C. SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V.B.S.	
		Cradle Roll, under 4	Nursery, under 4	Beginners, 4-5 years	Primaries, 6-8 years	Juniors, 9-12 years	Intermediates, 13-16 years	Young People, 17-24 years	Adults, 25 years & up	Extension Dept.	General Dept. Officers	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Enrollment V. B. S.	Av. Attendance V. B. S.
Bethany	Hardy Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			10				20	22			52	32		
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			12	15	15	20	25	25		2	114	88		
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.			6	10	21	10	18	18			83	49	30	27
Calvary	Howard Shumake, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Incomplete Report													
Cedar Rock	C. F. Armes, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			9	12			15	16	5	2	59	38	29	29
Center Grove	Tula Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			20	20	25	27	44	15		3	154	93		
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel, N. C.		28	15	18	36	39	65	53		8	262	175		
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			20	22	24	20	10	31		3	130	67		
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.		13	25	29	44	30	23	42			206		88	62
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Lenoir, N. C.	62	60	82	123	165	137	119	282	25	7	1062	450	219	169
Concord	George Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.		14	16	51	58	55	52	66	6	4	322	152	159	128
Conways Chapel	Roy Branch, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			5	3	8		12	17			45			
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austni, Granite Falls, N. C.			16	17	15	15	28	25		6	122	90	51	40
Edgemont	Mrs. Pearl Suddreth, Edgemont, N. C.			20		10			15			45			
Flemings Chapel	Will Clarke, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	6		10	18	20	12	20	40		1	127	115		
Globe	Robert Coffey, Globe, N. C.			15		10		18	20			63			
Grandview Park	C. E. Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			19	23	25	13	15	41			136	90		
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		6	6	9	10	11	9	25			76	45		
Granite Falls First	C. W. Miller, Granite Falls, N. C.		20	23	42	64	56	43	103	20	5	376	165	123	113
Green Rock		No Report													
Green Valley	James Philyaw, Collettsville, N. C.			20			15		25		2	62	30		
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			14	26	23	29	52	32		2	178	130	57	53
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Morganton, N. C.			13		39	27	27	75		2	183	105		
John's River	R. G. Estes, Upton, N. C.			8	12			12	10			42	30		
Kings Creek	Victor W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		7	18	22	40	34	16	95	24		256	137		
Lenoir First	E. C. McCall, Lenoir, N. C.		38	51	73	87	74	87	351		11	772	478	133	118

Longford	Carl Borders, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			18	30	21	38	26	49			182	116						
Lovelady	Walter Turnmyre, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	13		8	18	29	22	21	41		3	155	118		61	57			
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	8	34	25	44	59	50	27	177	35	5	464	269		192	151			
Maple Grove	Issaac Harold, Mortimer, N. C.			6	5	4	5	3	4			27							
Miller Hill	James Teeters, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			21	30	28	20	10	42			151	95						
Mt. Zion	J. Maynard Bumgarner, Granite Falls, N. C.		31	40	23	46	50	68	106	8	3	375	218		69	62			
Mulberry	G. H. Edmisten, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.				15		7	10	8			40							
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	40	12	33	40	55	45	13	139	24	4	405	158						
Mulvale	Cecil Clark, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	7		9	6	10	14	5	21		1	73	41						
Nelson's Chapel	Raymond L. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			19		7	8	11	27		2	74	55						
New Hope	G. H. Crotts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			6		6		7	11			30	30						
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.		7	8	8	22	19	26	41	6		137	62		81	76			
Piney Grove	G. W. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	11		13	16	23	21	26	26			136	60						
Pleasant Hill	C. P. Setzer, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			15	15	17		31	30			108	75						
Pisgah	John Pope, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			25		25		35	30			115	90						
Poovey's Chapel	John E. Haas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			32	19	14	26	16	14	18	9	148	94						
Poovey's Grove	Garland Keller, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.		9	15	12	17	21	20	34			128	78		66	55			
Rhodhiss	Boyd Kirby, Granite Falls, N. C.	5		7	29	37	43	30	55		2	208	119			89			
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			18		24	19	22	20			103	68		44	39			
Rufus	W. C. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			12	7		29		36			84	65						
Sardis	H. B. Smith, Hudson, N. C.		20	31	39	54	48	55	133	24	7	411	161		125	118			
Temple Missionary	W. C. Harless, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		4	11	15	15	21	7	36			109	59		44	38			
Temple Hill	John Austin, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			8	12	15	10	15	35			95	80						
Union	George McLeod, Lenoir, N. C.	16		14	19	40	22	78	26	22		237	94						
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			18	19	20	28	52	42			179							
Whitnel First	W. S. Honaker, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		5	23	42	50	46	25	62		5	258	127		132	118			
Winkler's Grove	Charles Allis, Hickory, N. C.			18		12	23	18	56		2	129	75		25	20			
West Lenoir	Jay Storie, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			16	14	15	18		26			89							
Yadkin	Johnnie Suddreth, Lenoir, N. C.	8		17	21	33	45	39	85		6	254	150		110	95			
Yadkin Valley	Virgil Gragg, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.				16	6	9		15		5	51	35						
*Beautiful	Roger Holtsclaw, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			18	12	8	8	8	18			72	55						
	Totals	176	308	957	1071	1451	1339	1434	2889	217	112	9954			1838				

* Admitted in 1948.

TABLE III. THE TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Miss Pearl Keller, Granite Falls, N. C. TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Story Hour Unions	Junior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Young People Unions	Adult Unions	Total Unions	Enrollment Story Hour	Enrollment Juniors	Enrollment Intermediates	Enrollment Young People	Enrollment Adults	General Officers	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance Per Sunday	Youth Week	Christian Home Week
Bethany	No Training Union Report																
Blairs Fork	James Roberts, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	6	12	10	13	7	56	44	Yes	No
Buffalo Cove	No Training Union Report																
Calvary	No Training Union Report																
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Nolan Correll, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.				1		1				40		3	43	20	No	No
Center Grove	Earl Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		1	2	1		4		7	14	5		3	29	25	No	No
Central	S. G. Shore, Box 408, Lenoir, N. C.		1	1	1	1	4		5	10	9	20	6	50	24	No	No
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	7	8	6	7	2	37	28	No	No
Clover	Charles Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.	2	2	2	1	1	8	14	15	20	20	10	12	91		Yes	Yes
College Avenue	Miss Lanta Odem, Lenoir, N. C.	2	2	3	1	2	10	25	50	62	20	49	3	209	120	Yes	No
Concord	Ray Goble, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	13	15	28	11	13	6	86	45	No	No
Conways Chapel	No Training Union Report																
Dudley Shoals	Perry Laxton, Granite Falls, N. C.		1	1		1	3		14	28		23	6	71	35		
Edgemont	No Training Union Report																
Flemings Chapel	Paul Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.				1		1				45			45	35		
Globe	No Training Union Report																
Grandview Park	No Training Union Report																
Grandin	Mrs. Alice Howell, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5		8	9	4	4	5	30	20	Yes	Yes
Granite Falls First	James Carter, Granite Falls, N. C.		1	1	1	1	4		20	20	16	21	3	80	46	No	No
Green Rock	No Training Union Report																
Green Valley	No Training Union Report																
Harris Chapel	Wade Church, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		1	1		1	3		24	15		11	2	52	39	No	No
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.		1	1	1	1	4		10	18	15	23		66	40		
John's River	No Training Union Report																
Kings Creek	J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	19	23	10	13		79	40	No	No

Lenoir First	C. A. Holden, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	1	2	7	15	32	50	30	62	4	193	95	Yes	Yes
Longford	Mrs. Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	2	6	15	22	29	16	26	3	111	74	No	No
Lovelady	Jane Weaver, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	11	8	19	9	15	8	70	58	No	No
Lower Creek	E. D. Beach, Box 163, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	2	6	6	22	27	17	37	4	113	80	No	No
Maple Grove	No Training Union Report																
Miller Hill	Pearl Lackey, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1		1	1	4	19	29		25	10		83	40		
Mt. Zion	Carrie Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	1	1	2	6	15	18	15	19	37	6	110	82	No	No
Mountain Grove	Charlotte Smith, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	2	1	1	1	6	8	27	19	5	20	4	83	45	No	No
Mulberry	No Training Union Report																
Mulvale	No Training Union Report																
Nelson's Chapel	Alice Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1		1	3	7		12		16	3	38	25		
New Hope	No Training Union Report																
Oak Grove	No Training Union Report																
Piney Grove	J. C. Hawkins, Ledgewood, N. C.				1		1				28			28	20		
Pleasant Hill	No Training Union Report																
Pisgah	No Training Union Report																
Poovey's Chapel	No Training Union Report																
Poovey's Grove	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	12	14	4	13		53	34	No	No
Rhodhiss	Boyd Brown, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1	2	1	1	1	6	15	28	18	6	21	5	93	69	Yes	No
Rocky Springs	No Training Union Report																
Rufus	No Training Union Report																
Sardis	F. L. Pilkenton, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	16	17	23		20		76		No	No
Temple Missionary	No Training Union Report																
Temple Hill	No Training Union Report																
Union	John Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	11	10	11	10	20	3	65	44		
Union Grove	Ira Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	7	12	10	8	3	46	25	No	No
Whitnel First	Lester J. Gragg, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	13	25	24	8	20	3	93	59	Yes	Yes
Winkler's Grove	No Training Union Report																
West Lenoir	No Training Union Report																
Yadkin	Opal Cloer, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	12	22	10	11	3	66	35	No	No
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack R. Clark, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	14	5	7		9	4	39	29	No	No
	Totals	**25**	**32**	**34**	**27**	**33**	**151**	**270**	**474**	**569**	**408**	**552**	**111**	**2384**			

TABLE IV. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. Grover Triplett, Lenoir, N. C. PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	Number W. M. S.	Number Y. W. A.	Number G. A.	Number R. A.	Number Sunbeam	Total W. M. U. Organizations	Enrollment W. M. S.	Enrollment Y. W. A.	Enrollment G. A.	Enrollment R. A.	Enrollment Sunbeam	Total Members	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers
Bethany	No W. M. U. Report														
Blairs Fork	No W. M. U. Report														
Buffalo Cove	No W. M. U. Report														
Calvary	Mrs. Hugh Kincaid, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	32					32		
Cedar Rock	No W. M. U. Report														
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1		1		1	3	16		14		20	50		
Central	Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	14					14		14
Clark's Chapel	No W. M. U. Report														
Clover	Mrs. G. H. Hamby, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	7	10	22	11	10	60	50	20
College Avenue	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	95	11	34	25	25	190	207	72
Concord	Mrs. Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1			3	40	18	10			68	25	28
Conways Chapel	No W. M. U. Report														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	22					22	10	
Edgemont	No W. M. U. Report														
Flemings Chapel	No W. M. U. Report														
Globe	No W. M. U. Report														
Grandview Park	No W. M. U. Report														
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	8					8	8	6
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Carr Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	40	18	30	17	40	145	83	69
Green Rock	No W. M. U. Report														
Green Valley	No W. M. U. Report														
Harris Chapel	No W. M. U. Report														
Hartland	Mrs. W. M. Cannon, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1			3	28	17	9			54	18	12
Johns River	No W. M. U. Report														
Kings Creek	Mrs. V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	20	9	14		15	58		
Lenoir First	Mrs. E. C. McCall, Lenoir, N. C.	7	1	2	2	1	13	175	15	33	24	18	265		

Longford	No W. M. U. Report																
Lovelady	No W. M. U. Report																
Lower Creek	Mrs. Carl Thompson, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	104	12	49	7	52	224	167	60
Maple Grove	No W. M. U. Report																
Miller Hill	No W. M. U. Report																
Mt. Zion	Mrs. W. L. Annas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1			3	11	12	6			29		
Mountain Grove	Mrs. B. B. Bean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		1	1	1	4	10		20	6	9	45	30	33
Mulberry	No W. M. U. Report																
Mulvale	No W. M. U. Report																
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1				2	12	9				21	18	
New Hope	No W. M. U. Report																
Oak Grove	Mrs. Ray Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	14					14	14	6
Piney Grove	No W. M. U. Report																
Pleasant Hill	No W. M. U. Report																
Pisgah	No W. M. U. Report																
Poovey's Chapel	No W. M. U. Report																
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Foster Fulbright, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		1		1	3	12		15		15	42		
Rhodhiss	No W. M. U. Report																
Rocky Springs	No W. M. U. Report																
Rufus	No W. M. U. Report																
Sardis	Mrs. Paul Sanford, Hudson, N. C.	1		1			2	20		14			34	14	
Temple Missionary	No W. M. U. Report																
Temple Hill	No W. M. U. Report																
Union	Mrs. John Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	16					16		2
Union Grove	No W. M. U. Report																
Whitnel First	Mrs. David G. Younce, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1	1		3	16		15	13		44	21	17
Winklers Grove	Mrs. A. M. Hoskins, Hickory, N. C.	1					1	18					18	10	12
West Lenoir	No W. M. U. Report																
Yadkin	No W. M. U. Report																
Yadkin Valley	No W. M. U. Report																
Totals		28	10	19	10	9	76	730	131	285	103	204	1453	675	351

TABLE V. GIFTS FOR LOCAL WORK OF CHURCH

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER E. D. Beach, Lenoir, N. C. TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Pastor's Salary	Janitor, Fuel, Repairs, Insurance, etc.	Asst. Pastor, Educational Director, Choir Leader	Revival Expense	Paid on Church Debt	Literature, Quarterlies,	Local Benevolences	Building Fund (given Associational Year)	Local Missions	Other Objects	Total Given for Local Church Work
Bethany	Murray Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	137.75		40.00	75.00		10.00					262.75
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaac, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	3794.28	439.52		101.31	983.00	259.59	5.15	877.00	13.00	82.29	6555.14
Buffalo Cove	John H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	264.00	32.40	172.00			51.35	64.61	496.19			1080.55
Calvary	James C. Wood, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	2720.00	16427.50	268.89	347.43	13487.54	324.48	1314.26		437.14	164.10	35491.34
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	252.54	27.43		50.54		114.46	70.00			19.05	534.62
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1615.00	187.00		50.00	331.00	132.66	15.00	1430.67	85.64	142.67	3989.64
Central	G. E. McCall, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	2295.00	347.02	6.17	95.09	1485.31	298.84	109.11	3166.93		53.97	7857.44
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George R. Craig, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1300.00	70.00				147.00	122.60	195.00	65.00	30.55	1930.15
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	2450.00	281.86		423.00	384.00	197.40	48.93	764.27	532.00	150.00	5231.46
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Lenoir, N. C.	3965.45	4957.72	2209.81	50.00		917.92	141.11	28534.85		2061.95	42838.81
Concord	Nelson Clay, Granite Falls, N. C.	3295.00	1984.07	55.00	155.00		328.27	43.40	4041.79		275.23	10177.76
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	304.00	80.00	58.00		87.55	26.00				142.00	697.55
Dudley Shoals	Clifton Sigmon, Granite Falls, N. C.	1670.00	411.10		113.00		246.52	43.65	2024.33	102.51	658.12	5269.23
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.	128.49	9.00	15.36			8.10					160.95
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	718.54	48.00	28.00	128.27		121.50	16.50			580.41	1641.22
Globe	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	218.33	34.78		45.47		41.11			43.19	18.00	400.88
Grandview Park	Fay Poovey Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	575.00	463.01		75.87	425.00	64.28	45.54			109.92	1758.62
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	875.00	126.26		88.27		101.94	50.00			25.00	1266.47
Granite Falls First	L. G. Harold, Granite Falls, N. C.	3510.00	990.27	300.00	120.00		378.11				10.00	5308.38
Green Rock	No Report											
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.	129.19	9.00		28.10		39.17				139.87	345.33
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1317.00	450.08		98.00	3729.43	301.89	290.00	4618.61	121.31	96.00	11022.32
Hartland	Floyd Greene, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	1170.00	305.87	260.00	211.41	800.00	113.98	133.35			487.58	3482.19
John's River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	207.42	33.00				20.05	17.40			18.41	296.28
King's Creek	Bruce N. Kirby, Kings Creek, N. C.	1200.00	455.00		100.00		256.00	450.00	1025.00		196.00	3682.00
Lenoir First	Dr. O. L. Moore, Lenoir, N. C.	4450.00	3041.63	3650.00	180.00	2500.00	1163.00	1490.08	5645.00		2492.50	24612.21

Longford	C. H. Coffey, Box 311, Lenoir, N. C.	2550.00	366.42		100.00		132.61	104.00		70.00	324.64	3647.67
Lovelady	Paul Bolick, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	2815.00	201.65		235.00		254.05		13.00			3518.70
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	4004.00	1514.54	110.00	233.05	500.00	449.18	226.28	2974.22		2499.41	12510.68
Maple Grove	Nina Ford, Edgemont, N. C.	223.35	10.00		53.56		21.82		29.00		65.00	402.73
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Greene, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1559.63	496.11		165.66		131.39	115.00			576.67	3044.46
Mt. Zion	Albert Barker, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	2996.00	174.30		308.00		338.33	435.46		192.08	470.69	4914.86
Mountain Grove	Medar Bolick, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	3035.00	423.19	275.00	150.00	1750.00	369.48			349.05	291.98	6643.70
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	219.36			28.83		32.45				121.56	402.20
Mulvale	Mrs. T. J. Moore, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	368.80	202.19	3.50		2486.16	57.94	76.33			657.00	3851.92
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	609.38	552.10		88.57		116.85	97.20	461.76			1925.86
New Hope	Grey Barlow, Lenoir, N. C.	771.50	87.50		50.00		71.55					980.55
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.	1339.00	104.33	70.00	104.47		110.47	143.32			65.10	1936.69
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	543.42	265.73				135.27	187.26		38.32	1.10	1171.10
Pleasant Hill	Thad Parsons, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1056.42	53.50	15.00	95.57		45.95	10.00	1730.85			3007.29
Pisgah	Fred Crisp, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1350.00	129.00	130.00		200.00	52.00			130.00	53.50	2044.50
Poovey's Chapel	O. A. Hartley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1000.37	218.52		40.15	640.00	75.96	46.61				2021.61
Poovey's Grove	Howard J. Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.	2044.03	555.75		95.00		152.42	15.73			710.87	3573.80
Rhodhiss	W. W. Hinson, Rhodhiss, N. C.	2979.00	2238.71	210.00	150.00		348.99	263.55	881.00	26.50	19.13	7116.88
Rocky Springs	Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	280.00	566.92		150.00		66.50	120.13		25.00	134.65	1343.20
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	450.00	62.77	18.00	153.07		81.75				267.75	1033.34
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	2100.00	363.19	150.00	142.00		628.81	586.40	11358.67		210.51	15539.58
Temple Missionary	N. L. Kincaid, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1552.58	32.55				60.00	35.00	30.00		750.00	2460.13
Temple Hill	Arnold E. McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	500.00	325.00		60.00	551.00	40.00	35.00				1511.00
Union	Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1094.40	1413.32		135.03		424.18	20.00	737.23	42.60	136.90	4003.66
Union Grove	Clyde Barnwell, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1150.00	276.72		112.26		116.98	152.62	220.00		52.26	2080.84
Whitnel First	M. Ivey Craig, Whitnel, N. C.	2850.00	930.26		169.00	744.73	338.05	133.75	216.17	15.70	1179.84	6577.50
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Hickory, N. C.	3281.75	500.00	65.00	224.25	1200.00	75.00	250.00	3000.00	175.00	419.64	9190.64
West Lenoir	G. W. Walker, Lenoir, N. C.	1115.00	195.03	263.94			118.58			173.78		1866.33
Yadkin	J. L. Laws, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	2650.00	422.30		229.11	592.00	238.56	63.76				4195.73
Yadkin Valley	R. Don Watson, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	308.55	12.50		29.75		25.52	67.25	34.52			478.09
*Beautiful	Elmer Philyaw, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	95.00			94.00		24.11					213.11
Totals		85453.53	43905.62	8373.67	5932.09	32876.72	10798.37	7655.34	74506.06	2637.82	16961.82	289101.04

*** Admitted in 1948.**

TABLE VI. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK E. W. Smith, Lenoir, N. C. CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanages—Cash & Estimated	Designated to Hospitals	Relief and Annuity; Other Objects	Total Gifts for Missions	Grand Total Gifts for All Purposes	Pledged to Cooperative Program 1949	Pledged to Associational Missions for 1949
Bethany	Dillard Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.											262.75		
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw, Sr., Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	204.00	30.00	25.61	29.00			229.30	66.00	200.00	783.91	7339.05	156.00	30.00
Buffalo Cove	J. Bernard Hawkins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.							10.00	15.00		25.00	1105.55		
Calvary		190.00		7.85	177.90			67.00	54.00		496.75	35988.09		
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	6.34	24.00					42.92	8.69	11.05	93.00	627.02		24.00
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	21.11	51.00	60.00				115.00	27.55		274.66	4264.30		51.00
Central	Mrs. Wade H. Livingston, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C	12.00		6.85	50.00				48.72		117.57	7975.01		25.00
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		24.00	15.00		15.00		20.00	32.00		106.00	2036.15		24.00
Clover	Mrs. Alvin Triplett, Granite Falls, N. C.	59.18				24.00	37.05	23.29	43.60		187.12	5418.58	60.00	42.00
College Avenue	W. W. Beshears, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	2066.80	96.00	171.00	178.50	835.84		478.55	214.96	481.60	4573.25	47412.06		108.00
Concord	Mrs. H. D. Travis, Granite Falls, N. C.	1036.57	91.48	36.31	21.05	31.18		340.74	51.07	10.00	1618.40	11796.16		96.00
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		12.00						7.00		19.00	716.55		
Dudley Shoals	Fred G. Bowman, Granite Falls, N. C.	427.00	60.00					204.00	73.00		764.00	6033.23	260.00	72.00
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.											160.95		
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	18.00						25.00	50.00		93.00	1734.22		24.00
Globe	Bobby Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.											400.88		
Grandview Park	D. L. Snyder, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		30.00	14.65	11.98			47.50	27.30		131.43	1890.05		36.00
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	85.00	30.00	8.00	8.00	14.00	4.50	60.00	23.40		232.90	1499.37	75.00	30.00
Granite Falls First	J. D. Milstead, Granite Falls, N. C.	968.22	96.00	29.88	41.36	57.92	19.62	188.07	65.57	90.16	1556.80	6865.18		
Green Rock	No Report													
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.		12.00						20.00	14.51	46.51	391.84		
Harris Chapel	Howard Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	76.40	48.00					215.78	40.00	11.57	391.75	11414.07	72.00	48.00
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	103.09	24.00	5.00	5.00	13.00		50.00			200.09	3682.28		24.00
John's River	Troy Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.					15.75		15.25			31.00	327.28		
King's Creek	J. K. Barlow, Kings Creek, N. C.	421.00	75.00	134.00	63.00	84.00	100.00	296.00	131.00	16.00	1320.00	5002.00	700.00	84.00
Lenoir First	R. Carter Powell, Lenoir, N. C.	9053.76	229.35	203.38	163.16	1459.68	2700.00	780.00	706.30	207.30	15502.93	40115.14	8000.00	360.00

Longford	A. A. Watson, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	75.00	36.00					51.32	25.00		187.32	3834.99			48.00
Lovelady	James Mull, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	24.00		25.00	25.00			53.00	65.13	80.00	272.13	3790.83	24.00		
Lower Creek	J. R. Swanson, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	5513.32	125.00	145.33	71.26	764.26		932.23	224.50	250.00	8025.90	20536.58			240.00
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer, N. C.								29.40		29.40	432.13			
Miller Hill	I. J. Keaton, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		26.00	50.00				19.72	27.00		122.72	3167.18			36.00
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Albert W. Holden, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	136.00	66.00	41.00	40.00	40.00		240.00	69.17		632.17	5547.03	144.00		66.00
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlett, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	250.00	25.00	200.00	50.00	290.45	90.00	235.00	50.00	100.00	1290.45	7934.15	300.00		25.00
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.							10.00	17.38		27.38	429.58			
Mulvale	Walter Estes, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	49.31	24.00	5.00				60.00	20.00		158.31	4010.23			
Nelson's Chapel	J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	27.00	67.25	36.00	24.34	22.00	7.00	118.12	40.62	11.75	354.08	2279.94			60.00
New Hope	M. S. Phillips, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	72.00	27.00					36.00			135.00	1115.55	48.00		36.00
Oak Grove	Sue Meyers, Granite Falls, N. C.	30.00						34.05	7.55		71.60	2008.29	30.00		10.00
Piney Grove	Mrs. C. F. Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	36.00						157.41	50.16		243.57	1414.67			
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.								25.00	21.36	46.36	3053.65			
Pisgah	C. A. Coffey, Lenoir, N. C.							13.00	16.00		29.00	2073.50			
Poovey's Chapel	J. L. Sigmon, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		24.00	29.48	13.75	13.75		340.94	35.66		457.58	2479.19			
Poovey's Grove	Pearl Keller, Granite Falls, N. C.	170.80	60.00	30.00	19.65	65.30		26.00	28.00	34.12	433.87	4007.67			60.00
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.	881.51	80.00					72.65	111.40		1145.56	8262.44			
Rocky Springs	Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	11.11			10.00	9.00		30.00	21.25		81.36	1424.56			30.00
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			18.00	6.00	14.00		75.40	28.35	25.00	166.75	1200.09			
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Hudson, N. C.	589.64	72.00	52.65	57.31			250.80	64.75	84.00	1171.15	16710.73	480.00		72.00
Temple Missionary	Mrs. W. C. Harless, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	5.01						4.89	22.00		31.90	2492.03	24.00		
Temple Hill	Arnold E. McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.											1511.00			12.00
Union	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	137.00	72.00	37.75		50.11		137.10	32.06		466.02	4469.68	120.00		72.00
Union Grove	Mrs. O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	31.95			14.20			25.30	38.00		109.45	2190.29			
Whitnel First	W. R. Pennell, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	305.87	40.00	47.85	100.00	180.60		136.87	45.64	253.80	1110.63	7688.13	700.00		50.00
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebran, Hickory, N. C.		48.00		50.00			12.00	20.00	52.96	182.96	9373.60			48.00
West Lenoir	Vilas Brown, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	229.50						26.00	37.50		293.00	2159.33			
Yadkin	Paul Curtis, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	18.00	60.00		37.22			50.00	34.70		199.92	4395.65	30.00		
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack Clark, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		15.00			15.00			24.82	6.55	61.37	539.46			12.00
*Beautiful	Mrs. E. C. Philyaw											213.11			
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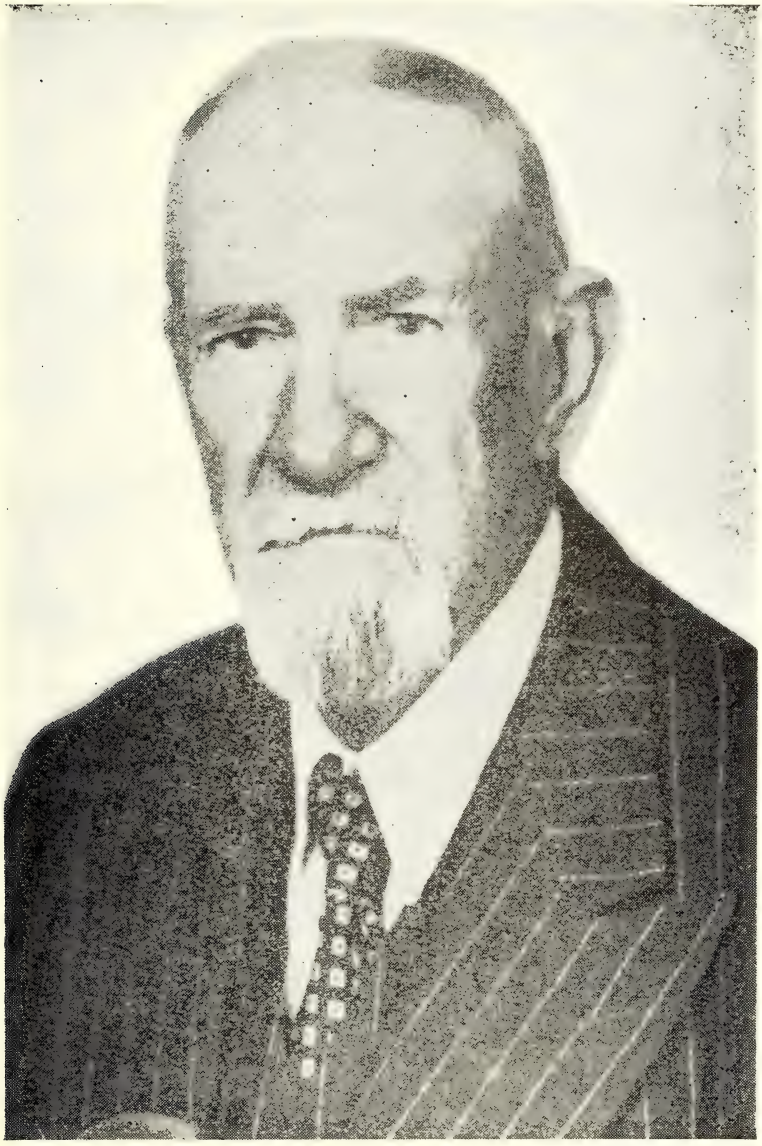
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James Richard Swanson

HISTORIAN OF THE CALDWELL ASSOCIATION

OCTOBER, 1907 To September, 1949

In recognition of his forty-two years of service to this association as historian; his fifteen years as its clerk; his fifty-five consecutive years of attendance upon its meetings; his fifty-four years of unusually loyal service as clerk of his own Church; these minutes are affectionately dedicated to James Richard Swanson.

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

1949-50

OFFICERS

Dr. J. F. Reece, Moderator	Lenoir
W F. Woodall, Vice Moderator	Lenoir
E. W. Smith, Clerk	Lenoir
E. D. Beach, Treas.	Lenoir
Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Assoc. Worker	Lenoir
John E. Carter, Sunday School Supt.	Granite Falls
Miss Pearl Keller, Training Union Director	Granite Falls
Mrs. Grover Triplet, W. M. U. Pres.	Lenoir
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Rep.	Rt. 1, Lenoir
C. C. Huskins, Biblical Recorder Rep.	Lenoir
J. R. Swanson, Historian	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Greene B. Thompson, Asst. Historian	Lenoir
W. W. Jones, Statistician	Lenoir

ASSOCIATIONAL COMMITTEE

Dr. J. F. Reece
E. W. Smith
E. D. Beach
Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Mrs. Grover B. Triplett

As provided in the constitution, each Pastor in the association and one lay member from each church in addition to the above officers, comprise this committee. The lay members from the churches reporting at the time of printing are as follows:

Beautiful
Robert Phillips
Buffalo Cove
J. M. Coffey
Calvary
G. O. Adams
Clarks Chapel
J. Harold Craig
Cedar Rock
A. Y. Jackson
Center Grove
P. L. McRary
Central
Glenn Shore
Clover
Fred Cline
College Ave.
Johnell P. Wise
Concord
Bill Keller
Conways Chapel
W. J. Braswell
Dudley Shoals
Carl Austin
Edgemont
Archie Coffey
Grandview Park
Mrs. D. L. Snyder
Grandin
Hill C. Lackey
Green Rock
James Coffey
Green Valley
R. G. Chambers
Harris Chapel
O. W. Cloer
Hartland
Tommy Sanders
John's River
Burma C. Estes
King's Creek
A. G. Beach
Lenoir First
Luther B. Robinson
Longford
Ted Hawkins
Lovelady
Lester Yount
Lower Creek
C. C. Huskins
Miller Hill
Drew Adkins
Mt. Zion
G. F. Woods
Mountain Grove
J. L. Smith
Mulberry
Charlie Chandler

Mulvale
J. C. Clark
Nelson's Chapel
Wallace Cozart
New Hope
Albert Icenhour
Oak Grove
J. W. Myers
Piney Grove
Ira Greene
Pisgah
Bennie McDonald
Poovey's Grove
M. L. Christopher
Rocky Springs
Donald Franklin
Rufus
W. C. Coffey
Temple Missionary
T. E. Brown
Temple Hill
J. E. Fowler
Union
Boone Richards
Union Grove
Ira Bolick
Whitnel First
W. S. Honaker
Winkler's Grove
Henry L. Winkler
West Lenoir
Mrs. A. C. Stove
Yadkin
D. R. Collins
Yadkin Valley
R. Don Watson

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

W. F. Woodall, Lenoir 1950
Robert Frye, Lenoir 1951
R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek 1952
Paul Hester, Hudson 1953
J. Edd Crump, Hudson 1954

W. M. U. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Superintendent ..... Mrs. Grover B. Triplett
Associate Superintendent ..... Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary ..... Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Stewardship ..... Mrs. J. H. Craig
Community Missions ..... Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Literature ..... Mrs. George Icenhour
Young People's Leader ..... Mrs. T. C. High
R. A. Leader ..... Rev. P. D. Fletcher
Librarian ..... Miss Eller Dickson
Margaret Fund Chairman ..... Mrs. J. D. Craig

TRUSTEES OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY AT RIDGECREST

Wade B. Haigler, Lenoir ..... One year
E. E. Stafford, Lenoir ..... Two years
George Hollar, Granite Falls ..... Three years

MESSENGER TO THE STATE BAPTIST CONVENTION

Miss Elizabeth Campbell

MESSENGER TO THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Dr. J. F. Reece

SUPERINTENDENT OF EVANGELISM

W. F. Woodall

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1950

State Missions ..... J. W. Ramsey
Home Missions ..... Robert Frye
Foreign Missions ..... A. E. Blankenship
Christian Education ..... Paul Hester
Orphanage ..... G. G. Steele
Sunday School ..... John E. Carter
Training Union ..... Miss Pearl Keller
Brotherhood ..... Fred Cline
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. Grover B. Triplett
Relief and Annuity ..... Grady H. Hamby
Hospital ..... J. M. Laxton
Religious Literature ..... P. D. Fletcher
Allied Church League ..... J. H. Crisp
Stewardship ..... R. L. Wilson
Obituaries ..... Fred C. Roberts
Baptist Foundation ..... W. Walter Jones
Biblical Recorder ..... C. C. Huskins

Nominating Committee—To nominate Officers for 1950-51: W. F. Woodall, Chairman; C. R. McFelea, Paul Wilson, Fred C. Roberts, Will Bolick, and Homer Messer.

FINANCE COMMITTEE—E. D. Beach, Chairman; W. R. Moss, J. Willard Jenkins, L. B. Beane, and L. B. Robinson.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE—J. F. Reece, E. W. Smith, Fred C. Roberts, and Homer H. Messer.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

W. M. Edminston ..... Route 9, Lenoir

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Bruce Cresson ..... Wake Forest
Earl Holman ..... Mars Hill
Jack Coffey ..... Mars Hill
Clifton Land ..... Baptist Seminary, Louisville
R. Blaine Harris ..... Baptist Seminary
Wayne Pennell .....
Clifford Holland ..... Wake Forest

MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION

BEAUTIFUL—Allen Robins, Kita Robbins, Jane Bowlin, Iva Lee Phillips, Mary Bowlin.

BETHANY—Murray F. Greene, Conley Cook, Lee Coffey.

BLAIRS FORK—Carl Triplett, W. B. Holsclaw, Frank Puett, N. B. Isaac.

BUFFALO COVE—J. C. Todd, John W .Hamlet, Vilas Robins.

CALVARY—R. L. Wilson, George Kincaid, Howard Suemake, Mrs. S. M. Crump, Mrs. Harlon Coffey.

CEDAR ROCK—C. F. Armes, Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Mrs. Nola Correll.

CENTER GROVE—P. L. McRary, Mark Fox, W. R. Edwards, Tula Bumgarner.

CENTRAL—Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Andy Pearson, Mrs. Andy Pearson, Mrs. W. C. Lutz, Mrs. Clark Steele.

CLARKS CHAPEL—H. C. Walker, Mrs. George Craig, Mrs. H. C. Walker, W. R. Stove, Mrs. W. R. Stove.

CLOVER—Gertrude Cook, Hilda Benfield, Grady H. Hamby, Mary Wilson.

COLLEGE AVENUE—H. W. Chester, Mrs. J. E. Driver, Mrs. Brown Whisnant, Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs M.. A. Jenkins, C. Mullinax, B. B. Byers.

CONCORD—George Hollar, Mrs. Effie Barlow, Fred C. Roberts.

CONWAYS CHAPEL—Mrs. D. D. Braswell.

DUDLEY SHOALS—Fred G. Bowman, O. L. Smith, R. E. Sears.

EDGEMONT—Junior Ford, Maynard Hollander.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Sam Silver, Mrs. E. E. Holder, Mrs. L. A. Huffman, Mrs. Lem McCall, Mrs. Cora Thompson.

GLOBE—Bobby Cook, Charles Gragg, C. E. Woodruff.

GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Mrs. Dillard Watson, Mrs. Russell Hollar, Mrs. Annie Houck.

GRANDIN—Calvin Howell, Mrs. W. L. Jenkins, Ted Staten.

GRANITE FALLS FIRST—W. F. Kerley, Mrs. Carr Cline, Mrs. L. M. Abernathy, Frank James, Jr., Mrs. Will Bogle.

GREEN ROCK—Wallace Coffey, Bessie Coffey, Laney Price.

GREEN VALLEY—R. G. Chambers, W. P. Coffey, Gerald Talbert.

HARRIS CHAPEL—O. W. Cloer, Frank Colvard, M. L. Annas, Mrs. H. L. Prestwood, Mrs. Mary Annas.

HARTLAND—A. H. Jones, Sidney McCall, Frank Poarch, Mrs. Rodger Turnmire.

JOHN'S RIVER—Bela McLean, Ralph Rich, Troy Estes.

KINGS CREEK—H. M. Beach, J. M. Laxton, Fred Price, A. G. Beach, V. W. Roberts, Grey Barlow, J .A. Barlow.

LENOIR FIRST—Mrs. J. F. Reece, B. F. Williams, O. L. Moore, J. W. C. McCall, Mrs. George Boutwell, C. M. Abernathy, E. C. McCall, Frank Smith, Sr., Miss Eller Dickson.

LONG FORD—W. H. Messer, C. H. Coffey, Bill Tuttle, Ted Hawkins.

LOVELADY—Lester Yount, Blaine Harrison, James Mull, Nan Bolick, Letha Bumgarner.

LOWER CREEK—J. R. Swanson, Ralph B. Laney, G. G. Steele, E. D. Beach, Mrs. J. C. Pilkenton, J. A. Boldin, J. G. Benfield, Horace Beach, Mrs Ellen Sherrill, Mrs. Ralph Land.

MAPLE GROVE—Agnes Coffey, Hattie Fox, Allen Tolbert.

MILLER HILL—Mrs. Conard Greene, Mrs. R. A. Greene, Mrs. Ollie Storey.

MT. ZION—A. W. Bumgarner, Brodas Miller, Mrs. J. L. Julian, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Jack Annas.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—Mrs. B. B. Greene, Mrs. L. M. Greene, Mrs. A. L. Pearson.

MULBERRY—Charlie Chandler, H. I. Greene, B. F. Estes.

MULVALE—Jasper Moore, Earl Whittington, Mrs. Glenn Suddreth.

NELSON'S CHAPEL—Raymond Craig, Mrs. Luther Suddreth, Mrs. Bill Harding, Mrs. Alvin Carlton.

NEW HOPE—M. S. Philips, Albert Suddreth, Mrs. Albert Icenhour.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Ray Yarborough, Mrs. Charles Poovey, Mrs. J. W. Meyers, Miss Sue Meyers.

PINEY GROVE—R. C. Cook, Charlie Winkler, Ira Greene, W. D. Goble.

PLEASANT HILL—J. D. Hambright, Lester Hoyle, Hazel Smith, Mrs. Albert Walsh.

PISGAH—C. A. Coffey, Bennie McDonald, Horace Pitts, Robert Thomas.

POOVEY'S CHAPEL—John Haas, W. M. Bollinger, R. T. Hartley, Frank Knight, Howard Knight.

POOVEY'S GROVE—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craig, Mrs. Everette Starnes, Mrs. Henry Setzer, Mrs. L. D. Keller.

RHODHISS—Mrs. D. D. Annas, W. H. Barker, Mrs. Bernard Phillips, Mrs. W. H. Barker, Mrs. Floyd W. Kirby.

ROCKY SPRINGS—M. C. Estes, Donald Franklin, Dallas Coffey, L. B. Beane.

RUFUS—Mrs. Willard Bolick, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Coffey.

SARDIS—Henry E. Austin, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mrs. M. Clyde Smith, H. B. Smith, Mrs. C. T. Smith.

TEMPLE MISSIONARY—M. R. Hopkins, W. C. Harless, R. L. Laws.

TEMPLE HILL—Finley Pennell, Mrs. Finley Pennell, Mrs. W. G. Kirby, L. R. Davis, Mrs. L .R. Davis, W. R. Hollar.

UNION—W. T. Land, Ralph McRary, Mrs. Bingham Kirby, Mrs. John Quinn, Will Reid.

UNION GROVE—Mike Craig, Mrs. Floyd Craig, Reid Flowers, Mrs. Brooks Smith, Ivey Hall.

WHITNEL FIRST—Mr. Honaker, Mrs. James Bolick.

WINKLER'S GROVE—J. R. Holland, Henry Winkler, Mrs. Bertha Mannings, Mrs. Horace Keller.

WEST LENOIR—T. R. Moore, Vilas Brown, George Walker, Mrs. Omie Storie, Mrs. Viola Ward.

YADKIN—Mrs. Ned Austin, Mrs. Robert Frye, Mrs. Oscar Pierce, Mrs. Ernest Pierce, Mrs. M. A. Bolick.

YADKIN VALLEY—R. Don Watson, Zack Clark, Pink Burresa.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

THURSDAY: HARRIS' CHAPEL

10:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Robert Frye
10:10 Organization, Presentation of Program, Greetings, Host Church
10:20 Recognition of New Pastors, Visitors, Announcements
10:25 Report of Associational Missionary ..... Miss Elizabeth Campbell
10:55 Singing
11:00 Sunday School Report ..... J. M. Laxton
11:25 Naming of Necessary Committees
11:30 Hymn
11:35 Sermon "THE CALL, THE COST AND THE CHALLENGE OF MISSIONS ..... Fred C. Roberts
12:00 Adjournment for Lunch
1:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Willard Jenkins
1:10 Training Union Report ..... Miss Pearl Keller
1:30 Woman's Missionary Union Report ..... Mrs. Grover Triplett
Discussion ..... Miss Stella Austin
1:50 Congregational Singing
1:55 Miscellaneous Business
2:00 Orphanage Report ..... G. G. Steele
Discussion ..... J. D. Fraley
2:30 Report of Committee on Revision of Constitution ..... W. W. Jones
(To be cont'd., if necessary, at 11:30 Friday)
3:00 Report of Executive Committee ..... E. W. Smith
Treasurer's Report ..... E. D. Beach
Budget Committee's Report ..... John E. Carter
3:30 Adjournment

EVENING SESSION — LOWER CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

7:30 Praise and Prayer ..... R. L. Wilson
7:40 Reading of Minutes of Previous Session
7:45 Special Music ..... Lower Creek
7:50 Report of Statistician ..... E. W. Smith
8:05 Cooperative Program ..... R. L. Councilman
Special Music ..... Youth Choir - Whitnel First
Discussion
Hospital ..... W. K. McGee
State, Home, Foreign Missions, Etc. ..... Walter Long
Special Music ..... Youth Choir-College Ave. Church
Benediction

FRIDAY:

10:00 Praise and Prayer ..... C. R. McFelea
10:10 Miscellaneous Reports — Announcements
10:15 Christian Education
Wake Forest College ..... Horace Easom
10:45 Christian Literature ..... Grady Hamby-Mtn. Grove
11:00 Report of following Committees:
Trustees — Ridgecrest Cabin
Constitution of Church and Ordination of Ministers
Nominating Committee
11:25 Special Music
11:30 Miscellaneous Business — Discussion of Associational Problems, further Discussion of Constitution, if necessary.
12:10 Adjournment for Lunch
1:10 Praise and Prayer ..... R. L. Councilman
1:20 Reading of Minutes of Previous Session
1:25 Our Evangelistic Effort ..... W. F. Woodall
Discussion

2:10	Allied Church League	Edd Crump
	Discussion	
2:30	Report of Committees:	
	Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund,	
	Historian	J. R. Swanson
	Time, Place, Preacher; Resolutions	
2:50	Memorials	Edd Crump
3:05	Installation of Officers	
3:15	God's Financial Plan	R. Knolan Benfield
3:45	Adjournment	

PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

At 10:00 o'clock on Thursday Morning, September 15, 1949, the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association convened in the sixty-fifth annual session with the Harris Chapel Baptist Church, Hudson, North Carolina.

Following the opening hymn, "I Am Thine O Lord", led by Rev. A. E. Blankenship, a short devotional was conducted by Rev. Robert Frye. Words of welcome were given by Rev. W. R. Moss of Harris Chapel.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, J. F. Reece, and the program for the two day session was adopted. Dr. Reese then appointed the following men to serve as a committee on committees: W. W. Jones, H. M. Beach, and Ted Hawkins. New Pastors in the association and visitors were recognized.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell gave her report for the past year as associational Missionary, a copy of which is included elsewhere in these minutes. A very interesting discussion of the report was given by Miss Campbell and Rev. E. L. Spivey. After the adoption of the report, the congregation joined in the singing of "Take My Life and Let It Be".

Mr. J. M. Laxton, associational Sunday School superintendent, gave the following report:

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

This organization has held four associational meetings, four executive council meetings, one Vacation Bible School Clinic, one team training meeting, thirty-six church planning conferences, many individual conferences, and ten training schools during the past year. Very much correspondence has been conducted in promoting our program which follows that of Southern Baptists in the following themes: Enrollment Gain, Better Bible Teaching, and Soul Winning Emphasis.

Some of the results of these efforts are summarized as follows: a 14% gain in enrollment, approximately seven hundred teaching awards earned, many churches holding a week of Bible study in January, Bible Study emphasized in the home through the family altar, forty-six Vacation Bible Schools with an enrollment of 3975, and a new note of evangelistic effort in our work.

We thank God for the gracious results.

Respectfully,
J. M. Laxton,
Associational Superintendent.

The above report was adopted.

The committee on committees report was adopted as follows:
Petitionary Letters—W. F. Woodall, Robert Frye, Edd Crump.
Place and Preacher—John Carter, Fred Price, Mrs. Walter Sullivan.
Resolutions Committee—H. S. Benfield, Clarence Coffey, Homer Messer.

The above committees were instructed to report before the close of the two day session.

After the singing of "Bringing in the Sheaves," M. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College gave a few comments concerning the work at Mars Hill.

Before the annual sermon by Rev. Fred C. Roberts, the congregation sang "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling." Rev. Roberts used as his theme for the sermon, "The Call, The Cost and The Challenge of Missions." After the sermon a very bountiful and delicious lunch was served by the Harris Chapel Church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Following the singing of a hymn, the devotional was conducted by Rev. Willard Jenkins. Miss Pearl Keller gave the Training Union Report which follows in its adopted form:

TRAINING UNION REPORT

In the Training Union work an Associational Mass meeting was held in the second and fourth quarter. Group meetings were conducted in the districts the first and third quarters. Executive meetings were held each quarter and Officers and Leaders Council combined with Mass Meetings.

Our Association was well represented at Ridgecrest during the three Southwide Training Union weeks this summer. It was represented at Fruitland and Seaside also. Miss Inez Moss was a participant in the State Better Speakers Tournament.

A Central Training School was held at Lower Creek Church in April with an enrollment of over 500.

One of the great needs of the Caldwell Association is a membership which is "found faithful in training".

Respectfully submitted,
Pearl Keller, Director

Miss Keller led the discussion of this report which included numerous personal testimonies as to the help of the training in the past and as to the need for a stronger training union in the future.

A complete report of the Woman's Missionary Union work appears elsewhere in these minutes. The following brief report given by Mrs. G. B. Triplett was adopted:

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

For thirty-six years the women of the Caldwell Association have been "Laborers together with God". "To make known to the sons of men his mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of His kingdom". (Psa. 145:12)

We have grown from the first W. M. U. organization in 1913 with Mrs. J. A. Boldin our first Superintendent, from three W. M. S. and three young people, to twenty-eight W. M. S. and forty-eight young peoples organizations.

We have also grown in the study of Missions, under the faithful leadership of Mrs. Boldin, who has been our Mission study chairman for 27 years. In the first 6 months of 1949, we had 73 classes reporting. This was more than any one year prior to last year.

Recognition should be given to Mrs. C. A. Bowman who served as Superintendent so faithfully far seven years.

Our hearts are filled with gratitude and praise to our Heavenly Father as we review the work of the past year. 5 new W. M. S., 5 new Y. W. A., 5 new G. A., 4 new R. A., and 3 new Sunbeams Bands. A total of 22 new organizations in 1948.

We had a gain in membership and gifts, and a gain in the number observing the seasons of prayer for Home, State and Foreign Missions. The greatest gain in new organizations comes from our young people. We attribute this to our young peoples leader, Mrs. T. C. High, and to the consecrated leadership of our beloved Field Worker, Miss Elizabeth Campbell.

For each Officer, and leader we are grateful as they instill into their hearts high ideals and desires for definite Christian service.

There remains much to be done. Over half of our churches are in need of Missionary teaching. Through faithful leadership in all organizations, we look forward to the day when Christ shall be crowned with many crowns, and every knee shall bow as He is acknowledged "King of Kings and Lord of Lords", not only in our county, but to the uttermost parts of the world.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Grover B. Triplett, Chairman

Miss Stella Austin of Kings Creek led the discussion of the Missionary Unions report. Miss Austin is to leave soon for Missionary work in Africa.

After the singing of "When the Roll is Called up Yonder", G. G. Steele gave his report on the orphanage. J. D. Fraley, secretary of the orphanages led the discussion of this report and gave some very interesting facts about our orphanage work. Mr. Steele's report is as follows:

ORPHANAGE REPORT

Since the establishment of our orphanage on Aug. 5, 1885 thousands of homeless boys and girls have been ministered to. Last year there were 793 children cared for in Mills Home, Kennedy Home and in Foster Homes. Other needy children were helped in homes with their mothers. Help was extended to 22 more children than in 1947, and 93 more than in 1946; thus the work continues to grow and serve the homeless ones within our state.

A new cottage is soon to be occupied at Kennedy Home, which will enable it to care for 24 more children. A freezer plant at Mills Home and one at Kennedy Home have been opened since the last report.

Many of the buildings are old, hence have to be repaired from time to time. However, both the outside and inside of the buildings are being kept in good condition. The health of the children is excellent and the spirit of cooperation among the workers is commendable.

If the orphanage is to continue its outstanding service to the hundreds of homeless ones who come to it from year to year, a more adequate support must be given. If our Sunday Schools and Churches will increase the amounts of their once a month offerings, and all will make an inspiring cash offering and produce collection at Thanksgiving, the institution will be able to carry on the great work it is doing in a better way.

Brethren pray for the orphanage, the officials and the children, and do your best, by giving liberally of your means, for the orphans and homeless in our institution.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele

Following the adoption of the orphanage report, W. W. Jones, chairman of the committee on revision of the constitution, read a copy of a revised constitution and by-laws. A very lengthy discussion followed this reading and it was decided to have mimeographed copies of the proposed constitution distributed on Friday and that the discussion be continued at that time. The reports of the Executive Committee, Treasurer, and Budget Committee were presented, discussed, and adoped, after which the meeting was adjourned until 7:30 P. M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

During the year the executive committee held four meetings Some of the matters of interest which were discussed are as follows:

1. It was decided to ask each church holding a vacation Bible school to take a special collection at the school to help pay the expenses incurred by the association in holding these schools.
2. The budget for the year 1949-50 was discussed with the budget committee. It was decided to base the budget on $.50 per each resident church member plus $.35 for each copy of the 1949 minutes received.
3. Mr. E. E. Stafford was appointed to fill the vacancy on the Ridgecrest Cabin Committee created by the death of Mr. C. T. Smith.

Other routine business was conducted at the meetings of the committee.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith, Clerk

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance September 22, 1948		$ 315.05
RECEIPTS		
Received on pledges from 36 churches	$2,161.71	
1948 Minutes	215.75	
Vacation Bible School	123.82	
Baptist State Convention	700.00	
Central Training Union School (Sale of Books & offering)	119.60	
Cash offering for the Leon Chows	57.70	
1949 Minutes	144.00	$3,522.58
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$3,837.63
DISBURSEMENTS		
Salary—Net—Miss Campbell	$1,835.19	
Travel—Miss Campbell	399.99	
Withholding Tax Paid	144.60	
Postage and Office Supplies	98.22	
Sunday School Expenses	48.26	
W. M. U. Expenses	20.00	
Training Union Expenses	170.55	
Minutes	326.60	
Pastor's School	75.00	
Mimeograph Machine—Miss Campbell	115.00	
Calendar of Activities	55.00	
Vacation Bible School	130.00	
Ridgecrest Expenses	22.50	
E. W. Smith—Clerk's Salary for Two Years	100.00	
Executive Committee Expenses	3.00	
The Leon Chows (Donation)	57.70	3,601.61
Cash Balance September 14, 1949		$ 236.02

Respectfully submitted,
E. D. Beach, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Budget Committee appointed by Moderator J. F. Reece met and formulated a proposed budget for the Caldwell Baptist Association for the associational year 1949-1950. This proposed budget was presented to the Executive Committee of the Association. It was discussed fully, amended in some aspects, and then adopted by the Executive Committee as a recommendation to this annual meeting of the Association as follows:

1.	Clerk	$ 50.00
2.	Sunday School	100.00
3.	Training Union	130.00
4.	Woman's Missionary Union	50.00
5.	Deacon's School	75.00
6.	Vacation Bible School	25.00
7.	Pastor's School	$ 100.00
8.	Ridgecrest	150.00
9.	Postage, printing, paper, and calendar	200.00
10.	Associational Worker—Travel	400.00
11.	Associational Worker—Salary	2,400.00
	Total	$3,680.00

It is further recommended that each church pay for the number of minutes they desire at the rate of $.35 per copy, and that such amount be included with the Church letter to the Association.

In view of the fact that there have been times when there was not sufficient funds on hand to meet our obligations, it is suggested that each church set as its goal for the coming Associational year $.50 per resident church member. This is to build up a much needed surplus in our treasury.

Budget Committee
John E. Carter, Chairman

THURSDAY NIGHT SESSION

The Thursday night session opened with the singing of "Blessed Assurance" after which Grady Hamby led the devotional. The minutes of the last session were read and approved. After special music by the Lower Creek choir, R. L. Councilman gave the following report on the cooperative program:

THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Cooperative Program is the established medium through which Southern Baptists distribute the money given by all the Churches for the purpose of carrying on the work of the Kingdom, over and beyond the local Church. The Cooperative Program is therefore, dependent upon the individual member and his willingness to follow the Scriptural teachings concerning stewardship. It is also dependent upon the leaders of our churches having enough faith and world-wide vision to lead out in increasing the proportion of our gifts to outside causes. As we grow in faithfulness to God in the Scriptural plan of bringing at least a TITHE of our income into the treasurer, "Upon the first day of the week", it will not be difficult to make progress toward the challenging goal of Southern Baptists, "FIFTY-FIFTY BY 1950." That is, we will seek to give as much for the spread of the Gospel to the ends of the earth as we spend on ourselves. We will urge every Baptist to become a Tither and every church to increase the proportion of gifts to the Cooperative Program. Few individuals could support a missionary or provide Christian schools, but churches, faithful in Stewardship, make it possible through the Cooperative Program to meet, in increasing measure, the desperate need of ALL the world, for Christ's Gospel.

Many of our churches have been working faithfully to enlist, "Every Baptist A Tither" and to increase the proportion of their giving through the Cooperative Program. We would commend those who have made progress and urge all to increase their efforts to be among those who will be "FIFTY-FIFTY by 1950."

Our world is being challenged to go forward in all fields of endeavor. May we, the churches of this association, be constrained by the Love of Christ to go forward in this matter of being faithful in our Stewardship to go into ALL the world with the Gospel of Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Councilman

After the adoption of the above report special music was given by the youth choir of the First Baptist Church of Whitnel. Following this, talks were given on the Baptist Hospital by W. K. McGee, and on our mission responsibilities by Walter Long. After special music by the youth choir of the College Avenue Baptist Church, the meeting adjourned until 10:00 A. M. Friday, September 16, 1949.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

Following the singing of "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" led by Horace Easom, C .R. McFelea conducted the devotional. After the announcements a very interesting talk on Wake Forest College was given by Horace Easom. Mr. Easom's talk contained some very interesting facts about the moving of Wake Forest College to Winston-Salem.

The report on religious literature by G. A. Hamby was adopted. The discussion of the report which follows, was led by L. L. Carpenter of the Biblical Recorder.

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

The Bible, the model book, the perfect book, is the best literature known. To know the Bible means a marvelous storehouse of knowledge, written by men inspired of God. We are told that what we read becomes a part of us. Therefore, we suggest that the Bible be read which will enable us to know more and to become more like Jesus.

The Committee also requests our people to read our Baptist literature. We urge parents to see that good, wholesome literature is kept in the home and that trashy reading material be not allowed in the hands of their children.

The Baptist Sunday School Board has fine literature for supplementary reading and study, for Sunday School and Training Union helps, for study courses, for teaching, and training work in our churches. Ample books are also available for W. M. U. training courses. More of our people should read the Biblical Recorder and Charity and Children.

Respectfully submitted,
G. A. Hamby

Mr. E. E. Stafford gave his report as a member of the Ridgecrest Cabin Trustees. The report was adopted.

CALDWELL CABIN TRUSTEES REPORT

Balance of cash in Bank as of September 23, 1948		$544.29
RECEIPTS		
Rents Received		195.55
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$739.84
BISBURSEMENTS		
Water and Lights	$ 50.05	
Beds, Springs, and Mattresses	238.03	
Two Electric Ranges	182.00	
Water Jack	20.00	
Repairs and Supplies	44.69	534.77
Cash on Hand September 1, 1949		$205.07

Respectfully submitted,

E. E. Stafford

At this time the discussion on the revision of the constitution and by-laws was resumed, with W. W. Jones leading the discussion. Mimeographed copies of the proposed revisions were distributed and the articles in question were discussed separately. After a lengthy discussion and a few minor changes in the original proposals, a new constitution and by-laws were adopted by a majority of more than two-thirds of the members voting. The revised constitution and by-laws with all the changes are shown elsewhere in this copy of the minutes. A motion was made and carried that since adopting the new constitution will produce some irregularities in election of officers and committees, that the associational committee be empowered to make any adjustments and appointments that they may find necessary. After a violin solo by Mrs. R. L. Councilman, the report of the nominating committee was made as follows:

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator	Dr. J. F. Reece
Vice Moderator	W. F. Woodall
Clerk	E. W. Smith
Treasurer	E. D. Beach
Associational Missionary	Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Training Union Director	Miss Pearl Keller
W. M. U. President	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Historian	J. R. Swanson
Asst. Historian	Greene B. Thompson

Respectfully submitted,

B .F. Williams, Chairman

All the officers included in this report were duly elected by its adoption after which the meeting adjourned for a most delightful lunch, served plate style by the Woman's Misisonary Union of Lower Creek Baptist Church.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The Friday afternoon session opened with the singing of "At the Cross" and a devotional conducted by R. L. Councilman. W. F. Woodall then gave a report on the evangelistic effort in our county. Several members of this committee and several pastors gave brief reports as to the plans that had been made to conduct an associational-wide revival in October, 1949. After the discussion of these plans, Ed Crump presented a report on the Allied Church League. R. M. Hauss led the discussion of this report after which it was adopted.

ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

Since 1937, twenty-eigth ABC elections have been held in North Carolina. Twenty-five went Dry—three went Wet. Since March, 1947 thirty-three counties have voted on beer and wine without a single loss. Twenty-two counties will vote on beer and wine within the next three months. Many others are deeply interested in calling elections and it is our hope that a major portion of the counties in the state will vote within the next year to outlaw beverage alcohol.

Due to our intensive legislative program, the educational work has been neglected. However, several counties have been active with their programs. Our temperance films have been constantly in use—having been shown approximately three hundred times. A number of counties have shown the films in each church and school. Burke County set aside the first three weeks in April for their campaign. Mr. Patton, the superintendent of education, is personally directing the program in his schools.

Temperance Sunday, March 6th, was observed to some degree by practically all denominations affiliated with the League. Although liittle time was given for announcements and promotion, the day was observed with appropriate programs and most of the churches called upon their people to sign commitment cards for total abstinence. I recommend that February 26, 1950, be set aside by the League as North Carolina Temperance Sunday and that the matter be presented to each denomination at their annual meeting for approval and that the Governor of North Carolina be requested to make it a special day of observance.

Nine counties have had mass meetings on law enforcement. The officers, judges, and other community agencies were brought together to plan a more aggressive effort in law enforcement.

Seventeen great mass meetings have been held in various areas of North Carolina within the quarter. Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker, of Washington, D. C., addressed ten of these. The most outstanding meeting was in Raleigh at the Referendum Hearing on February 17th.

Summary of Activities:

Mass meetings held	17
Ministers meetings addressed	7
Churches preached in	9
Denominational meetings attended	2
ACL County Units addressed	3
New ACL Units organized	3
District Conferences attended	2
Beer and Wine set-up meetings held	10
Miles traveled	6,780

Respectfully submitted,
Edd Crump

E. W. Smith gave his report as statistician. The report in its adopted form, follows:

STATISTICIAN

My report as statistician of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association is shown in detail in the tables to be included in the minutes. Some of the most important facts shown in these tables are summarized as follows:

	Year 1948 All Churches	Year 1949 All Churches	Gain
Church Membership	11,722	12,144	422
Sunday School Enrollment	9,954	11,794	1,840
Training Union Enrollment	2,384	2,791	407
Woman's Missionary Enrollment	1,453	1,604	151
Total Gifts for Local Work	$289,101.04	$362,769.09	$73,668.05
Gifts for all Missionary	46,101.98	47,022.54	920.56
Total Gifts for all purposes	335,203.02	409,791.63	74,588.61

The average per capita contribution for the year was approximately $33.74, an increase of $5.74 over last year. Of this $33.74 approximately $3.87 went for missions and the cooperative program.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. Smith, Statistician

W. F. Woodall reported for the committee on petitionary letters that one church, Setzers Creek Baptist Church, had asked for membership in the association. The committee recommended that this church be accepted under watchcare of the association for a period of one year and at the end of this period the application for membership be reviewed again by the committee. Mr. Woodall also stated that the representatives of Setzers Creek Church were in agreement with this rcommendaiton. Upon motion made and carried, the committee's recommendation was approved.

The committee on Place and Preacher submitted the following report which was adopted:

PLACE AND PREACHER

The next annual meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association will be held with the Concord Church for the first day and with the Longford Church the second day. Rev. A. E. Blankenship will preach the annual sermon with Rev. Will Bolick as alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
John E. Carter
Fred Price
Mrs. Walter Sullivan

The resolutions committee's report presented at this time is as follows:

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Your committee on resolutions wishes to submit the following resolutions:

1. That in addition to the rising vote of thanks given on the first day of the association to Harris Chapel Church, we, your committee in behalf of the association wish to express our thanks for the splendid entertainment and bountiful dinner.

2. That we commend the Pastor, W. R. Moss, and his people on the recently completed beautiful church building.

3. That we express our appreciation to the Lower Creek Church for the fine fellowship during the meeting and also for the nice dinner.

4. That we express our gratitude to the program committee for the fine program.

5. That we express our thanks to those who came from beyond our association, namely: E. L. Spivey, M. A. Kendall, W. K. McGee, J. D. Fraley, Walter Long, Horace Easom, Knolan Benfield, L. L. Carpenter, and R. M. Hauss.

6. That we express our gratitude to the presiding officers for the prompt manner in which the business has been carried on.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Benfield
Homer Messer
C. A. Coffey

After the adoption of the above report, Mrs. J. A. Boldin gave the report of the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund.

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund was established in September, 1943 for the purpose of aiding worthy students in their preparation for full-time Christian Service. Only small contributions have been made to this fund for the past two or three years. It has only been used by one young woman, while no doubt other young people need help but do not know that such a fund is available. May we not only keep it growing, but pray that more of our fine young people will dedicate their lives to the work of Christ, and be helped by this fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Balance in Bank—Sept. 6, 1948			$1,012.29
RECEIPTS:			
January 4, 1949—Poovey's Grove Church		$10.25	
April 15, 1949—Annual W.M.U. Meeting:			
College Ave.	$1.00		
Grandin	2.00		
Granite Falls 1st	3.00		
Kings Creek	5.00		
Nelson's Chapel	1.50	12.50	22.75
Grand Total			$1,035.04
DISBURSEMENTS:			
None			
Balance in Bank September 16, 1949			$1,035.04

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin

This report was adopted. A motion was made and carried that this fund be returned to the Woman's Missionary Society. A motion was also carried that section five of the resolution on ordination of preachers as it apeared in the 1948 minutes be taken out.

J. R. Swanson, Historian, submitted the next two reports, Historian's Report and a brief history of the association. Both of the reports were adopted.

HISTORIANS REPORT

Harris Chapel Church with which the 65th session of the Caldwell Association is meeting, was organized April 6, 1912, by the following Presbytery: Rev. J. M. Harris, D. L. Miller, J. R. J. Annas. J. M. Harris acted as Moderator, and Asbury Woods as Clerk. Rev. J. M. Harris was elected pastor and the following have served as Pastors since: R. C. Branch, W. B. Bryant, Samuel Silvers, T. E. Payne, Grant Miller, Jr., L. E. Snipes, and W. R. Moss, and the following have served as clerks: Asbury Woods, Oliver Smith, Noah Austin, R. C. Annas, Doyce J. Annas, A. A. Shoen, and Howard Annas, present clerk. It has a membership of 194. The Caldwell Association met with it in 1927. Lower Creek Church was organized March 4, 1826, with 11 members, 4 men and 7 women. Elders Smith Ferguson, Ruben Coffey, Benjamin Beach, William Carlton, Lay Elder, and Alexander West. Deacons were the Presbytery. Twenty-two men have served as pastors. Its members now number 582. Nine clerks have served, with J. R. Swanson as present clerk. The Caldwell Association has met with Lower Creek the following years: 1895, 1908, 1929, and 1939.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. Swanson

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CALDWELL ASSOCIATION

The Caldwell County Baptist Association was organized at Rocky Springs Church October 22, 1885 with 16 churches going into the organization, reporting church members 910 with 11 preachers and pastors.

Pastors salary reported $475.00.

The Caldwell Association was the result of a June 5, 1885, convention which was held at Lower Creek Church. It was composed of delegates from the various churches of the county, and the time and place was appointed as above mentioned and was continued for many years, meeting on Thursday before the 4th Sunday in September. Four days were used by the Association, ending on Sunday which was a very interesting day with a great gathering and generally two sermons were preached.

The churches were represented by delegates of men from each church who were interestd in the church and Association.

No woman was appointed as a delegate to the Association until 1921, when the first woman delegate was appointed, and since then it has become more common to send women as delegates to the Association.

At the last session the majority of delegates were women, numbering 141 compared to 111 men.

Many times the distance between two churches, which were many miles apart, has been divided and set as the gathering place of the Association.

The Association now numbers 57 churches with members numbering 11,722. Pastors salary amount to $85,453.53.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. Swanson

On motion made and carried, the congregation expressed to Mr. Swanson by a standing vote of thanks, their appreciatoin for his long and faithful service to the association. Another motion also carried was that the 1949 issue of the minutes be dedicated to Mr. Swanson.

A motion was then made and carried that the Association purchase an addressograph machine.

At this time the part of the program given to memorials was conducted by Ed Crump. A short devotional was conducted for the honored dead. A list of these persons and the churches to which they belonged is given in these minutes.

After a prayer for the officers of the Association for the coming year, R. Knolan Benfield gave a very interesting talk on "God's Financial Plan". The association was then adjourned.

CONSTITUTION FOR THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof: provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. — Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and their Duties.

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by their respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Asociation and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties.

Section E. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches in this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be appointed by this Association Committee in time for these appointments to be included in the Minutes of the Association just held.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Asociation in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resolutions (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This Committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a Finance Committee appointed from the Association Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Article V. — Constitution.

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene at 10:00 a. m. on Thursday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Asociation year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary Letters.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. The annual compensation of the clerk shall be $50.00.
8. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
9. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION

OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local churches or to insist that the candidate for ordination be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry, and to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines, and believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denomination recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

1. That the local church is the proper ordaining body.

2. If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advise and concurrence of other churches.

3. This advise and recognition should come from the churches of the association.

4. That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the asociation regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved.

1. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

IN MEMORIAM

BUFFALO COVE
Mrs. John W. Hamlet
Mrs. Lawrence Philyaw
Mrs. Avery J. Hawkins
CEDAR ROCK
Mrs. Ida Hollar
CENTRAL
Mr. J. P. Griffin
CLARKS CHAPEL
Mr. John D. Edwards
Mr. Lewis Phillips
CLOVER
Mrs. Clarke Teague
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mrs. J. E. Nelson
Mrs. Albert Crisp
Mr. Swanson Edwards
Mr. Gordon Austin
Mr. Elbert Triplett
Mrs. Aggie Moore
EDGEMONT
Mrs .Mary Mayfield
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Mrs. Sarah Bently
GLOBE
Mr. W. W. Moore
GRANDIN
Mrs. H. C. McNeil
LOWER CREEK
Mr. William Smith
Mr. J. N. Moore
Mrs. Mary Craig
Mrs. Ellen Barlow
Miss Jewel Smith
Miss Mamie Price
MAPLE GROVE
Mr. C. D. Philyaw
Mrs. Rebecca Coffey
Mrs. Cordelia Gragg
MILLER HILL
Mr. John Price
MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mrs. Jane Cannon
Mrs. Renie Griffin
MULVALE
Mrs. Minerva Clark
NELSONS CHAPEL
Mr. G. A. McCall (Deacon)
NEW HOPE
Mrs. Hessie Ayers
Mr. Bruce Summerlin
PLEASANT HILL
Mr. Fred Walsh (Deacon)
ROCKY SPRINGS
Mr. C. L. Rader
Mr. H. M. Gragg
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Mr. G. L. Cook
LONG FORD
Mr. J. W. Church (Deacon)
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Mrs. Pink Carter
Mrs. J. V. Sherill
Mr. Laurence A .Curtis
CONCORD
Mrs. Luther Cozart
Tom Barlow
D. B. Clark
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Mrs. Robert Lingle
Mr. H. H. Day
Mr. C. T. Smith
TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mr. Fred Wilson
UNION
Mrs. J. T. Tolbert
Mrs. Elizabeth G. Roberts
UNION GROVE
Mr. Riley Smith
WHITNEL
Miss Sylma Jean Pennell
Mr. D. P. Griffin
YADKIN
Mrs. Betty Bryant
CONWAYS CHAPEL
John Braswell

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM

THEME: THAT THE WORLD MAY KNOW

10:00 — OPENING WORSHIP
HYMN: "O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING"
WATCHWORDS: (Quoted in Unison)
"Laborers Together With God" 1 Cor. 3:9
"To make known to the sons of men His mighty acts and the Glory of the Majesty of His Kingdom" Psa. 145:12
"For ye Serve The Lord Christ" Col. 3:24B
"GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD" ..... Mrs. W. W. Jones
SPECIAL MUSIC ..... Mr. H. B. Smith
PRAYER:

10:20 — BUSINESS:
Welcome ..... Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Response ..... Mrs. Clarence Coffey
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees—Nominating, Appreciation, Time & Place
RECOGNITION OF SOCIETIES REPRESENTED

10:35 — MAKING HIM KNOWN:
1. Through Our Association ..... Mrs. Grover Triplett
2. In our Homes and Community ..... Mrs. J. G. Benfield
3. In His Mighty Acts Today ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Mrs. P. D. Fletcher
4. Through "EVERY BAPTIST A TITHER" ..... Mrs. J. H. Craig

11:25 — THE URGENCY OF MAKING HIM KNOWN: Miss Laura F. Snow

11:40 — HYMN "O Zion Haste"
SPECIAL MUSIC ..... Gwyn Triplett
Nancy Pritchard
Howard Jenkins
Bill Truesdale

11:50 — "THAT THE WORLD MAY KNOW" ..... Miss Alda Grayson
PRAYER ..... Mr. R. L. Wilson

12:30 — Lunch

1:30 — HYMN "Christ For the World we Sing"
SCRIPTURE: Psalm 145 ..... Mrs. J. H. Crisp
PRAYER:

1:40 — "THAT THE WORLD MAY KNOW"
THROUGH OUR YOUNG PEOPLE ..... Mrs. T. C. High

2:30 — REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:
NOMINATING
APPRECIATION
TIME AND PLACE
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
CHARGE TO OFFICERS AND DEDICATION PRAYER

3:00 — "ASSIST ME TO PROCLAIM" ..... Rev. W. F. Woodall
Offering

"THAT THE WORLD MAY KNOW"

PROCESSIONAL: QUEENS

Granite Falls ,First Mrs. L. M. Abernethy

Phyllis Capshaw
Peggy Hope
Mary Alice Mackie
Rachel Miller

Whitnel Mrs. M. W. Stallings

Mary Louise Benfield

Lower Creek Mrs. W. W. Jones

Wanda Hart
Betty McGee
Shirley Watters
Esther Moore

G. A. WATCHWORD AND ALLEGIANCE:

SCRIPTURE ..... Peggy Hope
Mary Louise Benfield

BECOMING A QUEEN ..... Phyllis Capshaw

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A CHRISTIAN ..... Rachel Miller

LIFE OF PAUL: ..... Shirley Watters

LIFE OF CHRIST: ..... Wanda Hart
Betty McGee

NOW A QUEEN: ..... Mary Alice Mackie

G. A. HYMN: ..... RECESSIONAL

R. A. WORK: ..... Rev. P. D. Fletcher

TRAINED FOR SERVICE: ..... Miss Elizabeth Campbell

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Carried over from 1947	$17.20
Amount Collected for Associational Expense Fund	44.52
Total	$61.72

Traveling Expenses for Visiting Missionary, Miss Alda Grayson	$15.00
Love Offering—Miss Laura F. Snow	5.00
Love Gift for Mrs. C. A. Bowman	9.00
Carlheim Hotel—Room for Miss Snow	4.07
Total	$33.07
Balance	$28.65

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Ira Pritchard

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Superintendent	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Associate Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary	Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Community Missions	Mrs. L. M. Abernethy
Stewardship	Mrs. J. H. Craig
Literature	Mrs. George Icenhour
Young People's Leader	Mrs. T. C. High
R. A. Leader	Rev. P. D. Fletcher
Librarian	Miss Eller Dickson
Margaret Fund and Training School Chm.	Mrs. J. D. Craig

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. O. L. Grice
Mrs. L. M. Abernethy
Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Mrs. Grover Triplett
Miss Elizabeth Campbell

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the W. M. U. of this Church for the privilege of holding our meeting in this beautiful and worshipful building, and for every courtesy they have shown us today.

To Miss Alda Grayson, our foreign missionary, and Miss Laura Frances Snow, our State worker, for their urgent and challenging messages; to Miss Campbell, our Associational Missionary, Mrs. Triplett, our Superintndent, to Mrs. High, our Young People's Secretary, and all other officers of our W. M. U. for their untiring work today and throughout the year; to those who planned the program, and to all who have attended, and for all you have done and are doing through your prayers, your gifts and your personality to "make Him known" in our Association and to the ends of the earth; we wish to say "Thank you."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. P. D. Fletcher
Mrs. R. J. Smith

ANNUAL REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL COMMUNITY MISSIONS CHAIRMAN

Total number of organizations: W. M. S. 26, Y. W. A. 13, G. A. 17, R. A. 10, S. B. 8, Number of organizations reporting this year: W. M. S. 20, Y. W. A. 9, G. A. 16, R. A. 7, S. B. 8.

Number of organizations:

	W.M.S.	Y.W.A.	G.A.	R.A.	S.B.	Total
I. Endeavoring to enlist all members in Community Missions	11	8	12	4		35
II. Having Community Missions Committee	11	8	11	3	4	37
III. Reporting Community Missions	20	9	16	7	8	60
IV. Number Surveys	3	5				8
V. Number classes studying **Guide to Community Missions**	6	1				7
VI. Number classes studying book on Soul-winning	5	2				7
VII. Engaged in Definite Evangelistic Efforts	8	5	10	7	2	32
VIII. Showing Christian Fellowship	11	8	14	4	3	40
IX. Lifting Moral Standards of Community	9	8	12	5		34

Has an Associational Community Missions Institute been held this year? Yes. Have you an Associational Community Missions Council?

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. G. Benfield

MISSION STUDY REPORT FOR 1948

No. Mission Study Classes	105
(W. M. S. Classes 51 — Young People's Classes 54)	
No. Organizations reporting this year	49
No. Engaged in Study	1043
No. W. M. S. Completing study of book	512
No. Reading one or more Missionary books	558
No. Seals awarded Young People	397
No. Reading Stamps awarded	38
No. School of Missions	1

OFFICE REPORT

No. Letters and Postals written	105
No. Packages Mission Study Awards Mailed	80
No. Telephone Calls and Personal contacts	120
No. Mission Study Classes taught	3

Associational Mission study goals for 1949

1. A Mission Study Class in at least ¾ of the W. M. U. Organizations in the Associations.

2. A Minimum of five churches in which every member of every W. M. U. Organization, except Sunbeams, reads at least one approved Missionary Book during the year.

3. An Associational Mission Study Institute held before March 1, 1950.

Respectfully sumbitted,

Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Asso. Mission Study Chm.

LIBRARY

LOANED	2
RETURNED	11
PURCHASED	0
DONATED	6
BOOKS IN LIBRARY NOW	336

Respectfully submitted,

Miss Eller Dickson

The next meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church in Granite Falls, North Carolina, at the time suggested by the state organization.

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885 - 1949

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1889 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkins	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver

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HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1385 - 1949

Continued

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove			
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1947 Lenoir First			
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1948 Central			
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reese	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1949 Harris Chapel			
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY'S REPORT

Churches	W.M.U.	Sunday School	Training Union	Bible Schools	Mission Studies
Beautiful		T		5	
Bethany		TC		5	
Blairs Fork				5	
Buffalo Cove				6	
Calvary		TC		5	WMS 1
Cedar Rock				H-5	
Center Grove					G. A. 1
Central			SC 5	5	WMS 1
Clarks Chapel				5	
Clover					WMS 1
College Ave.					WMS 11
Concord		VBS5			
Conways Chapel					
Dudley Shoals				5	
Edgemont					
Flemings Chapel	0			5	
Globe					
Grandview Park	0			H-5	
Grandin					WMS 11
Granite Falls First					
Green Rock					
Green Valley					
Harris Chapel				H-5	
Hartland		SC5		5	WMS1, GA1
Jonn's River					
Kings Creek		SC5			WMS1
Lenoir First	CM.1	TC111			5
Longford			Council	15	
Lovelady					
Lower Creek	CM1	WC1	CTS4		
Maple Grove					
Miller Hill				H-5	
Mt. Zion					YWA1
Mtn. Grove		VBSG	SC5		WMS11
Mulberry					
Mulvale		SC5, TC1		5	
Nelson's Chapel				5	WMS11
New Hope				H-10	
Oak Grove					
Piney Grove			SC5	5	
Pleasant Hill		SS,W		H-5	
Pisgah		TC1,T			
Pooveys Chapel		TC1	SC5	5	WMS1
Pooveys Grove	CM	SC5			MS1
Rhodhiss				6	
Rocky Springs		SC5		5	
Rufus					
Sardis			SC5		WMS111
Temple Missionary				H-5	
Temple Hill					WMS1
Union			SC5	6	
Union Grove	0			6	
Whitnel First			SC5		
Winkler's Grove					
West Lenoir					
Yadkin					
Yadkin Valley				6	

O.—Organization
C. M.—Circle Meeting
T. C.—Taught Class
S. C.—Study Course
W. C.—Worker's Council
C. T. S.—Central Training School
H.—Helper
S. S.—Sunday School
W.—Worship

OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED:

5 Socials, 1 G. A. Coronation, 3 Homecomings, 8 other meetings.

20 Bible Schools, 6 S. S. Training Courses, 8 Training Union Courses, 29 Mission Study Classes, Helped organize 3 WMS., 5 Socials.

MILES TRAVELED SEPT. 1948-SEPT. 1949—8,450

MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE ASSOCIATION:

Gave program for Circle Meeting, Hickory First

Training Union Associational Officers Meeting, Asheville; Training Union Clinic, Charlotte Baptist State Convention

Union Training Union Enlargement Campaign

Divisional W.M.U. Meeting; W.M.U. Convention, Elizabeth City

Conference—Sunday School-Hickory, West Hickory Baptist Church;

S. S. Enlargement Campaign, Beulah Association; S. S. Clinic, Shelby

Spoke Young Peoples' Banquet, Taylorsville First

Conducted Intermediate Conference, Seaside Assembly, Attended Fruitland Associational Missionaries Conference.

State V.B.S. Clinic, Fruitland; Associational Clinics—Cabarrus, South

Fork, Anson, Union, South Yadkin, Catawba River, Brushy Mtn. Mission Study-Circles—First Presbyterian Church, Hickory.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS LOSSES			Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Special Information			
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.				Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Church Library
Beautiful	OC	1948	4	H. E. Colvard, Box 101, Lenoir, N. C.	21	15	1	68		68	1	16		No
Bethany	OC	1902	1	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	3		5	58	32	90	1			
Blairs Fork	V	1891	4	Carl Triplett, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	5	7	16	105	61	166	1	22	No	No
Buffalo Cove	OC	1857	1	Walter Dula, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	4		6	59	70	129	1			
Calvary	V	1945	4	J. E. Crump, Hudson, N. C.	52	16	3	295	5	300	2	27		
Cedar Rock	OC	1942	2	Ed O. Miller, Boomer, N. C.	1		1	31	18	49	2			
Center Grove	OC	1912	4	C. R. McFelea, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	19	3		120		120	2	14	No	No
Central	T	1938	4	(Not listed)	11	6	6	288	19	307	2	25	No	No
Clarks Chapel	OC	1900	2	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	16	10	6	135	58	193	2		No	Yes
Clover	C	1942	4	Grady A. Hamby, Granite Falls, N. C.	9	16	7	99	53	152	1	40		Yes
College Avenue	C	1910	4	W. F. Woodall, Lenoir, N. C.	99	65	6	1083	210	1293	1	246	Yes	Yes
Concord	T	1908	4	Fred C. Roberts, Box 4812, Granite Falls, N. C.	37	26	22	320	42	362	2	90	No	No
Conways Chapel	OC			(Not listed)	12	1	6	25	36	61				
Dudley Shoals	V	1861	4	A. E. Watts, Taylorsville, N. C.		1	12	241	15	256				
Edgemont	OC	1915	2	O. C. Dellinger, Collettsville, N. C.	13	8	1	25	3	28	2		No	No
Flemings Chapel	OC	1888	2	J. L. Silver, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	14	22	3	159	26	185	1	6		
Globe	OC	1832	1	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	1		5	70	37	107	2			
Grandview Park	V	1930	2	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	18	1	3	114		114	1			
Grandin	OC	1914	2	W. L. Jenkins, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	4	6	8	60	30	90	1	12	No	Yes
Granite Falls First	T		4	P. D. Fletcher, Granite Falls, N. C.	24	10	26	463		463	2	105	No	Yes
Green Rock	OC	1889	2	W. H. Edmisten, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	9	5		40		40	1	1	No	No
Green Valley	OC	1888	1	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	2			47		47	1			
Harris Chapel	OC	1912	4	W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	6	9	11	201	43	244	1	21	No	Yes
Hartland	OC	1938	2	Paul N. Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	6	16	19	161	21	182	2	28		
Johns River	OC	1890	2	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	3	6	5	54	74	128	1		No	No
Kings Creek	OC	1779	4	R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.	17	16	13	291	107	398	1	24	No	Yes
Lenoir First	C	1889	4	A. E. Blankenship, Lenoir, N. C.	9	26	37	788	147	935			Yes	No

Longford	OC	1934	4	Homer H. Messer, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		4	11	123	113	236	2	12	No	No
Lovelady	OC	1937	4	B. F. Peeler, Taylorsville, N. C.	2	5	7	157		157	2	20	No	No
Lower Creek	OC	1826	4	W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	23	13	18	515	65	580	1	75	No	Yes
Maple Grove	OC		2	J. W. Fox, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			9				1		No	No
Miller Hill	V	1935	2	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	12	12	1	148	18	166	1		No	No
Mt. Zion	V	1889	4	Paul Hester, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	27	20	8				1			Yes
Mulberry	OC	1853	2	W. H. Shores, Boone, N. C.				66		66	1			No
Mountain Grove	OC	1884	4	Grady A. Hamby, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	7	16	15	294	40	334	1	68	No	Yes
Mulvale	OC		2	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	7	4	5	100		100	2			
Nelson's Chapel	OC	1905	2	J. Clinnard Brooks, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.			18	31	37	68	1	12	No	Yes
New Hope	OC	1939	2	W. L. Jenkins, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	3	6	7	75	14	89	2	6	No	No
Oak Grove	OC	1938	4	Ray Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	9	9	3	99	34	133	3	30	No	No
Piney Grove	OC	1869	2	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	8	147		147	1		No	Yes
Pleasant Hill	OC			C. F. Cook, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	15	5	1	105		105	2			
Pisgah	OC	1877	4	Gordon Crump, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	6	11	4	95	33	128	2	10	No	No
Poovey's Chapel	OC	1932	4	Frank Knight, Hudson, N. C.	10	7	8	129	2	131	1	18		
Poovey's Grove	OC	1898	4	John E. Carter, Granite Falls, N. C.	3	6	6	147	48	195		30	No	Yes
Rhodhiss	T	1906	4	Frank Colburn, Rhodhiss, N. C.	10	3	25	229	138	367	2	23	No	No
Rocky Springs	V	1845	2	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	5	19	8	90	44	134				
Rufus	OC	1940	1	Will Bolick, Lenoir, N. C.	4		2	67	16	83	1			
Sardis	T	1831	4	H. S. Benfield, Hudson, N. C.	35	14	24	380	110	490	2	60	No	No
Temple Missionary	V	1942	4	C. M. Curtis, Box 91, Hudson, N. C.	18	13	9	129	4	133	2	12	No	No
Temple Hill	OC	1946	4	L. R. Davis, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	25	12	1	111		111	1	17	No	No
Union	OC	1814	2	W. O. Johnson, Taylorsville, N. C.	11	7	8	221	170	391	1			Yes
Union Grove	OC	1898	2	(Not listed)	1	3	5	165	73	238	1			
Whitnel First		1910	4	R. L. Councilman, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	12	15	17	207	27	234	2	65	No	Yes
Winkler's Grove	OC	1886	4	J. R. Holland, Longview Sta., N. C.	26	16	4	202	90	292	2	25		
West Lenoir	V	1943	4	Ira F. Walker, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	8	5	5	111	7	118	1	5	No	No
Yadkin	V	1791	4	R. A. Frye, Patterson, N. C.	11	5	9	355		355	2		No	No
Yadkin Valley	OC	1935	2	O. C. Dellinger, Collettsville, N. C.		2	2	56		56	1			
Totals					706	524	476	9954	2190	12144	76	1165		

TABLE II. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT John E. Carter Granite Falls, N. C. SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Beautiful	Stanford Wilson, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.			17	12	25	12	15	27			108	80	35	
Bethany	Hardy Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			20				20	18			58	28		
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor, RFD 8, Lenoir, N. C.			10	12	10	11	26	36		2	107	90		
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	21		10	15	25	15	15	18			119	64		35
Calvary	Howard Shumate, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			48	49	40	45	40	76		12	310	250	182	150
Cedar Rock	C. F. Arms, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			8	13			9	22	9	2	63	46	20	17
Center Grove	Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			25	22	24	44	51	17		3	186	101		
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel, N. C.		27	20	26	42	53	52	56		10	286	176	75	75
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			20	21	34	26	16	51		2	170	77	48	41
Clover	Fred Cline, Box 4996, Granite Falls, N. C.		17	8	30	40	17	38	32	10		192	112	82	71
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, 100 Kentwood Circle, Lenoir, N. C.	61	64	79	142	174	135	143	339	24	7	1168	532	278	237
Concord	George W. Hollar, Box 182, Granite Falls, N. C.	30	16	34	47	76	67	61	111	10	6	508	183	187	154
Conways Chapel	Hayden Pittman, 116 East St., Morganton, N. C.			10		8		12	8		5	43	30		
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.			28	30	12	14	22	26		3	135	107	38	33
Edgemont	Mrs. Pearl Suddreth, Edgemont, N. C.				20	15			25			60			
Flemings Chapel	Toy Greene, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	6		12	20	20	26	35	66		1	186	165	84	70
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, N. C.			20		15		20	25			80	45		
Grandview Park	Charles E. Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			13	21	24	21	17	40			136	90	50	50
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	6	8	10	8	8	28	11		81	50	55	40
Granite Falls First	Charlie W. Miller, Granite Falls, N. C.		25	30	29	61	57	31	134	35	4	406	185	112	97
Green Rock	Roy Woodring, Yadkin Valley, N. C.		6		8				30			44	35		
Green Valley	James Philyaw, Collettsville, N. C.			20			15		25		2	62	30		
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	6	19	16	30	34	27	31	61	4	2	230	154	57	52
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.			17		35	25	75	45			197	120		
Johns River	R. G. Estes, Upton, N. C.			11	12			10	15		2	50	30		
Kings Creek	V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	20	13	14	37	38	42	22	88	18		292	151	109	91
Lenoir First	Luther B. Robinson, Hickory Rd., Lenoir, N. C.	18	66	62	84	72	70	120	357	75	8	932	429	223	189

Longford	Carl Borders, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		13	12	26	28	23	41				143	107	40	37
Lovelady	Walter Turnmyre, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		10	10	13	18	21	22	46		3	143	120	52	40
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	10	30	36	35	58	41	36	202	54	4	506	277	240	200
Maple Grove	Allen Tolbert, Globe, N. C.	6		6	4	7	8	6	12			49			
Miller Hill	Charlie Triplett, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			22	22	28	24	23	35			154	90		
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	26		34	40	61	59	70	105	8	4	407	245	110	109
Mulberry	G. H. Edmisten, Lenoir, N. C.			10	5	8	10	12	10			55	45		
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	44	16	45	36	47	57	16	153	12	4	430	171	146	108
Mulvale	Adil Clark, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	10		10	9	18	11	12	42		2	114	57	30	25
Nelson's Chapel	Raymond L. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			4	10	9	9	13	27		2	74	55	36	30
New Hope	G. H. Crotts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			18	12	13	14	15	38			110	57	56	42
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.		6	10	16	16	14	23	39	6		130	77	59	54
Piney Grove	W. G. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	14		14	12	23	24	32	44			163	75	53	
Pleasant Hill	Charlie Green, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			14	17	14		35	28			108	75	55	
Pisgah	John Pope, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.			37		25		33	20			115	90		
Poovey's Chapel	John Haas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			29	18	32	19	22	18	24	3	165	110	52	45
Poovey's Grove	Garland Keller, Granite Falls, N. C.		10	19	20	27	27	21	68			192	108	120	103
Rhodhiss	Boyd L. Brown, Rhodhiss, N. C.	11	6	11	42	81	28	13	80		3	275	137	133	111
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.			25		14	16	21	45			121	76	50	44
Rufus	W. C. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			15		12	13		45			85	62		
Sardis	H. B. Smith, Hudson, N. C.	21		65	40	56	54	45	156	24	6	467	192	153	144
Temple Missionary	T. C. Brown, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		10	13	12	14	15	14	31			109	103	60	50
Temple Hill	John D. Austin, Whitnel, N. C.				33	18	21	55	6			133	118		
Union	Bill Land, Rt. 2, Taylorsville, N. C.			16	27	36	29	80	27		2	217	125	101	97
Union Grove	Ivey Wall, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			35	38	32	22	80	70			277	159	77	73
Whitnel First	W. S. Honaker, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		9	21	43	43	42	29	67		5	259	111		98
Winkler's Grove	Willard Cline, Rt. 4, Hickory, N. C.			25		30	25	25	57		2	164	110	45	35
West Lenoir	Dewey Ward, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			16	14	13	18	33				94	90		
Yadkin	Johnny Suddreth, Lenoir, N. C.		21	18	29	38	36	16	112		6	276	175	185	168
Yadkin Valley	Pink B. Burris, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.				12	7	8		18		5	50	35	18	15
Totals		355	385	1148	1273	1660	1418	1732	3377	324	122	11794		3506	

TABLE III. TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR

Miss Pearl Keller

Granite Falls, N. C.

TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		Number of Story Hours	Number of Junior Unions	Number of Intermediate Unions	Number of Young Peoples Unions	Number of Adult Unions	Number of Mission Unions	Grand Total Unions	Story Hour Enrolled	Junior Enrolled	Intermediate Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adult Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance	Youth Week	Christian Home Week
Beautiful	No Report																	
Bethany	No Report																	
Blairs Fork	Fred B. Mathis, 115 Warren Lane, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	7	8	13	10	16	7	61	38		
Buffalo Cove	No Report																	
Calvary	No Report																	
Cedar Rock	No Report																	
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		1	2	1			4		17	28	6		3	54	30		
Central	S. G. Shore, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		1	1		1		3		7	10		22	5	44	22		
Clarks Chapel	Miss Faye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	10	12	7	11	13	5	58	39		
Clover	Raymond A. Cook, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	2	2	1	1		7	10	24	14	22	19	2	91			
College Avenue	Miss Arrie Smith, 210 W. College Ave., Lenoir, N. C	1	3	3	2	2		11	43	57	57	23	61	5	246	139		
Concord	Ray Goble, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	14	23	20	21	28	7	113	44	No	No
Conways Chapel	No Report																	
Dudley Shoals	No Report																	
Edgemont	No Report																	
Flemings Chapel	Paul Braswell, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.									15	17	20	15	1	68	65		
Globe	No Report																	
Grandview Park	Mrs. O. L. Snyder, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	7	10	12	14	12		55	45		
Grandin	Mrs. Alice Howell, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	2	9	15	6	10	3	45	35	Yes	No
Granite Falls First	James Carter, Granite Falls, N. C.		1	2	1	2		6		14	36	20	41	2	113	56		
Green Rock	No Report																	
Green Valley	No Report																	
Harris Chapel	W. H. Hawkins, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1	2	2	1	1		7	12	20	27	9	14	3	85	68	No	No
Hartland	H. S. Cline, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	6	12	16	16	20		70	44	Yes	No
Johns River	No Report																	
Kings Creek	J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	22	18	22	12	24		98	49	Yes	Yes
Lenoir First	C. A. Holden, Norwood St., Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	2		6	25	20	30	30	40	2	147	89	Yes	Yes

Longford	Mrs. Ted Hawkins, Box 754, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	11	16	17	9	26	3	82	65	No	No
Lovelady	June Weaver, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1		6	18	12	10	11	16	8	75	61	No	No
Lower Creek	Mrs. Ellis Rhodes, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	12	24	24	19	44	5	128	82	No	No
Maple Grove	No Report																	
Miller Hill	Miss Pearl Lackey, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.									25	18	10			53			
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	1	1	2		6	15	24	19	16	37	6	117	81	No	No
Mulberry	No Report																	
Mountain Grove	Carroll Sullivan, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	2	1	1	1		6	6	22	26	8	18	2	82		No	No
Mulvale	No Report																	
Nelson's Chapel	No Report																	
New Hope	No Report																	
Oak Grove	Miss Sue Myers, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1		1	1	1	5	6	7		11	15	5	44	30	No	No
Piney Grove	Mrs. C. F. Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		1		1			2		15		29			44	30	No	
Pleasant Hill	No Report																	
Pisgah	No Report																	
Poovey's Chapel	Floyd Ekard, Rt. 4, Hudson, N. C.								16	23	15	9	20	2	85	69		
Poovey's Grove	J. D. Craig, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	2	1	1	1	1		6	18	11	14	9	11	5	68	40	No	Yes
Rhodhiss	Mrs. D. D. Annas, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1	2	1	1	2		7	25	29	19	10	23	7	113	75	No	Yes
Rocky Springs	No Report																	
Rufus	No Report																	
Sardis	Mrs. C. A. Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	14	24	26	14	37	3	118		No	No
Temple Missionary	Mrs. Harold Hartley, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1				2		13		18		5	36	20	No	No
Temple Hill	No Report																	
Union	John L. Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	2	1	1	1	1		6	19	10	23	12	20	2	86	53		
Union Grove	Tris Baker, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	5	18	16	12	7	5	63		No	No
Whitnel First	Danny Griffin, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	2	2	2	1	1		8	30	42	35	17	23	4	151	75	Yes	Yes
Winkler's Grove	No Report																	
West Lenoir	No Report																	
Yadkin	Mrs. R. A. Frye, Patterson, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1		5	12	18	25	16	22	5	98	68	No	No
Yadkin Valley	No Report																	
Totals		28	35	35	28	31	1	158	365	599	611	450	654	112	2791			

TABLE IV. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. Grover B. Triplett Lenoir, N. C. PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Beautiful	No Report														
Bethany	No Report														
Blair Fork	No Report														
Buffalo Cove	No Report														
Calvary	Mrs. S. M. Crump, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1				2	25	21				46		
Cedar Rock	No Report														
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	2		1		1	4	33					33		14
Central	Mrs. J. H. Crisp, Box 67, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	12					12	6	12
Clarks Chapel	No Report														
Clover	Mrs. Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	8	5	15	11	14	53	35	
College Avenue	Mrs. D. A. Triplett, Beall St., Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	100	10	40	36	22	208	269	92
Concord	Mrs. James Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	3	1	2			6	32	21	18			71	17	31
Conways Chapel	No Report														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. R. E. Sears, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	21					21		
Edgemont	No Report														
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. L. A. Huffman, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	14					14	13	6
Globe	No Report														
Grandview Park	Mrs. R. L. Kent, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	15					15		
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	9					9	9	5
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Carr Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	5	1	2	2	1	11	50	13	12	15	25	115		
Green Rock	No Report														
Green Valley	No Report														
Harris Chapel	No Report														
Hartland	Mrs. W. M. Cannon, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1			3	29	16	12			57	70	28
Johns River	No Report														
Kings Creek	Mrs. V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	2	1	6	21	12	16	8	15	72	40	
Lenoir First	Mrs. E. C. McCall, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	155	18	28	15	32	248	175	70

Longford	No Report															
Lovelady	No Report															
Lower Creek	Mrs. Carl Thompson, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	3	1	1	7	110	8	54	7	44	223	300	61
Maple Grove	No Report														
Miller Hill	No Report														
Mt. Zion	Mrs. J. M. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1				2	10					10		44
Mulberry	No Report														
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Paul Bean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		2	1	1	5	10		31	17	30	88	20	23
Mulvale	No Report														
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. Joseph H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	12					12		12
New Hope	No Report														
Oak Grove	Mrs. Ray Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	17					17		8
Piney Grove	No Report														
Pleasant Hill	No Report														
Pisgah	No Report														
Poovey's Chapel	No Report														
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Foster Fullbright, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	2		1	5	15	12	7		12	46		
Rhodhiss	Mrs. R. P. Culclasure, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1		1		1	3	14		13		7	34	9	13
Rocky Springs	No Report														
Rufus	No Report														
Sardis	Mrs. C. A. Wilson, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1			2	20		24			44	15	33
Temple Missionary	No Report														
Temple Hill	No Report														
Union	Mrs. Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	20					20	5	
Union Grove	Iris Baker, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	14					14		
Whitnel First	Mrs. D. G. Younce, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1		2	2	1	6	20		26	23	15	84		
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. J. R. Holland, Longview Sta., N. C.	1					1	17					17	17	
West Lenoir	No Report														
Yadkin	No Report														
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Ned Austin, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	21					21		10
Totals		34	11	24	12	11	92	824	136	296	132	216	1604	1000	462

TABLE V. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Brotherhood		Building			Goals	
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Beautiful					4500.00	1824.00		
Bethany	No Report							
Blairs Fork				7000.00	12000.00	1392.13		
Buffalo Cove					1000.00			
Calvary					40000.00	11000.00		
Cedar Rock	No Report							
Center Grove					15000.00	3064.50		49.00
Central				5000.00	40000.00	5817.28		
Clarks Chapel					2000.00			24.00
Clover	Grady H. Hamby, Granite Falls, N. C.	12	8		40000.00	4500.00	60.00	64.00
College Avenue	No Report							
Concord				8000.00	60000.00			
Conways Chapel	No Report							
Dudley Shoals					37800.00	11000.00	260.00	60.00
Edgemont					2500.00			
Flemings Chapel					12000.00	3823.62		62.50
Globe					1000.00			
Grandview Park	No Report							
Grandin					4000.00		75.00	25.00
Granite Falls First				5000.00	35000.00		720.00	96.00
Green Rock					400.00			
Green Valley	B .B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.	3			950.00			
Harris Chapel					50000.00	10000.00	395.00	48.00
Hartland	H. S. Cline, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	21	6		50000.00	14258.99		24.00
Johns River					1000.00			
Kings Creek	J. Colon Keller, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	22	3	5000.00	15000.00			
Lenoir First				12500.00	257000.00	17431.47	8000.00	395.00

Longford	Clyde Hollar, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	12	48		8350.00			
Lovelady					10000.00		24.00	20.00
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Box 348, Lenoir, N. C.	30	12	15000.00	115000.00		5600.00	250.00
Maple Grove	No Report							
Miller Hill	No Report							
Mt. Zion				3000.00	20000.00	7475.88		
Mulberry	No Report							
Mountain Grove				8000.00	15500.00		300.00	42.00
Mulvale					8000.00	2678.00		
Nelson's Chapel					3000.00			
New Hope					3000.00		18.00	12.00
Oak Grove				5000.00	6000.00		30.00	10.00
Piney Grove					5500.00			
Pleasant Hill					5140.00	1270.00		
Pisgah				3000.00	6000.00	1600.00		
Poovey's Chapel	No Report							
Poovey's Grove				4000.00	15000.00		364.00	75.00
Rhodhiss					12500.00		1200.00	112.50
Rocky Springs					4500.00		15.00	15.00
Rufus	No Report							
Sardis				5000.00	75000.00	10000.00	480.00	72.00
Temple Missionary	No Report							
Temple Hill					4500.00	450.00		
Union	R. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.				21000.00		120.00	75.00
Union Grove					10000.00			
Whitnel First	Eugene Mathis, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	16	10	8000.00	23000.00		2944.85	
Winkler's Grove					1500.00	1200.00		50.00
West Lenoir	No Report							
Yadkin				5000.00	20000.00			
Yadkin Valley					1000.00			
Totals		116	87	98500.00	1074640.00	108785.87	20605.85	1581.00

TABLE VI. CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER E. D. Beach Box 163, Lenoir, N. C. TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Funds on Hand Beginning of Year	Total Gifts Recorded All Offerings and Organizations	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Other Salaries	Maintenance Church Property	New Buildings	Literature Song Book, etc.	Local Mission and Benevolences	Revival Expense and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenditures
Beautiful	E. C. Pinyan, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	706.99	1243.90	579.64	160.00	205.00		39.54		47.20	360.00	350.00	1741.38
Bethany	Murray Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		357.60	150.00			25.00	15.00		76.74		50.76	317.50
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaac, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	1282.82	5087.20	2515.00		302.90	300.00	156.98		22.00	444.00	691.41	4432.29
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	486.11	611.42	307.25	39.00			58.83		53.33		73.00	531.41
Calvary	G. O. Adams, Box 132, Lenoir, N. C.	133.00	9456.04	3180.00	452.00	1730.83		177.37	266.02	455.31	2653.30	225.00	9139.83
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Earon Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	83.73	637.94	271.18		16.00		58.62		47.20		55.69	448.69
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	621.70	6401.74	1715.00	120.00		843.99	131.70	128.75	100.00	3169.64	39.60	6248.68
Central	Henry Turnmire, Whitnel, N. C.		5172.50	2340.00	208.00	516.64		207.08		116.02	1440.00	196.76	5024.50
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1748.84	2075.85	1300.00	48.00			144.20	117.62	183.05		151.30	1944.17
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	531.63	9668.32	2760.00	83.00	108.07	4500.00	226.05	189.75	387.74	889.50	445.91	9590.02
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, 100 Kentwood Circle, Lenoir, N. C.	39.64	39616.04	4359.65	2780.95	3791.71		1869.28	1562.96	370.00	19675.00	1141.84	35551.39
Concord	Nelson Gray, Granite Falls, N. C.	20724.99	11581.88	3380.00	260.00	500.00	16000.00	432.70	350.17	225.00		1196.16	22344.03
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		1837.03	581.08		120.00		39.00		65.00		246.45	1051.53
Dudley Shoals	Clifton Sigmon, Granite Falls, N. C.	8855.43	19308.83	1610.00		417.54	24960.00	190.69	50.00			135.00	27363.23
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.		630.87	396.98				30.73		90.70		82.40	600.81
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		12198.35	1190.97			5898.22	153.00	225.14	95.58	2986.57	1148.84	11698.32
Globe	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		515.96	169.85	118.10			44.92		131.49		51.60	515.96
Grandview Park	Mrs. Poovey Watson, Lenoir, N. C.		2029.33	1110.00	156.00			65.82	57.00	62.19		356.21	1807.22
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	25.35	1827.17	607.00	25.00	318.50		89.21	90.25	62.00		311.75	1503.71
Granite Falls First	J. D. Milstead, Granite Falls, N. C.	2972.28	11836.45	3900.00	300.00	947.09		446.91		435.00		76.50	6105.50
Green Rock	W. H. Edmister, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		281.11	108.90		48.75		16.55		44.34		40.00	258.54
Green Valley	B. B. Green, Collettsville, N. C.		297.75	119.31				27.25		42.14		109.05	297.75
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Hudson, N. C.	3806.00	9094.60	1906.60		350.00		290.61		95.00	9020.90	470.71	12133.82
Hartland	Robert Watson, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	65.80	4772.91	1520.00	260.00			126.60	139.31	195.73	1920.00	525.13	4686.77
Johns River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	316.74	1438.89	178.28		36.00		21.70		50.51			286.49
Kings Creek	Louis Land, Rt. 1, Boomer, N. C.	532.55	4236.21	1375.00	240.00	622.68		307.53	120.81	138.06		533.21	3337.29
Lenoir First	Dr. O. L. Moore, Lenoir, N. C.	7350.83	51810.78	4500.00	6120.00	4515.53		2520.80	1479.28	480.00	6527.70	11268.42	37411.73

Longford	C. H. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	914.02	4957.11	2780.00	120.00	369.68	817.37	149.62	142.65	170.00		201.64	4750.96
Lovelady	Paul Bolick, Granite Falls, N. C.		3177.10	2080.00	25.00	150.00		225.00	23.74	42.36		5.00	2551.10
Lower Creek	Powell Hatley, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	1967.95	19796.47	4105.00	1136.25	3899.79		653.07	76.97	165.00		1898.89	11934.97
Maple Grove	O. D. Coffey, Mortimer, N. C.		303.29	130.32				18.87		11.27		138.38	298.84
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Greene, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		2855.32	1451.05		95.00		208.06	160.19	94.67	525.00	206.11	2740.08
Mt. Zion	A. J. Barker, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	178.86	15603.00	2800.00	120.00	13.50	9000.00	394.22	167.76	181.16	960.00	960.27	14596.91
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		556.49	214.52				27.10		28.25		278.62	548.49
Mountain Grove	Midas Bolick, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	336.06	9245.70	3120.00	505.00	1036.27		559.49	465.55	150.00	833.20		6669.51
Mulvale	Mrs. Maude Moore, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	501.78	1804.91	636.07		120.00		60.95	49.56	142.88	810.00	79.83	1899.29
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	70.00	1633.15	465.57		219.16		105.36	50.00	62.70	200.00	9.22	1112.01
New Hope	Mrs. C. P. McGee, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		1077.86	555.00		65.60		69.76	31.14	108.58		100.00	930.08
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.	1557.64	3542.30	1935.00	77.00	67.50	2509.69	143.72	39.20	69.28		97.45	4938.84
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	34.20	1820.74	582.19		560.55		130.63	99.85	177.86		9.00	1560.08
Pleasant Hill	Charles Herman, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	178.50	2005.16	1269.47	8.03		425.77	127.95	10.00	104.85		200.00	2146.07
Pisgah	Fred Crisp, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	80.13	2592.00	1808.00				48.00		167.00	240.00	240.00	2503.00
Poovey's Chapel	Oron A. Hartley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	200.00	4471.57	1475.29	178.80	175.22		149.63	80.00	64.07	1578.63	20.04	3721.68
Poovey's Grove	H. J. Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.	381.02	6076.17	2340.00		751.17		287.06	78.85	49.00		233.97	3740.05
Rhodhiss	Floyd W. Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.	4427.17	9788.35	3785.00	811.65	881.77	1000.00	452.28	113.76	355.38		2202.14	9601.98
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.		2926.10	360.00	120.00	1792.40		73.95	161.10			217.81	2725.26
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	309.60	1163.27	480.00		202.75		56.28		121.00		450.00	1310.03
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	29732.60	22755.88	2100.00	335.00	158.84	42479.95	518.16	727.27	110.00		364.65	46793.87
Temple Missionary	Mrs. M. R. Hopkins, 463 N. Main, Lenoir, N. C.	51.44	1800.19	1440.00		45.23		69.43		100.00			1654.66
Temple Hill	Miss Mabel Kirby, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.		1474.96	720.00				55.17			96.00	430.29	1301.46
Union	Ralph McRary, Lenoir, N. C.	737.23	5647.71	1109.00	300.00	2013.95		315.61	117.40	94.00		713.97	4663.93
Union Grove	Clyde Barnwell, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	296.32	3262.72	1250.00	184.00	599.84		169.89	203.54	189.60		265.84	2862.71
Whitnel First	Ivey Craig, Whitnel, N. C.	566.61	6586.53	2940.00	260.00	1050.25		312.83		122.00	920.00	1087.49	6692.57
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Hickory, N. C.		6799.42	3113.10	350.00	300.00		75.00	275.00	250.00	300.00	1479.32	6142.42
West Lenoir	G. W. Walker, 209 Hayes Ave., Lenoir, N. C.	1387.79	576.16	1300.00	120.00	40.00		111.72	118.28			56.39	1746.39
Yadkin	H. F. Curtis, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		6826.60	2300.00	260.00	65.00	400.00	243.09	108.15	326.00	307.50		4009.74
Yadkin Valley	R. Don Watson, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		474.93	240.06				35.00		36.54		38.75	350.35
Totals		94243.35	365627.83	91016.33	16280.78	29220.71	109159.99	13735.57	8077.02	7564.78	55856.94	31957.77	362869.89

TABLE VII. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK E. W. Smith Lenoir, N. C. CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Co-operative Program (or Unified Budget)	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanage, Total Gifts	Designated to Hospitals	Relief and Annuity; Other Objects	Total Gifts for Missions	Grand Total for All Purposes	Balance All Funds
Beautiful	E. C. Philyaw, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.					10.00			25.00	75.00	110.00	1851.38	99.51
Bethany	Dillard Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.						5.75	13.00		21.35	40.10	357.60	
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw, Jr., Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	154.79	30.00	18.25	31.00	31.00		184.30	51.00	55.00	555.34	4987.63	1382.39
Buffalo Cove	J. B. Hawkins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.		28.23		8.23			8.55		35.00	80.01	611.42	486.11
Calvary	Miss Helen Borders, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	197.38		18.11	6.40	13.50		27.05	37.32		299.76	9439.59	149.45
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	2.00	24.00	12.00				42.00	9.13	8.08	97.21	545.90	175.77
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.		51.00	60.00	37.25	43.25		120.00		73.20	384.70	6633.38	390.06
Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.				75.00	13.00		60.00			148.00	5172.50	
Clarks Chapel	Harold Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	8.50	24.00	15.00	14.00	14.00		20.00	32.00		127.50	2071.67	1753.02
Clover	Mrs. Alvin Triplett, Granite Falls, N. C.	121.67	42.00					35.61	15.25	292.00	506.53	10096.55	153.40
College Avenue	Johnell Wise, Ervin Ave., Lenoir, N. C.	2300.00	108.00	100.00	55.00	859.95		400.00	115.00	166.34	4104.29	39655.68	
Concord	Hilda Bean, Box 4904, Granite Falls, N. C.	999.05	103.19	10.78	31.37			267.58	50.87		1462.84	23806.87	8500.00
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.								11.45		11.45	1062.98	774.05
Dudley Shoals	Fred C. Bowman, Granite Falls, N. C.	377.36	112.00	54.52		22.00		208.00	27.15		801.03	28164.26	
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.											600.81	30.06
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	9.00	27.00					50.00			86.00	11784.32	414.03
Globe	Bobby Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.											515.96	
Grandview Park	Roy Kincaid, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	7.39	36.00	5.54	21.75	6.75		115.00	20.00	9.68	222.11	2029.33	
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	40.00	25.00	13.80	9.00	8.11		45.00	31.00	176.90	348.81	1852.52	
Granite Falls First	Frank Jones, Jr., Granite Falls, N. C.	923.54	96.00	26.25	40.80	55.41		235.84		90.12	1467.96	7573.46	7235.27
Green Rock	Wallace E. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.								10.76		10.76	269.30	11.81
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.											297.75	
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	79.00	48.00			13.23		195.00	36.55		371.78	12505.60	395.00
Hartland	Mrs. Tom Puett, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	19.14	29.00	5.00	8.00	20.00	5.00				86.14	4772.91	65.80
Johns River	Troy Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.											286.49	1469.14
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlow, Jr., Kings Creek, N. C.	759.17	84.00	2.00		29.80	100.00	296.50	153.30	6.70	1431.47	4768.76	
Lenoir First	Ralph D. Trott, Lenoir, N. C.	9720.32	360.00	139.29	126.76	2580.69	336.25	804.00	250.00	253.27	14570.58	51982.31	7179.30

Longford	Ted Hawkins, Box 784, Lenoir, N. C.	78.15	48.00					55.00	25.00		206.15	4957.11	914.02
Lovelady	James O. Mull, Granite Falls, N. C.	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00		53.00	20.00	200.00	373.00	2924.10	253.00
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	5508.90	290.00	149.19	57.42	553.71	772.60	1100.78	310.20	359.92	9102.72	21037.69	726.73
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer, N. C.								4.45		4.45	303.29	
Miller Hill	I. J. Keaton, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	3.40	36.00					19.50	10.00		68.90	2808.98	46.34
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Granite Falls, N. C.	236.50	66.00	35.85	40.00	132.50	70.00	252.38	69.00	282.72	1184.95	15781.86	
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.								8.00		8.00	556.49	
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlet, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	317.27	32.50	60.00	57.00	140.00	240.58	230.00	50.00	140.00	1267.35	7936.86	1644.90
Mulvale	Walter Estes, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	50.00	36.00	18.00				64.50	15.00		183.50	2082.79	223.90
Nelson's Chapel	J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	164.52	60.00	31.77	42.00	10.00		99.84	47.91	10.10	466.14	1578.15	125.00
New Hope	M. S. Phillips, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	29.94	12.00					21.00	12.00		74.94	1005.02	72.84
Oak Grove	Miss Sue Meyers, Granite Falls, N. C.					6.47		27.03	10.55		44.05	4982.89	117.05
Piney Grove	Ira Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	3.08	36.00		11.00	23.00		171.78	50.00		294.86	1854.94	
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.							7.00	25.69	4.90	37.59	2183.66	
Pisgah	C. A. Coffey, Box 90, Lenoir, N. C.				74.00			15.00			89.00	2592.00	80.13
Poovey's Chapel	J. L. Sigmon, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	10.22	24.00	50.00	19.24	19.24		375.98	53.53		552.21	4273.89	397.68
Poovey's Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	294.12	89.00	23.00	65.58	23.60		69.00	70.00	78.98	713.28	4453.33	2003.86
Rhodhiss	R. P. Colclasure, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1270.57	119.58			100.00		131.91	127.02		1749.08	11351.06	2864.46
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	11.24	30.00	29.00	7.80	7.80		90.00	25.00		200.84	2926.10	
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.				10.00			73.67	14.40	18.38	116.45	1426.48	46.39
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	529.81	72.00	17.35	99.85			245.80	76.02	84.00	1124.83	47918.70	4569.78
Temple Missionary	Miss Magdalene Curtis, Hudson, N. C.	35.00						27.34	25.00		87.34	1742.00	109.63
Temple Hill	Miss Mabel Kirby, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.		12.50			21.00					33.50	1334.96	140.00
Union	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	136.87	72.00	44.44	58.91	63.95		220.00	124.84		721.01	5384.94	1000.00
Union Grove	Mrs. O. P. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	6.66		2.00				25.46	40.50		74.62	2937.33	621.71
Whitnel First	W. R. Pennell, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	254.30			19.95	49.55		49.90	20.40	4.39	398.99	7091.56	61.58
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Hickory, N. C.						25.00	12.00	20.00		57.00	6199.42	600.00
West Lenoir	Mrs. Annie Smiley, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.							60.00	48.78		108.78	1855.17	108.78
Yadkin	Paul Curtis, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	25.53		25.00	25.00	25.00		54.48	43.73	104.00	302.74	4312.48	2514.12
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Pink Burriss, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		15.00			15.00		7.90	8.00	6.00	51.90	402.25	72.68
Totals		24704.93	2298.00	986.14	1072.31	4931.51	1555.18	6687.68	2230.80	2556.53	47022.54	409892.43	49978.75

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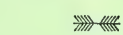
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Dedication

HENRY MALONE BEACH

Born March 17, 1865 in the Kings Creek Community. He became a Christian and joined Kings Creek Baptist Church in November 1893; elected Clerk in March 1899 and served for fifty years; elected treasurer soon after 1900 and served in this capacity for about forty-six years; served as song leader for thirty years or more; served as superintendent of the Sunday School for several years; taught a Sunday School Class for more than fifty years and is still continuing to teach; he has been a delegate to every session of the Association since 1894 and has attended every session except four. In recognition of his unusually loyal service, these minutes are affectionately dedicated to Henry Malone Beach.

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

1950-1951

OFFICERS

W. W. Jones, Moderator	Lenoir
J. M. Laxton, Vice Moderator	Lenoir
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk	Lenoir
A. W. Dodge, Treasurer	Lenoir
Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Assoc. Worker	Lenoir
George Hollar, Sunday School Supt.	Granite Falls
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Rep.	Rt. 1, Lenoir
J. R. Swanson, Historian	Rt. 1, Lenoir
Greene B. Thompson, Asst. Historian	Lenoir
R. L. Wilson, Statistician	Lenoir
Mrs. Grover Triplett, W. M. U. Pres.	Lenoir

ASSOCIATIONAL COMMITTEE

W. W. Jones	A. W. Dodge
J. M. Laxton	Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Mrs. Grover Triplett

As provided in the constitution, each Pastor in the association and one lay member from each church in addition to the above officers, comprise this committee. Since at the time of the printing of these minutes a large number of the churches had not reported the names of their representatives, no complete list of this committee could be assembled.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Robert Frye, Lenoir	1951
R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek	1952
Paul Hester, Hudson	1953
J. Edd Crump, Hudson	1954
Grady A. Hamby, Lenoir	1955

W. M. U. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Superintendent	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Associate Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary and Treasurer	Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Young Peoples Leader	Mrs. R. L. Wilson
Mission Study	Mrs. J. A. Baldin
Community Mission	Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Stewardship	Mrs. J. H. Craig
Literature	Mrs. George Icenhour
Librarian	Miss Eller Dickson
Margaret Fund Chairman	Mrs. J. D. Craig

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY AT RIDGECREST

E. E. Stafford	One Year
J. M. Bumgarner	Two Years
G. G. Steele	Three Years

MESSENGER TO BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Will Bolick

MESSENGER TO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Miss Elizabeth Campbell

SUPERINTENDENT OF EVANGELISM

W. F. Woodall

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1951

State Missions	J. L. Silver
Home Missions	D. L. Bumgarner
Foreign Missions	L. A. Thomas
Christian Education	C. M. Abernathy
Orphanage	G. G. Steele
Sunday School	George Hollar
Training Union	Mrs. J. C. Pilkington
Brotherhood	Grady A. Hambey
W. M. U.	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Relief and Annuity	O. R. Mangum
Hospital	J. J. Buckner
Religious Literature	V. W. Roberts
Biblical Recorder	V. W. Roberts
Allied Church League	Edd Crump
Stewardship	C. R. Hinton
Obituaries	H. S. Benfield

NOMINATING COMMITTEE—To nominate officers for 1951-52: J. F. Reese, Chairman; W. L. Jenkins, John E. Carter, W. R. Moss, and W. F. Kerly.

FINANCE COMMITTEE—A. W. Dodge, Chairman; E. C. McCall, D. R. Collins, Paul Wilson and C. R. McFelea.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Clifton Land	Louisville Seminary
Charlie Parsons	Rt. 4, Lenoir
Horace Pitts	Rt. 6, Lenoir
W. C. Harless	Rt. 5, Lenoir

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Jack Coffey	Lenoir Rhyne
Bruce Cresson	Wake Forest
Earl Holman	Wake Forest
Joe Richards	Granite Falls High

MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION

BEAUTIFUL—L. P. Haas, Mrs. L. P. Haas, Mrs. Cecil Chester, Miss Iva Lee Phillips, Claude Gragg.

BETHANY—Conley Cooke, Earl Duncan, Jack Chandler.

BLAIRS FORK—R. M. Isaac, Mrs. R. M. Isaac, Mrs. Doris Andrews, Mrs. R. B. Holsclaw, Sr.

BUFFALO COVE—J. W. Hamlet, J. C. Todd, Joe Cottrell.

CALVARY—George Kincaid, Mrs. Sherman Icenhour, Mrs. Guy Sherrill, Carl Clark, Gladen Adams, Harrison Wattson, Sid Crump.

CEDAR ROCK—C. J. Alms, Mrs. Ervin Holler, Mrs. A. Y. Jackson.

CEDAR GROVE—Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Mrs. C. W. Calvard, Mack Fox.

CENTRAL—J. J. Buckner, Mrs. J. J. Buckner, Andy Pearson, Mrs. Andy Pearson, Melvin Hines.

CLARKS CHAPEL—Mrs. George Craig, Mrs. Mary Craig, Mrs. Walter Craig, Carter Hendrix, Harold Craig.

CLOVER—Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Mrs. Coy Suddreth, Fred Cline, Mrs. Addie Herman.

COLLEGE AVENUE——Joe Crisp, H. W. Chester, Mrs. N. E. Johnson, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. A. H. Wall, Mrs. E. E. Stafford, Miss Billie Winkler, Mrs. Russell Safford, Miss Annie Smith, Mrs. Dallas Holloway, Mrs. Charles Clark, Mrs. J. E. Driver.

CONCORD—George Hollar, Fred Roberts, Mrs. Fred Roberts, Mrs. Will Barlow, Mrs. J. R. Clay.

CONWAYS CHAPEL——Hayden Pittman, Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Mrs. D. D. Braswell.

DUDLEY SHOALS—Fred G. Bowman, O. L. Smith, Charles Lail.

EDGEMONT—William Vines, Mrs. Maude Vines, Mrs. Archie R. Coffey.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—J. S. Silver, Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, Mrs. D. S. Reichard, Mrs. Charles Statten, Mrs. Lem McCall.

GLOBE—Bobby Cook, Z. V. Hollaway, Charles Gragg.

GRANDVIEW PARK—Mrs. Lawrence Sanders, Mrs. Charles Lamkin, Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Mrs. Wayne Coffey.

GRANDIN—Mrs. A. M. Jones, Mrs. E. F. Bentley, Hill C. Lackey.

GRANITE FALLS FIRST—L. T. Schronce, M. A. Mackie, Mrs. Will Bogle, Mrs. Harold Reid, Wade Kincaid.

GREEN ROCK—Roy Wooding, Mrs. Roy Wooding, Mrs. Laney Price.

GREEN VALLEY—Mrs. R. G. Chambers, James Philgaw, Gerald Tolbert.

HARRIS CHAPEL—O. W. Cloer, Mrs. O. W. Cloer, Mrs. Ray Herman, Mrs. Robert Fair, Mrs. Ben Sullivan.

HARTLAND—Mrs. Tom Pruett, Mrs. Boone Mikeal, Sidney McCall, Frank Poarch, Nellis Greene.

JOHN'S RIVER——Russell Coffey, Olene Coffey, Troy Estes.

KINGS CREEK—H. M. Beach, A. G. Beach, Fred Price, V. W. Roberts, J. M. Laxton.

LENOIR FIRST—Dr. J. F. Reece, B. F. Williams, Dr. O. L. Moore, Mrs. J. W. C. McCall, Miss Ella Dickson, Mrs. Grover Triplett, Mrs. C. L. Wilson, Mrs. E. W. Smith, Frank Smith, Sr.

LONG FORD—H. H. Messer, Roy Andrews, George Keyes, Fred Bryant, Mrs. Malcom Bentley, Bruce Clark, Mrs. Bruce Clark.

LOVELADY—B. F. Peeler, Walter Turnmire, Lester Yount, Baine Wallace, Lee Stermer.

LOWER CREEK—J. G. Benfield, J. R. Swanson, G. G. Steele, Ed Beach, J. A. Boldin, Mrs. Lucy Rodwell, Mrs. W. Walter Jones, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. Marion Barlow, Mrs. Carl Thompson.

MAPLE GROVE—Mrs. Lottie Beane, Mrs. Mary Norris, Miss Agnes Coffey.

MILLER HILL—Mrs. Drew Adkins, Mrs. Conard Greene, Mrs. Bill Hollars, Mrs. R. A. Greene.

MT. ZION—Mrs. O. D. Minton, J. M. Bumgarner, Mrs. Clyde Caldwell, Marvin Benfield, Floyd Annas.

MULBERRY—H. C. Bolick, G. H. Edmisten, H. G. Greene.

MOUNTAIN GROVE—Leroy A. Thomas, Mrs. John Hollar, Mrs. J. L. Green, J. E. McCloud.

MULVALE—R. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Neal Curtis, Mrs. Robert Hogue.

NELSON'S CHAPEL—Mrs. Raymond Craig, Mrs. Luther Suddreth, Raymond Craig, Mrs. J. H. Craig.

NEW HOPE—Mrs. Albert Icenhour, Mrs. Albert Suddreth, Mrs. C. P. McGee.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. J. W. Myers, Mrs. Roy Bolick, John Wilson, Ray Yarborough.

PINEY GROVE—Clifton A. Tuttle, Ira Greene, Ellis Frye, Charlie Winkler.

PLEASANT HILL——C. F. Cook, Mrs. Aleck Grier, Mrs. Carrie Cook.

PISGAH———Gordon Crump, Mrs. Bennie McDonald, Mrs. C. A. Coffey, Ambrose Bryant.

POOVEY'S GROVE—J. D. Craig, H. J. Starnes, Mrs. H. J. Starnes, Garland Keller, Cecil Keller, Mrs. J. D. Craig.

POOVEY'S CHAPEL—W. M. Bollinger, Mrs. Alice Hartley, R. T. Hartley, Frank Knight.

RHODHISS—L. V. Connell, Mrs. L. V. Connell, Mrs. D. D. Annas, W. K. Barker, Mrs. W. K. Barker.

ROCKY SPRINGS—M. C. Estes, Mrs. W. P. Spencer, C. F. Annas.

RUFUS—L. L. Nicholas, W. C. Coffey, Mrs. W. C. Coffey.

SARDIS—Mrs. M. Clyde Smith, Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Mrs. C. A. Smith, W. F. Kerley.

TEMPLE MISSIONARY—R. P. Laws, J. E. Summerlin, V. A. Pope, C. S. Wilcox.

TEMPLE HILL—Mrs. L. R. Davis, Mrs. Finley Pennell, Mrs. W. G. Kirby, L. R. Davis.

UNION—Ralph McRary, Mrs. R. M. Teague, Mrs. Bill Triplett, Mrs. James Harless, Will Reid.

UNION GROVE—Mrs. Albert Smith, Thomas Gibson, George Crump, Mike Craig, Burge McCall, Mrs. Brooks Smith.

WHITNEL FIRST—Lester Gregg, Ambrose Singley, Mrs. Ambrose Singley.

WINKLER'S GROVE—Jack Holland, H. F. Winkler, Mrs. A. M. Haskins, Mrs. Jim Hicks.

WEST LENOIR—Russell Moore, Dewey Ward, Mrs. Omie Storie, Mrs. Dewey Ward, Mrs. Frank Coleman.

YADKIN—Mrs. O. F. Pierce, D. R. Collins, Mrs. D. R. Collins, Mrs. A. E. Pierce, D. O. Taylor

YADKIN VALLEY—Ford Baker, Mrs. Ford Baker, Zack Clark, Mrs. Zack Clark, Bill Coffey, Mrs. Bill Coffey.

SETZER CREEK—S. W. Andrews, Mrs. S. W. Andrews, Mrs. Earl Cheek.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

THURSDAY: CONCORD

9:30	Praise and Prayer	Rev. Thomas Sheppard
9:40	Organization, Presentation of Program, Greetings, Host Church	
9:50	Recognition of New Pastors, Visitors; Announcements; Naming of Necessary Committees	
10:05	Report of Associational Missionary	Miss Elizabeth Campbell
10:35	Congregational Singing	
10:40	Sunday School Report	Rev. J. E. Carter
11:05	W.M.U. Report	Mrs. Grover Triplett
11:30	Sermon—POVERTY MEANS WEALTH	Rev. Will Bolick
12:00	Adjournment for Lunch	
1:00	Praise and Prayer	Rev. C. R. Hinton
1:10	Training Union Report	Mr. A. W. Dodge
1:30	Congregational Singing	
1:35	Miscellaneous Business	
1:40	Report on Christian Education	Rev. Paul Hester
	Discussion	Rev. M. H. Kendall
2:10	Report on Evangelism	Rev. W. F. Woodall
	Discussion	Dr. J. C. Canipe
2:40	Report of Statistician	Rev. W. W. Jones
2:55	Report of Treasurer	Mr. Ed Beach
	Budget Committee	
3:10	Religious Literature—Biblical Recorder	Mr. C. C. Huskins
	Discussion	Rev. C. W. Bazemore
3:25	State Missions Report	Rev. J. W. Ramsey
3:30	Home Missions Report	Rev. Robert Frye
3:35	Foreign Missions Report	Mrs. W. W. Jones
3:40	Discussion	Rev. Earl Bradley
4:00	Adjournment	

EVENING SESSION — CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH

7:30 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. L. V. Connell
7:40 Reading of Minutes of Previous Session
7:45 Special Music ..... Concord Choir
7:50 Relief & Annuity Report ..... Rev. Grady H. Hamby
8:00 Report on Hospital ..... Mr. J. M. Laxton
Discussion ..... Dr. W. K. McGee
8:25 Report on Stewardship ..... Rev. R. L. Wilson
8:30 Message ..... Rev. Earl Bradley
9:00 Adjournment

FRIDAY — LONGFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

10:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. H. S. Benfield
10:10 Miscellaneous Business — Announcements — Greetings Host Church
10:15 Orphanage Report ..... Mr. G. G. Steele
Discussion ..... Rev. W. C. Reed
10:45 Baptist Brotherhood ..... Mr. Fred C. Cline
11:00 Report of Following Committees:
Trustees—Ridgecrest Cabin ..... Mr. E. E. Stafford
Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers
Nominating Committee
11:25 Congregational Singing
11:30 Miscellaneous Business—Discussion of Associational Problems
12:00 Adjournment for Lunch.
1:00 Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1:10 Reading of Minutes of Previous Session
1:20 Allied Church League ..... Rev. J. H. Crisp
1:55 Report of Committees:
Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Historian ..... Mr. J. R. Swanson
Time, Place, Preacher .....
Resolutions .....
2:20 Memorials ..... Rev. Fred C. Roberts
2:35 Installation of Officers
2:40 Closing Message ..... Dr. O. R. Mangum
3:00 Adjournment

PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

At 9:30 o'clock on Thursday morning, September 21, 1950, the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association convened in the sixty-sixth annual session with the Concord Baptist Church, Granite Falls, North Carolina.

Following the opening hymn a short devotional was conducted by Thomas Sheppard.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, J. F. Reece, and the program for the two day session was adopted. After the recognition of the visitors, the new pastors of the association were introduced by Miss Elizabeth Campbell. Greetings from the host church were given by Fred C. Roberts, the pastor.

The report for the past year of the associational missionary was given and discussed by Miss Campbell. Following the discussion the report was adopted.

Before the Sunday School report was given, the congregation joined in the singing of a hymn. The Sunday School report given by John E. Carter is as follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Our Associational Sunday School organization held three meetings, having conferences and inspiration; these meetings were held: January—Calvary, April—Yadkin, and July—Concord. The executive council planned for a team training program for December 2 which was well attended, after which the teams visited in 28 of our churches holding church planning conferences. Also we had a very helpful Vacation Bible School Clinic, being fortunate in having the State workers with us for the Clinic.

There was an approximate 4% enrollment gain within our church Sunday schools and in addition there are three mission schools. We had a Vacation Bible School in each of our 57 churches, 3 mission schools, and 1 or possibly 2 negro schools, with an enrollment of 4,578 and an average attendance of 3,905. Many of our churches had a January week of Bible Study. We wish to thank Miss Campbell, our Associational Missionary, for her tireless efforts in promoting our Sunday school work. Also we say thank you to each of our Associational officers and conference leaders, to the teams who went into the churches in December, and to all the volunteer help who responded so graciously for Bible School work outside your own church this summer. We also thank the Pastors, Superintendents, Officers, and Teachers. We must go on.

Respectively submitted,
John E. Carter, Superintendent

After the discussion of the Sunday School work by Mrs. C. R. Hinton, the report was adopted. The following committees were then named and asked to report before the end of the two day session:

Time, Place and Preacher—H. S. Benfield, Maynard Bumgarner, D. R. Collins.

Resolutions—B. F. Williams, J. M. Laxton, Thomas Sheppard.

Petitionary Letters—W. W. Jones, L. V. Connell, D. L. Bumgarner.

A complete report of the W. M. U. work appears elsewhere in these minutes. The following brief report given by Mrs. Grover B. Triplett was adopted:

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

"Laborers together with God" 1 Cor. 3-9

Our Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union is steadily growing in numbers and organizations. On December 31, 1949, we had 31 Missionary Societies, 76 Young Peoples Organizations in 17 Churches, 6 New Woman's Missionary Societies organized in 1949, 1 Grade A Society and 8 Full Graded Unions. Our annual meeting held at Granit Falls First, was well attended. We are thankful for each one that has a part in World Wide witnessing for Christ through our Woman's Missionary Union. What a glorious privilege is ours to work with our Pastors, and in the entire program of our church. Isn't it wonderful to be entrusted by Christ with the Greatest Story ever told?

Our goal by 1953 (our fortieth anniversary year) is to have at least 3 full graded A-1 Unions, 15 new societies, with at least one young peoples organization where there is a Woman's Missionary Society.

Tomorrow begins today. I hope as we review the past year's work we will gain renewed inspiration, and an enlarged vision to work, pray, give, study and live, that God's work will continue to grow in our county, our state and all around the world.

My prayer is our 1950 Watchword. "To shine upon them that sit in darkness and the shadow of death: to guide our feet into the way of peace" Luke 1-69.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Grover Triplett

The discussion of the W. M. U. work was led by Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. George Icenhour and Mrs. L. M. Abernathy.

Because the program for this morning was well ahead of schedule, the statistician's report was given by W. W. Jones. Complete statistics are given in detail in the tables included in these minutes and a few interesting comparisons discussed by Mr. Jones are given below:

AN INTERESTING GROWTH PICTURE OF OUR ASSOCIATION

	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Churches	50	55	56	56	57	58
Ch. Members	10,078	10,725	11,245	11,722	12,144	14,987
Baptisms	643	555	624	638	706	761
S. S. Enrollment	7,863	8,881	9,354	9,954	11,794	12,114
B.T.U. Enrollment	1,413	1,982	2,185	2,384	2,791	3,091
W.M.U. Enrollment	722	951	1,155	1,453	1,604	1,828
Pastor's Salary	44,677.57	58,744.10	68,671.00	85,453.53	91,016.33	90,963.76
Gifts to Missions	27,831.07	49,464.84	32,872.69	46,101.98	47,022.54	61,624.16
Total Gifts	169,179.50	217,394.48	268,762.21	335,203.02	409,892.43	416,383.49

W. Walter Jones, Statistician

After the distribution of a mimeographed report of the statistician and its discussion the report was adopted. A short but very interesting talk was made by Mr. Phil Elliott of Gardner-Webb College. A motion was then made that the association express by a standing vote its appreciation to Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Blankenship for their work with the association. Rev. Blankenship, who was formerly the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lenoir, is now awaiting transportation for the return of himself and family to the mission fields of Brazil.

The annual sermon was given by Rev. Will Bolick. Rev. Bolick used for his theme "Poverty Means Wealth." After the sermon the meeting adjourned for a most delicious lunch served by Concord Baptist Church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Following the singing of a hymn the devotional was conducted by Rev. C. R. Hinton. Mr. A. W. Dodge gave the training union report which follows in its adopted form:

TRAINING UNION REPORT

During the past year our Associational Training Union held one mass meeting in December at the Rhodhiss Church with approximately 135 in attendance. A second mass meeting planned for early summer 1950 was not held because of certain conditions which prevented proper planning.

During April the Training Union held a central training school at the Lenoir First Church with approximately 750 enrolled and with some 400 awards given.

There was one new union organized during the year at Calvary Baptist Church of Lenoir and the organization of this union was complete in that all departments were represented. This training union is still functioning in fine shape.

There were approximately 115 of our Caldwell members who took advantage of the Training Union weeks at Ridgecrest during the summer of 1950.

Miss Hilda Beane, our secretary for several years, left the Association in September to enter Southwestern Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas, for preparation for full time Christian work. Miss Inez Moss, a very faithful Associational worker, has also entered school at Berea, Kentucky, preparatory to going into full time Christian work. Miss Pearl Keller, our Associational Training Union Director, married and moved to Belmont in September.

Respectfully submitted,
Alfred W. Dodge, Associate Director

After the singing of "I Am Thine, O Lord," the following report was given and a motion duly seconded and passed. High View Baptist Church and Setzer Creek Baptist Church were received into the Association:

PETITIONARY LETTERS COMMITTEE

Your committee has conferred with representatives of High View Baptist Church, Mt. Herman Road, and find that they were properly organized on January 29, 1950, with 47 charter members.

Ministers present at the organization were Rev. Paul Hester, Charlie Cook, E. D. Crump, R. A. Frye, R. L. Wilson, L. W. Teague, and W. F. Woodall.

Their pastor, J. W. Greer, states that it is the desire of the pastor and church to support the whole Baptist program.

They are represented by their pastor, J. W. Greer, Mr. W. R. Bumgarner and Mr. H. M. McLean.

We recommend that this church be accepted as a member of this association and that their messengers be seated in this session.

Your committee on the basis of the report of Setzer's Creek Baptist Church recommend that this church be accepted into full fellowship of this association and that their pastor Rev. Clell Cook and their messengers be seated in this session of the Caldwell Association.

W. Walter Jones
D. L. Bumgarner
L. V. Connell

Upon motion the following statement by Rev. John E. Carter was ordered to be inserted in the minutes:

"In appreciation: As you know, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our associational missionary, underwent a major operation in the spring of this year. She was granted a six weeks leave of absence in which to recuperate. While she was yet in the hospital several conferred with her about our work. She was hardly back at home until she was busy with office work and correspondence. The result of her thus giving self so unselfishly, in spite of her physical condition is seen in part by the marvelous accomplishments shown in the various reports. We shall ever be indebted to Miss Campbell and this is to say to her again, though all too inadequately, thank you. We thank God you are one of us."

The report on Christian education as given by Paul Hester is as follows:

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We are debtors it is true. In the beginning of life we entered upon the labors of ages. There is not a philosopher who has not thought for us, not a martyr for truth nor a defender of human rights who has not bled for us. The past has indeed bequeathed us a holy inheritance. What we are and what we know largely depends upon this wealth. We cannot depend on the past. The labors of our fathers were good and well but past blessings will not suffice the hour. They will not suffice in a day and age when one of the chief sinister forces is secularism, when men and women are so preoccupied with pleasures and other pursuits of life that they disregard spiritual influences of the church and its program for life. Therefore, it behooves us to catch the spirit that the church had in early days when the vision of the white harvest fields of human life caused the early disciples to go everywhere preaching and teaching the word and in a single generation made men messengers of Christ from the pillars of Hercules to the gates of India.

We must give to our generation and day our very best. I feel that our greatest opportunity is in the field of christian education. Our Baptist schools and colleges in the state have done much in the realm of christian education, and they deserve our continued prayers and support. However, since most of our boys and girls are not enrolled in Baptist schools the greatest teaching and training opportunity is in the home and the church. The church as a necessary center of christian education is becoming more apparent each day. Our greatest challenge is to reach those that need this training with concentrated christian teachers. Many of the churches of our association have been making physical arrangements during the past few years so they could take care of this great program.

With our christian educators, leaders, teachers, ministers and our churches, Baptist hosts should unite in one common purpose—that of teaching all people the Christ Way of Life.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul G. Hester

After a discussion led by M. H. Kendall, of Mars Hill College, the above report was adopted. W. F. Woodall gave his report on Evangelism which was discussed by Dr. J. C. Canipe. The report follows in its adopted form.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

The Fires of Evangelism have been burning a bit brighter this year. From the 55 Baptist Churches reporting, we learn that a total of 88 Revival Meetings were held. This is 12 more than was reported last year. Only one Church failed to have a series of Revival Services. Further we learn that a total of 761 Baptisms were reported. This is 55 more than the previous year. Only three churches reported no baptisms.

While the Fires of Evangelism have been burning a bit brighter this year, they need to burn brighter and brighter. The population of Caldwell County is approximately 40,000. The resident membership of the Baptist Churches of the county is approximately 10,000. If the combined membership of all the other churches numbers 10,000, which is no doubt a very liberal estimate, it means that there are about 20,000 lost people in our county.

We plan for the Fires of Evangelism to burn brighter. Caldwell County Baptists will co-operate in the Simultaneous Evangelistic Crusade for all churches East of the Mississippi River, beginning next March 25th. The Steering Committee has already been set up. Eighteen pastors recently indicated they intended to lead their churchs to co-operate in this campaign.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Woodall, Chairman

The reports of the Treasurer and the Budget Committee were given by E. D. Beach. After a brief discussion both reports were adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance September 14, 1949		$ 236.02
RECEIPTS		
Pledges	$2,517.72	
Baptist State Convention	750.00	
B.T.U. Central School—Books	112.28	
1949 Minutes	175.35	
1950 Minutes	197.60	
Baptist Simultaneous Revival	25.65	
Miscellaneous Receipts	189.43	3,968.03
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance		$4,204.05
DISBURSEMENTS		
Miss Campbell—Salary—Net	$2,203.60	
Travel—Miss Campbell	400 03	
Pastors School	72.15	
Collector of Internal Revenue	202.20	
Printing Minutes	317 00	
Pictures—For Minutes	2.50	
Sunday School Expenses	16.47	
Postage and Printing	120 18	
Calendar of Activities	60.00	
Training Union Expenses	94 21	
Sunday School—Ridgecrest	15.00	
Salaries—Vacation Bible School	270.00	
Training Union—Books	119.98	3894.22
Cash Balance September 21, 1950		$ 309.83

BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Budget Committee recommends the adoption of the following budget for the associational year 1950-51:

1. Clerk	$ 50.00
2. Sunday School	100.00
3. Training Union	130.00
4. W. M. U.	50.00
5. Deacon's School	75.00
6. Bible School	50.00
7. Pastors' School	100.00
8. Ridgecrest	150.00
9. Postage, Printing, etc.	250.00
10. Associational Worker—Travel	450.00
11. Associational Worker—Salary	2,400.00
12. Associational Worker—Convention Expense	100.00
13. Associational Worker—Retirement	100.00
Total	$4,005.00

In view of the fact that there have been times when there was not sufficient funds on hand to meet our obligations, it is suggested that each church set as its goal for the coming associational year $.50 per resident church member. This is to build up a much needed surplus in our treasury. It is further recommended that each church pay for the number of minutes they desire at the rate of $.35 per copy.

Respectfully submitted,
E. D. Beach, Treasurer
Chairman of Finance Committee.

No report on religious literature was given but a discussion of the subject was led by Rev. C. W. Bazemore. Reports were then given on State, Home, and Foreign Missions. After a brief discussion by Rev. Earl Bradley the reports were adopted and the meeting was adjourned until the night session. The reports appear in their adopted form:

STATE MISSIONS

STATE MISSIONS' objective is to make North Carolina Christian. But we cannot say that it is Christian altogether, when there is so much sin abroad such as drinking, gambling and killing even in our very own Association. Besides nearly a million souls lost and thousands unenlisted in our state.

In order to reach this objective, STATE MISSIONS is engaged in various activities. They include helping weak churches, supporting pastors, help support Associational missionaries and assisting in associational teaching and training program through the Sunday School, B. T. U., W. M. U., Brotherhood and B. S. U.'s in our colleges.

It also provides help for soldiers in camp and supports work among Negroes and Indians. STATE MISSIONS also selects proper places for new churches and help in purchasing of lots for the building of churches.

This work is supported by our giving to the Co-operative Program and special offerings on STATE MISSIONS DAY. LET US DO OUR BEST FOR STATE MISSIONS.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. J. W. Ramsey

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

The annual report of the Home Missions Board of 1949 magnifies the fruits of evangelism. In simultaneous Avangelistic Crusades, led by the three workers in the Department of Evangelism of the Home Mission Board 7,780 baptisms were reported with 11,875 additions to the Churches participating in crusades personally directed by staff members. The year of evangelism reported by Southern Baptists brings joy to all Southern Baptists.

During the year the reports showed 165 new Churches constituted and 577 new missions opened. Most of the new missions will grow into churches. Thus from year to year the number of new Churches constituted will grow as emphasis is given to the establishment of missions.

A total of 779 regular missionaries served the Home Mission Board during the year and 251 summer student workers gave ten weeks of mission service, making a grand total of 1,030 workers.

At its last annual meeting the Home Mission Board launched a five-year Crusade in response to the need revealed by a survey of the fields and the necessity for strengthening and sustaining the home base for a great world-wide mission program.

The needed strength will come from three sources: more members, more Churches, and more effective witnessing.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert A. Frye

FOREIGN MISSIONS

1950's total of 83 new appointees through July brings our total foreign force to 764 active missionaries and 14 contract workers.

The closing of Communist-dominated lands has led to Southern Baptist pioneering in new Oriental fields—Formosa, India, Indonesia, Thailand, and the Philippines. With our first missionaries appointed to Ecuador and Venezuela, Southern Baptsts rejoice that only Peru and the Guianas in South America await any Southern Baptist witness. With 5 new missionaries sent to Arabia, added attention is centering on the Moslem world.

When the Southern Baptist Relief Center closed in February, over five million pounds of goods had been sent overseas, while total cash gifts has passed $1,279,000. We continue cooperating with efforts to relocate helpless Displaced Persons of Europe.

Despite war clouds lowering over the world, heartening news of ADVANCE pours in. The Centennial of our African mission work revealed glorious growth. "At the end of 50 years in Nigeria, Baptists had only 350 converts; at the close of the next fifty, there are 25.000."

The opening of the International Seminary in Zurich, Switzerland, is providing highest theological training without danger of weaning its 30 students from their own needy countries.

Spain, with government ban enforced against evangelistic "propaganda, education, and proselytizing," still showed a percentage of increase in Baptist church membership exceeding that in the United States!

In China, Baptist work is continuing, and will go on though all missionaries may have to be withdrawn. Opportunities in Japan are unlimited.

Since " 'Time is the essence' now as man could never say at any previous time, except before the flood, perhaps", and since today it is "Christ or unutterable chaos", let us strive mightily in the months immediately ahead to implement our Advance program through greater giving to the Cooperative Program as well as through prevailing prayer for workers and a peaceful world wherein they may harvest for our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Lucia Rodwell Jones

After the singing of a hymn and a short devotional conducted by L. V. Connell, special music was given by the choir of the Concord Baptist Church. Rev. Grady A. Hamby gave a report and led the discussion on Relief and Annuity. The report as adopted is as follows:

RELIEF AND ANNUITY

We give a brief statement released by the Relief and Annuity Board, as of September 1, showing just what is being done in North Carolina through our retirement funds and the relief funds, both of which are administered by the Relief and Annuity Board:

(Old) Annuity Fund
No. Paying Members 61

	No. of Beneficiaries	Receiving Annually	Totals
Annuitants: Age	49	$21,362.22	$
Disability	24	11,755.00	
Widows	44	12,638.64	
Orphans	1	300.00	46,055.86
Ministers Retirement Plan			
Certificates Issued 807			
Churches Co-operating 800			
Annuitants: Age	54	26,370.41	
Disability	8	3,109.84	
Widows	14	3,523.58	33,003.83
Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan (A)			
Certificates Issued 270			
Annuitants	0	0	0
Baptist Boards Employees Retirement Plan			
No. Paying Members 59			
Annuitants	0	0	0
Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan (B)			
No. Paying Members 6			
Annuitants	0	0	0
Ed. Inst. Empl. Ret. Plan			
Certificates Issued 87			
Service Annuity Plan			
No. Paying Members 1			
Annuitants: Age	1	58.20	
Disability	1	405.12	463.32
Orphanage Institutions Pension Plan			
Certificates Issued 251			
Annuitant: Age	19	6,726.56	
Widows	1	900.00	7,626.56
Relief Department			
Beneficiaries: Ministers	68	11,356.00	
Widows	75	8,076.00	19,432.00
Grand Total	359		$106,581.57

Respectifully submitted,
Grady A. Hamby

The report on the Hospital was given and after a discussion led by Dr W. K. McGee the report was adopted:

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital has become a haven of hope for thousands of sick persons each year throughout North Carolina. It provides the highest type of medical service for the sick of all classes. It is our means of carrying on the healing ministry of Jesus.

Last year 9,700 patients were cared for in the Hospital and 90,000 visits were made to the clinics for examinations and treatments. About half of these were persons with little or no money; they were provided free professional care by the doctors, and were given additional financial assistance with the cost of the service they received.

This free service was provided largely by our Mother's Day offerings which amounted to $128,900.00. Other assistance came from various health and welfare agencies, the Duke Endowment, and individual gifts. All this added together enabled the Hospital to provide free service amounting to $312,500.00, in addition to the work of the doctors. And yet, many could not be given as much financial assistance as they needed because of the fact that the Hospital did not have sufficient funds.

You will be interested to know that in 1949 there were 466 visits from Caldwell County to the service clinics of our hospital with 39 bed patients being cared for in the Hospital. The total cost for caring for these bed patients was $5,148.00 of which $3,142.28 was free service for which the patients were unable to pay.

We are happy to report that at this date the Mother's Day offerings this year are running ahead of those last year. Offerings from the churches of the Caldwell Association received thus far this year amount to $2,431.11 as compared with $2,311.44 for the year 1949. Also the reports from the special offerings to raise $700,000.00 toward the building of the new South Wing to the Hospital are most encouraging. It looks now as if the full amount will be raised when all the churches have made their final offerings and sent in the money. The 1950 new beds this enlargement will provide will relieve the great shortage and enable the Hospital to admit the sick more promptly.

The School of Nursing is admitting one of the largeest classes in its history and it looks as if it will be one of the best. It has applications from far more than it can accommodate. The Medical School likewise has had one of its best years.

The Department of Religion is growing and becoming more effective as a part of the life and work of the Hospital. Through the generous support of a friend another Chaplain is being added to the staff. The Department of Religion seeks through its ministry to help make the Baptist Hospital a genuinely Christian institution of healing and teaching.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. Laxton
Hospital Representative

Rev. R. L. Wilson gave the report on stewardship and Rev. Earl Bradley led the discussion. After the adoption of the report the meeting adjourned until Friday morning.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Paul said, "Ye are not your own, for ye are bought with a price; therefore Glorify God in your body and in your spirit, for ye are God's." 1 Cor. 19:20. Two things in this verse we cannot fail to see. First, we are created by God; second, we have been bought with the price of Jesus own precious blood! This, whether I like it or not, makes me a steward accountable to God himself. Christian stewardship has been defined as, "The systematic giving of time, abilities and material possessions based on the conviction that these are a trust from God to be used in His service for the benefit of all mankind."

Such a definition, if accepted and practiced would transform our people, our churches and soon the world. The need of our world today makes stewardship the most important Christian doctrine and the most imperative emphasis in life. The sadism of war repeatedly descends upon man primarily because he refuses to practice the stewardship of Jesus. How can we practice the stewardship of Jesus? Not by paying the tithe and refusing the Lord access to the nine tenths, nor by a false spirituality that would detour around any mention of money in our worship and service, but by consciously serving the Lord from the lining of our billfolds to the furtherest reaches of our influence.

The stewardship of Jesus is concerned not only with the disposition of what we have, but also with the method by which we get what we have. In other words, it is as great a sin to be dishonest with man in making money as it is to be dishonest with God in giving money. However, we do well to keep ourselves straight on tithing. Tithing is taught in the Bible. It is taught primarily as a legal requirement in the Old Testament. In Matt. 23:23 Jesus said, "These ye aught to have done" (talking about tithing) "but not to have left the other undone." We are not to substitute tithing for something more important nor are we to ignore tithing as being unimportant. In giving, tithing is a point of beginning for the Christian. We are to go beyond tithing as far as our love for Christ goes beyond the legal requirements of law.

There is no plan that will induce a man to give freely of his money that doesn't first of all get the man. The Bible plan gets the man first It got Abraham (Gen. 14-24); it got Jacob (Gen. 28-20-22); it got the first Christians (Acts 4:32). This is absolutely essential, for without the compelling power of high obligation, any and all plans will ultimately fail. The Bible plan is based upon two fundamental stewardship principles; the ownership of God and the stewardship of man. These are rock bottom principles in Kingdom finance.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. Wilson

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The Friday morning session opened with the singing of a hymn and the devotional conducted by H. S. Benfield. Following this a motion was made and duly passed that the 1950 minutes be dedicated to H. M. Beach of the Kings Creek Church. After miscellaneous announcements, G. G. Steele gave his report on the orphanage. Mr. W. A. Smith led the discussion of this report which was adopted.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

Last year was another good year from our Orphanages. They cared for 781 children. Their health was excellent and they did remarkably well in school.

Fourteen graduated from Mills Home and five from Kennedy Home. Good work was also done along spiritual lines, seventy having joined the Church and being baptized.

In our churches and institutions, we are constantly called upon to give up good pastors and workers, but the work goes on. Dr. Zeno Wall retired, and Bro. W. C. Reed, former Superintendent of Kennedy Home, was elected General Superintendent. Mr. W. A. Smith of Boone was chosen to superintend Kennedy Home. Mr. Riman Muth was elected for our new Treasurer, to succeed Mr. J. D. Fraley, who resigned. Mr. J. Morse Grant was again elected editor of Charity and Children, and has for his goal 50,000 copies of this valuable paper going out weekly into the homes and churches of our people.

Our biggest and brightest days are ahead of us for our Orphanage. Let us continue to pray for our Orphanage and give regularly and generously to it, and thus help carry on the great work being done at both of our homes.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele
Orphanage Representative

Greetings from Longford Church were given by the pastor, Rev. Homer H. Messer. A report on the Brotherhood was given by Fred Cline and discussed by Horace Easom. The report was adopted after the discussion.

BAPTIST BROTHEROOD REPORT

The Brotherhood majors in four areas of Christian endeavor:

EVANGELISM—Consecrated laymen witnessing for Christ everywhere and every occasion.

MAN AND BOY MOVEMENT—A man will take a boy off the streets and put him under the influence of the teaching of God's word in a Sunday School Class.

TE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM—When every Southern Baptist becomes a tither, and when our offerings are divided fifty-fifty, one-half for current expense of the church and one-half through the Co-operative Program—Southern Baptists will be in a position to carry the gospel of our Lord to the uttermost part of the earth.

CHURCH ADVERTISING—Prepare effective and readable news stories covering the activities of the church and of the organizations within the Church.

We now have in the Caldwell Association 7 Brotherhoods listed. With the coming of Mr. Horace Easom as Foundation and Brotherhood Secretary of North Carolina, we trust that this phase of our work will greatly increase. May we in the Caldwell Association be challenged to lead men into this great program that will inform, inspire, and influence the whole church life.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Cline

The Ridgecrest Cabin Committee's report was given by E. E. Stafford. A statement of the receipts and disbursements as given by Mr. Stafford is as follows:

RIDGECREST CABIN FUND

Cash in Bank September 1, 1949		$205.07
Receipts		
Rents received		305.38
Total Receips and Beginning Balance		$510.45
Disbursements		
Power and Lights	$35.67	
Water and Fuel	26.56	
Water Heater	34.48	
Linoleum for Kitchen	12.98	
Miscellaneous Expenses	15.25	124.94
Cash in Bank August 31, 1950		$385.51

After the adoption of the Ridgecrest Cabin report, W. F. Woodall gave the following report on the Constitution of Churches and the Ordination of Ministers:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

The Committee during the year refused to recommend the ordination of two men to the Gospel Ministry on the grounds that neither had been called to serve as pastor of a church.

The Committee agreed to recommend the constitution of Baton Baptist Mission into a Baptist Church, provided they locate a distance of not less than ½ mile from the Mountain Grove Baptist Church. As yet they have not met this condition.

On request the Committee made a study of the Organization of High View Baptist Church near Hudson. This institution has existed since 1942. We, being unable to find records showing that the church had been duly organized and constituted as a Baptist Church recommended reorganization. This was accepted by the church and under the leadership of the committee and other pastors was done January 29, 1950.

Upon request the committee investigated the organization of the Cottrell Hill Church and finding evidence of it having been properly organized placed their approval on it.

On September the eleventh 1950, the committee met to hear a request for the organization of a church on the Hickory Highway between Central and Sardis Churches. We recommended that a Mission point be established and sponsored by either the Sardis or Central Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Woodall, Chairman

Following the adoption of the above report, the report of the nominating committee was given by W. F. Woodall. Following a short discussion of the committee's recommendations, the report was adopted. A complete list of the officers elected for the year 1950-51 as recommended by the nominating committee is shown in the directory of these minutes. Following comments by some of the newly elected officers, Dr . J. F. Reece, retiring moderator, expressed his appreciation for the co-operation and loyal support given him during his term of office. On motion made and seconded a standing vote of thanks was given to all retiring officers for the services they had rendered the Association. The meeting was then adjourned for lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Following a hymn and the devotional conducted by Clifton Tuttle, J. H. Crisp gave a report on the Allied Church League. The report in its adopted form is as follows:

ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE

Since March 1, 1948, forty-three counties have abolished the sale of both beer and wine, two have voted to retain it, nine counties have petitions filed for an election. The brewers are advertising thier products in such a way as to deceive people, by trying to make it look attractive. We should do all we can to show them the evil and the destructivneess of it. Also as Christians we should not patronize any place of business that sells beer, wine, or liquor. We must be against the very appearance of evil, and as we are putting up the fight to law it out of our counties and state, I believe we should deal with it in our churches as well. We have members in some of our churches that sell intoxicating drinks, also members that drink them. Our Church Covenant states, "That we will abstain from the sale and use of alcohol as a beverage." In order that God may bless our efforts we need to set our houses in order, and as strong drink is affecting the morals of our people, and especially the youth of our land perhaps we would do well to warn them of some of the other evils that are also doing the same thing, namely, dancing, which has become to be very popular among the youth, instead of building morals will lower the morals of our people, also gambling and Sabbath desecration. "Therefore, come out from among them and be ye separate saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean things, and I will receive you." 2 Cor. 6-17.

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. Crisp.

The report of the Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund presented at this time is as follows:

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund, established in September, 1943, for the purpose of aiding worthy young people in their preparation for full time Christian service has been slowly but steadily growing. Let's keep it growing and encourage our young people, who are dedicating their lives to the work of Christ, by letting them know that this help is available.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance in Bank September 16, 1949	$1,035.04
Receipts	
April 14, 1950 Associational W. M. U.	27.15
Total	$1,062.19
Disbursements	
None	none
Balance in Bank September 22, 1950	$1,062.19

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin

After the adoption of the above report the report of the committee on time, place and preacher was presented and adopted.

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

The next annual meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association will be held on September 20th and 21st at Calvary Baptist Church the first day and at Winklers Grove Baptist Church the second day. Rev. Paul Hester will preach the sermon with Rev. W. R. Moss as alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Benfield
Maynard Bumgarner
D. R. Collins

The report of the resolutions committee was given by B. F. Williams. It is as follows:

RESOLUTIONS
YOUR COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS WISHES TO SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS

1. That we express our sincerest thanks to both the Concord and Longford Churches for their fine hospitality and bountiful dinners.
2. That we congratulate the pastor of Concord Church and his people on the completion of their beautiful Church building which they have dedicated to God.
3. That we express our gratitude to all the Committees who have done so much to make our programs successful.
4. That we express to the retiring officers of our Association our deepest appreciation for their untiring efforts in promoting the Kingdom's work.
5. That we express our thanks to the visitors representing the various agencies of our Convention who have participated in the program.
6. That we express our gratitude to the presiding officers for the prompt dispatch of the business of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
B. F. Williams
T. A. Sheppard
J. M. Laxton

After the adoption of the resolution the portion of the program given to memorials was conducted by Fred C. Roberts. A list of the honored dead was read and a short devotional conducted. A list of these names and the churches to which they belonged is given in these minutes.

The historian's report given by Greene B. Thompson is as follows:

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.

Concord Baptist Church joint host with the Longford Baptist Church, for the sixty-sixth annual session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized May 17, 1908, with the following ordained ministers as a presbytery: G. C. Ivery, A. P. Bumgarner, and C. M. Robinson. The church was organized with twenty-five (25) charter members, and called Rev. G. C. Ivery as the first pastor. Since Brother Ivery, the following have served as pastors: C. M. Ervin, J. K. Fox, J. M. Shaver, T. E. Payne, W. E. Bost, Waldo Early, S. A. Stroup, and the present pastor, Fred C. Roberts.

The following have served as clerks: W. R. Beach, Miss Carrie Clay, S. C. Bryant, A. A. Clay, G. J. Miller, Mrs. R. G. Teague, E. E. Roberts, Mrs. Harvey Travis, Miss Hilda Bean, and the present clerk, Wayne Munday.

The church had once-a-month preaching until 1920, when they went on full-time work. The Caldwell Baptist Association last met with Concord in 1924.

The church met in a rented building and temporary quarters until 1926, when a nice house of worship was erected. On July 4, 1949, work was started on renovating the auditorium and erecting an educational building. The first services were held in the new buildings on Christmas Day, 1949.

The present beautiful auditorium will seat approximately four hundred (400) people and the educational building will care for about five hundred (500). The church has about three hundred eighty-three (383) members, a strong Sunday School, and five (5) Training Unions Under the able leadership of Brother Roberts, we see a great and glorious future for this church.

LONGFORD BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR, NORTH CAROLINA

Longford Baptist Church, joint host with Concord Baptist Church, for the sixty-sixth annual session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was originally organized on August 5, 1934, as Hartley Hill Baptist Church, in the school building of that name, with twenty (20) charter members. Rev. G. W. Sebastain and deacons George Kincaid and Harrison Watson acted as presbytery. They called on J. R. Swanson to act as temporary clerk and to advise on parliamentary procedure.

Rev. G. W. Sebastian was called as first pastor, and since then, the following have served as pastors, some for more than one period: W. W. Lyons, A. W. Eller, L. E. Snipes, S. M. Stroup, and the present pastor, Homer H. Messer.

A. C. Teague was elected first clerk and since then, the following have also served: Earl Pendergrass, Harrison Watson, W. L. Tuttle, Fred Pearson, A. A. Watson, Ted Hawkins, and the present clerk, Bruce Clark.

In 1936, a very convenient lot was secured and a nice frame house of worship was built, with facilities for six (6) Sunday School rooms. After moving to this new home in September, 1936, by action of the church in conference, the name was changed to Longford Baptist Church.

The church had twice a month preaching until September, 1947, when they went to full time services.

Early in 1950, work was started on a pastor's home, which is now completed and occupied by the pastor. During the construction of this home, the church suffered a severe loss in the untimely death of Brother Ted Hawkins. He met death in an automobile wreck while on a mission of securing material for the building. We bow in humble submission to the will of the Father. We only ask that He will lay His hand on some young person and call him to take up the torch so ably carried by Brother Hawkins.

The church has two hundred forty-eight (248) members, an active Sunday School, and a very strong Training Union. She has just completed a marvelously successful year's work, and under the capable leadership of Brother Messer, is confidently looking forward to greater things in the Lord's service.

Respectfully submitted,
Greene B. Thompson,
Assistant Historian

The historian's report and the appointment of standing committees to report for 1950-51, as shown in these minutes, were adopted. After this the meeting engaged in a session of prayer for peace and especially for the boys of our churches who are serving in Korea.

Dr. O. R. Mangum gave a very interesting closing message on the "Glory of the Church." The Association was then adjourned.

CONSTITUTION FOR THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. — Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be appointed by this Association Committee in time for these appointments to be included in the Minutes of the Association just held.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a Finance Committee appointed from the Association Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene at 10:00 a. m. on Thursday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary Letters.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. The annual compensation of the clerk shall be $50.00.
8. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
9. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

RESOLUTION ON ORDINATION OF PREACHERS

Disclaiming any desire to interfere with the independence of the local churcnes or to insist that the candidate for ordination be a graduate of some college or seminary and feeling that some effort should be made on the part of the Association to secure uniformity of procedure, to include clearness of Christian experience, evidence of unimpeachable character, evidence of unmistakable call to the ministry, and to encourage as complete preparation as circumstances will permit, satisfactory knowledge of the Bible, church history and doctrines, and believing that a pastor should be ordained in such a way as to provide adequate denomination recognition; therefore, be it resolved:

1. That the local church is the proper ordaining body.
2. If a person is to be recognized as a minister by the denomination he should be ordained only on the advice and concurrence of other churches.
3. This advice and recognition should come from the churches of the association.
4. That an advisory committee of pastors on ordination consisting of five members be elected annually.

RESOLUTION ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Whereas, there has been some dissatisfaction and misunderstanding in the association regarding the constitution of churches, therefore, be it resolved.

I. That any group of Baptists within the confines of the Caldwell Baptist Association, contemplating membership in said association shall first have the approval of the association.

II. That a committee of pastors be elected annually to represent the association in this matter.

III. That this committee approve the constitution of a church only when in its judgment there exists a real need, and when in its wisdom such organization will be in keeping with the best interests of the Cause of the Master.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM

THEME: "ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD"

10:00 — Moments of Worship ..... Granite Falls 1st. W. M. S.
Hymn: "Christ For The World We Sing."
Devotional Thoughts: "This Work Is The Lord's."
Special Music: "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee."
Prayer: Including Those On Calendar Of Prayer.

10:20 — BUSINESS:
Welcome ..... Mrs. Will Bogle
Response ..... Mrs. Andrew Triplett
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees
Roll Call Of Churches
Recognition of A-1 Woman's Missionary Societies

10:35 — "THE WORK IS GREAT":
Associational Superintendent ..... Mrs. Grover Triplett
Associational Young People's Leader ..... Mrs. R. L. Wilson

11:05 — ABOUNDING IN THE GRACE OF GIVING Mrs. J. H. Craig

11:15 — CO-OPERATING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD
Miss Ruth Provence
11:35 — Hymn "We've A Story To Tell To The Nations."
Announcements.
W. M. U. Summer Camps ..... Miss Ruth Provence
11:50 — THE WORK OF THE LORD IN CHINA ..... Miss Lydia Greene
PRAYER ..... Mrs. W. W. Jones
LUNCH 12:30 - 1:30
1:30 — Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us."
SCRIPTURE: ..... Young People, Kings Creek
SEASON OF PRAYER: Mrs. R. L. Wilson
1:40 — Abounding In:
THE STUDY OF MISSIONS ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Mrs. Geo. Icenhour
FAITHFUL WITNESSING ..... Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
2:10 — THE WORK OF WINNING THE LOST ..... Rev. Fred Roberts
2:25 — PREPARATION FOR THE WORK OF THE LORD:
Mrs. J. D. Craig
2:35 — Hymn: "O Zion Haste"
2:40 — Reports of Committees:
Appreciation
Time and Place
Nominating
Election of Officers
Dedicatory Prayer
3:00 — CLOSING THOUGHTS:
"YOUR LABOR IS NOT IN VAIN IN THE LORD."
Mrs. E. C. James
PRAYER

Nominating Committee to report for 1951
Mrs. Marion Barlow
Mrs. Andrew Triplett
Mrs. Dewey Annas
Mrs. John Quinn

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the W. M. U. of this Church for the privilege of holding our meeting in this beautiful and worshipful building, and for every courtesy they have shown us today.

We are thankful to our Father for Miss Ruth Provence, N. C. W. M. U. Executive Secretary and Miss Lydia E. Greene, Missionary to China, for their urgent and challenging messages; to Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our Associational Missionary, who can be with us today olny in spirit due to illness; to Mrs. Grover Triplett, our Superintendent, to Mrs. R. L. Wilson our Young People's Leader, and all other officers and Committees serving so well and to each one on program today we owe a debt of gratitude.

To these and all others for all you have done and are doing through your prayers, your gifts and your personality, as you are "Abounding in the work of the Lord" in our Association and to the end of the earth, we wish to say, Thank You.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. E. W. Smith
Mrs. W. F. Woodall
Mrs. E. L. Steele, Jr.

REPORT OF THE TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

We the Time and Place Committee have an invitation to Kings Creek Baptist Church for our meeting in 1951. The time will be set at the office in Raleigh.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. R. L. Wilson
Mrs. L. V. Connell
Mrs. C. A. Bowman

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Carried over from 1949	$24.65
Received from First Baptist Church of Lenoir	10.00
Total	$34.65
Checks Written:	
Carlheim Hotel—Room for Mrs. Gordon Maddry	$ 3.60
Love Gift to Miss Lydia Greene	10.00
Love Gift to Miss Ruth Provence	5.00
Total	$18.60
BALANCE	$16.05

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ira D. Pritchard

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Superintendent	Mrs. Grover Triplett
Associate Superintendent	Mrs. O. L. Grice
Secretary & Treas.	Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Young Peoples Leader	Mrs. R. L. Wilson
Mission Study	Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Community Missions	Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Stewardship	Mrs. J. H. Craig
Literature	Mrs. Geo. Icenhour
R. A. Leader	
Librarian	Miss Eller Dickson
Margaret Fund and Training School	Mrs. J. D. Craig

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Carl Thompson
Mrs. Carr Cline
Mrs. Victor Roberts
Mrs. R. J. Smith

REPORT OF LITERATURE CHAIRMAN

Biblical Recorder	298
Royal Service	238
The Window of Y. W. A.	29
The World Comrades	86
Ambassador Life	34

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN

Annie Armstrong	$ 373.96
Heck Memorial	124.49
Hospital	117.98
State Missions	248.37
Orphanage	141.76
Lottie Moon	1,519.07
World Relief	248.45
Associational Expense	16.50
Divisional Expense	10.00
Total	$2,800.58

Total Special Gifts	$2,800.58
Co-Operative Program	6,125.25
No. New Tithers	31
Total No. Tithers	315

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. H. Craig

LIBRARY

Books in Library Now 347
Books Donated Last Year 9

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Eller Dickson

MISSION STUDY REPORT FOR 1949

No. Mission Study Classes 155
(W. M. S. Classes 81 — Young People's Classes 74)
No. Organizations reporting this year 67
No. Enrolled in Classes 1416
No. W. M. S. Members completing study of a book 669
No. Mission study seals awarded to young people 581
No. Reading stamps awarded to Young People 290
No. Young People and Women reading one or more Missionary books 1230

OFFICE REPORT

No. Letters and Postals written 170
No. Telephone calls and personal contacts 135
No. Packages Mission Study awards mailed 87
No. Mission Study classes taught 5

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION STUDY GOALS FOR 1950

1 — A Mission Study Class in at least ¾ of the W. M. U. organizations in the Association.
2 — A minimum of five Churches in which every member of every W. M. U. organization except Sunbeams, reads one or more approved Missionary books during the year.
3 — An Associational Mission Study Institute held before March 1, 1950.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. A. Boldin

REPORT ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

As I read the paper and listen to the radio, I hear an awful lot about war. What are we going to do about it? Shall we train our children for war? Hitler and Stalin have taught their boys and girls to want war by teaching them hate and fear. Shall we too train our youth for war that Democracy might live? No! We would all shout aloud, "let us train for peace."

How are we to train for peace?

1. Let us teach each boy and girl a trade.
2. Give every child a liberal arts education—math, science, etc.
3. Each child to be more cultural—music, art, etc.
   All of these are good, but we know that these cannot make peace.
4. Let us teach our children LOVE
   LOVE OF GOD
   LOVE OF ALL MANKIND

Don't you think that one of the finest places to teach love of all mankind is in our mission organizations?

Let us see what we are doing.

57 Churches
76 Young People's Organizations in **17** churches
13 Sunbeam Bands **9** reported **161** members
28 G. A.'s **16** reported **208** members
19 R. A.'s **8** reported **100** members
16 Y. W. A.'s **7** reported **74** members

Mission Study Classes	5	Y.W.A.	6	G.A.	4	R.A.	6	S.B.
Observed Week Prayer	6	Y.W.A.	12	G.A.	7	R.A.	7	S.B.
Tithers	39	Y.W.A.	23	G.A.	23	R.A.	5	S.B.
Number Engaged In Community Missions	48	Y.W.A.	78	G.A.	40	R.A.	65	S.B.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. R. L. Wilson

REPORT OF COMMUNITY MISSIONS CHAIRMAN

TOTAL Number of Organizations: W.M.S. **26** Y.W.A. **13** G.A. **17** R.A. **10** **S.B. 10**

No. Organizations Reporting: W.M.S. **18** Y.W.A. **6** G.A. **13** R.A. **6** S.B. **5**

	W.M.S.	Y.W.A.	G.A.	R.A.	S.B.	Tot.
I. Having Community Missions Committee	15	6	12	5	2	40
II. Endeavoring to enlist all members in community missions	17	5	10	6	3	41
III. Reporting Community Missions	15	5	10	6	4	40
IV. Number of surveys	4	1				5
V. Number classes studying **Guide to Community Missions**	2					2
VI. Number classes studying book on Soul-winning	3	1				4
VII. Engaged in Definite Evangelistic Efforts	14	3	9	2		28
VIII. Showing Christian Fellowship	17	5	10	5		37
IX. Lifting Moral Standards in Community	15	2	6	4		27
Number of members engaged in Community Missions	1200	90	300	140	138	1868

A Leadership Conference was held in January of this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. L. M. Abernathy

A TRIBUTE TO MRS. J. A. BOLDIN

On September 27, 1913 the Caldwell Association was meeting at the First Baptist Church in Lenoir, at which time a new and very significant feature was added to the days program; namely: A report on Woman's Work. A very modest and retiring little woman had prepared the report but she had not the faintest idea of reading it; since, in those days. women were to be seen but not heard. Imagine her surprise when the Moderator, Rev. I. W. Thomas called on her to read the report. Following the adoption of the report, the women retired to the Episcopal Church, where the Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union was organized, Mrs. J. A. Boldin becoming the first president, (or Supt.) serving in this capacity until 1920, when she was forced to resign on account of illness.

In this first report it was stated that there were three Woman's Missionary Societies, one Y. W. A., one R. A., and one Sunbeam Band. The total gifts amounted to $53.90. Since that small beginning, God has wonderfully used this brilliant and consecrated little woman who has served continuously since 1921 as Mission Study Chairman of Caldwell Associational W. M. U.

In 1922, her first Mission Study report; there were ten classes, and sixteen certificates; in 1932—forty-nine classes, one hundred-seventy certificates; in 1942—forty-five classes, fifty-seven certificates; in 1948—one hundred-five classes. Before our mission study was so well organized as it is today, Mrs. Boldin answered the long lists of examination questions furnished by the State W. M. U. Office, and upon request of that office, prepared some of the questions, and graded the papers that were turned in. There was no easy way to get a certificate then. Mrs. Boldin took the words of Paul to Timothy seriously when he said, "Study to show thyself approved unto God." She is one of the best informed women in our Association about any phase of W. M. U. work; but Mission Study is her first and abiding interest.

Today we want to give honor "to whom honor is due", and express to Mrs. Boldin our sincere love and appreciation for a long life of faithfulness to her Lord and Master in the field of Christian Education. This love gift of $65.00, by the women of the churches to whom her work has been such a blessing through the years, is to be used as she sees fit.

Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union
—April 1950—
Granite Falls First
Granite Falls, N. C.

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885 - 1950

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkins	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M .Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	

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HISTORICAL TABLE (Continued)

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove			
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1947 Lenoir First			
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1948 Central			
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1949 Harris Chapel			
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1950 Concord			
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick

IN MEMORIAM

BETHANY
Mr. Albert Coffey
Mrs. Martha Goins
Mrs. Susan Underwood
BLAIRS FORK
Mrs. R. L. Harris
Mr. Tom Pendgrast
CALVARY
Mr. Carl Laws
CENTRAL
Mrs. J. P. Greffin
CLARKS' CHAPEL
Mrs. John Triplett
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mr. Mark Dickson (Deacon)
Mr. Ned Triplett
Mr. Frank Prestwood
Miss Fannie Daugherty
Mrs. Clarence Cox
Mrs. T. W. Younce
Mr. Glenn Jones
CONCORD
Mr. Fletcher Walker
DUDLEY SHOALS
Mr. C. A. Bowman
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Miss Emma Jane King
GLOBE
Mr. T. C. Vines
GRANITE FALLS FIRST
Mrs. H. C. Mackie
Mrs. Florence Curtis
Mr. W. T. Sherrill
Rev. J. M. Shaver
GREEN ROCK
Mr. W. T. Coffey (Deacon)
HARRIS CHAPEL
Rev. J. M. Elrod
Mrs. Alonzo Coggins
Mrs. Belle Cooke
Mrs. Mary Annas
HARTLAND
Mrs. Ardie Benton
JOHNS RIVER
Mrs. Caroline McLean
KINGS CREEK
Mrs. Zard R. White
LENOIR FIRST
Mr. E. A. Poe
Mrs. S. A. Smith
Mr. J. E. Nelson
Mr. J. Clark Smith
Mrs. Joe Powell
LONGFORD
Mr. Ted H. Hawkins
LOVELADY
Mrs. Jonsie Roberts
Mr. Alonzo Dula
LOWER CREEK
Mr. John Barlow
Mr. E. W. Crews
Mr. E. W. Cloer
Mrs. J. J. Powell
Mrs. Victoria Swann
Mr. Lloyd Swann (Deacon)
MAPLE GROVE
Mrs. Rosie Kidd
MT. ZION
Mrs. Yancie Curtis
Mr. Zeb A. Brown
MULBERRY
Mrs. Frona Greene
MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mrs. Alice Ervins
Mr. John Hollar
Mr. Melvin Spann
NELSON'S CHAPEL
Mr. Chelcer Laws
Mr. E. L. Curtis (Deacon)
Mr. George Jackson
PINEY GROVE
Mrs. Gertie Greene
PLEASANT HILL
Mrs. Page Triplett
POOVEY'S GROVE
Mr. William Starnes
ROCKEY SPRINGS
Mr. D. B. Hodge (Deacon)
SARDIS
Mr. Paul Crump
Mrs. R. D. Carroll
Mr. H. E. Austin
UNION
Mr. Jack Harless
UNION GROVE
Mrs. Tom Setzer
Mr. Arthur Beane
WHITNEL FIRST
Mr. J. S. Sargent
Mrs. Albert Kaylor
Mr. Clyde Johnson (Deacon)
WINKLERS GROVE
Mrs. Sally Richardson
WEST LENOIR
Mrs. Mattie Sanders
YADKIN
Mr. F. P. Curtis (Deacon)
Mr. Tom Carlton
Mr. Harvey Woods
SETZER CREEK
Mrs. W. S. Miller

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Church	W. M. U.	S. S. Worship	T. U.	Bible School	Mission Study	Prayer Service	Socials	Miscellaneous
Beautiful				H-5				
Bethany				Contact				
Blairs Fork			E A	H-5				AR
Buffalo Cove		SC5		5				
Calvary	A				5	WMS1, YWA1		AR
Cedar Rock		TC,A	M11	Contact				
Center Grove		TC	M	H-5				
Central	OC	TC	M,E	H-8			CP	
Clarks Chapel	O			H-5				HC
Clover					WMS1			
College Ave.		CMP	E1 A			A11	TU,SSCP	AR
Concord		SC5,ST			WMS1			CD
Conways Chapel		TC		5				
Dudley Shoals			M		WMS11			
Edgemont		A		H-5				
Flemings Chapel		SC5		H-5	WMS1			
Globe		A		H-5				
Grandview Park		TC1;SC4		H-5	WMS1			
Grandin					WMS11			
Granite Falls First			E		WMS11	A		AR
Green Rock		TC,A	M	H-6				
Green Valley		A		6				
Harris Chapel								AR
Hartland			M	H-6	WMS1			
Johns River		TC		H-5				
Kings Creek							S	Ded. Service
Lenoir First	P,CP	TC1111	M11	Clinic,FM		C11	SS,C	AR
Longford	A			H-5			CP	
Lovelady		A	M					
Lower Creek			E11				B	VM
Maple Grove				Contact				
Miller Hill	O	A		H-5				AR
Mt. Zion								
Mtn. Grove				H-10				AR
Mulberry		A	M	5				
Mulvale		SC4		Contact				
Nelsons Chapel				5	WMS11			
New Hope				6				
Oak Grove					WMS1	C		
Piney Grove				6				Baptizing
Pleasant Hill			E	Contact		A		

Pisgah	TC			H-6			
Pooveys Chapel	A	M	SC5	H-5			
Pooveys Grove				H-5	WMS1	YP	
Rhodhiss					WMS1		
Rocky Springs	TC,	M,E		H-5			
Rufus	TC,A	M		H-5			
Sardis			Spoke			TU,SCP	
Temple Missionary				H-5			
Temple Hill	A			Contact			
Union P			SC4	FM;5	WMS		
Union Grove A				5	WMS1, YWA1		
Whitnel First				H-5	WMS A		
Winklers Grove							
West Lenoir				H-5			
Yadkin	SOM	E	SC3				AR
Yadkin Valley				H-5			
Cottrell Hill	A	M		H-7			
Baton Mission				5			
Setzers Creek O							

KEY: O—Organized; C—Conducted; HC—Home Coming; AR—Atten ded Revival; M—Morning; E—Evening; CP—Class or Christmas Party; H—Under Bible Schools indicates one of our helpers worked in school; B—Banquet; CMP—Class Meeting Program; SOM—Spoke Officers Meeting.

MEETINGS OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION

Conference for Intermediate S. S. Workers, Hickory First Baptist.
South Yadkin Assoc. Enlargement Campaign, Training Union—6 Days.
T. U. Study Course, Hickory First Baptist—5 Nights.
Divisional W. M. U. Meeting, West Jefferson.
Catawba River Associational Meeting.
W. M. U. Executive Council Meeting and Baptist State Conv., Raleigh.
T. U. Assoc. Officers Meeting, Asheville.
Reg. T. U. Officers Meeting, N. Wilkesboro.
State Bible Teaching Clinic, Durham—5 days.
V. B. S. Clinic, Fruitland—3 days; Sp. Hospital Meeting, N. W.
W. M. U. Convention—Raleigh.
T. U. Enlargement Campaign, Reidsville.

Special thanks should be given to the many who gave so much of their time to our V. B. S. Word: Mrs. J. A. Heilig of Concord & Harold Craig, who were our Summer Helpers. Miss Faye Turnmyre, a student at N. C. Seminary, who worked 3 weeks; Miss Nell Moretz, a teacher, who worked 3 weeks; Miss Charlotte Smith, a M. H. College student, who worked 6 weeks. 9 G. A.'s and 8 Women from Lower Creek. Rev. Robert Frye and his workers 4 weeks. Rev. J. E. Carter and his workers 5 weeks. Rev. R. J. Wilson and his workers 2 weeks.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS Baptisms	GAINS Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Special Information: Revival Meetings Held	Special Information: Number Tithers	Special Information: State Paper in Budget	Special Information: No. Years Present Pastor Has Served Church	Special Information: Does Pastor Live On Church Field?
Mountain View	R	1948	4	Luther P. Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.	10	14	9	81		81	3	7			
Bethany	R	1902	1	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.			3	50	64	114	1			14	No
Blairs Fork	V	1891	4	W. H. Edmiston, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	3	9	100	61	161					
Buffalo Cove	R	1857	1	Maston Bradshaw, Hudson, N. C.	2		1	63	70	133	1				
Calvary	T	1945	4	J. E. Crump, Hudson, N. C.	66	40	5	401	8	409	2			5	
Cedar Rock	R	1942	2	Ed O. Miller, Boomer, N. C.		3		34	24	58	1			3	
Center Grove	R	1912	4	C. R. McFelea, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	3			123		123	2	12		3	
Central	V	1938	4	J. J. Buckner, Whitnel, N. C.	28	17	14	332	3	335	2				
Clarks Chapel	R	1900	4	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	7		6	137	68	205	1	10		6	
Clover	C	1942	4	Thomas Sheppard, Granite Falls, N. C.	15	2	9	99	53	152	2	45			
College Avenue	C	1910	4	W. F. Woodall, Lenoir, N. C.	71	58	50	1160	212	1372	1			5	
Concord	T	1908	4	Fred C. Roberts, Granite Falls, N. C.	22	13	21	383		383	1	105	No	5	Yes
Conways Chapel	R		2	H. E. Calvard, Lenoir, N. C.	1	2	3	28	44	72	1	4	No	1	
Dudley Shoals	V	1861	4	A. E. Watts, Taylorsville, N. C.	10	6	6	251	15	266	2			5	
Edgemont	R	1915	2	O. C. Dellinger, Collettsville, N. C.	2	2		24	7	31	2			2	
Flemings Chapel	R	1888	4	J. S. Silver, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	18	21	4	190	25	215	1	6		3	
Globe	R	1832	2	L. B. Beane, Collettsville, N. C.	3		1	70	34	104	1				
Grandview Park	R	1930	2	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	11	5	2				1			1	
Grandin	R	1914	2	W. L. Jenkins, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	5	62	25	87	1	15	No	2	
Granite Falls First	T		4	C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C.	8	5	15	461		461	1	107	No	1	Yes
Green Rock	R	1889	2	W. H. Edemenstin, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		2	1	41		41	2	3	No	1	No
Green Valley	R	1888	2	Harley Coffey, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	10	4		36	23	59	1			1	
Harris Chapel	R	1912	4	W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	21	10	7	198	67	265	2	53		6	
Hartland	R	1938	4	Paul N. Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	14	12	18	172	18	190	2	25		1	
Johns River	R	1890	1	Walter Dula, RFD, Lenoir, N. C.	9		5	52	80	132	2		No	2	No
Kings Creek	R	1779	4	R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.	13	6	12	303	102	405	2	25		2	

Lenoir First	C	1889	4		39	60	44	878	112	990	1					
Longford	R	1934	4	Homer H. Messer, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	14	5	7	137	111	248	2	11		4		
Lovelady	R	1864	4	B. F. Peeler, Taylorsville, N. C.		2	6	112	34	146	1	11		1		
Lower Creek	R	1826	4	W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	23	20	28	500	85	585	2	100		3		
Maple Grove				J. W. Fox, Lenoir, N. C.	3	4	8				2			15		
Miller Hill	V	1935	4	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	19	8	1	175	18	193	2			3		
Mt. Zion	V	1889	4	Paul Hester, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	28	13	8	466		466	2	53		6		
Mulberry	R	1853	2	W. H. Shores, Boone, N. C.	6	2	1	71		71	1			3		
Mountain Grove	V	1884	4	LeRoy A. Thomas, Rt.2, Granite Falls, N.C.	6	9	44	258	24	282	2	72				
Mulvale	R	1941	4	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	2	5	6	101		101	1			1		
Nelson's Chapel	R	1905	2	J. C. Brooks, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	2	1	12	50	9	59	1			3		
New Hope	R	1939	2	W. L. Jenkins, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	6	1	3	70	23	93	1	12	No	2	Yes	
Oak Grove	R	1938	4	Ray Yarborough, Granite Falls, N. C.	18	11	3	125	36	161	2	30		3		
Piney Grove	R	1869	2	Clifton A. Tuttle, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	29	14	9	152	41	193	2	41				
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	4	C. F. Cook, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	4	9	1	115		115	3		No	4	No	
Pisgah	R	1877	4	Gordon Crump, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	9	19	3	100	60	160	2	25		7		
Poovey's Chapel	R	1932	4	Frank Knight, Hudson, N. C.	17	1	13	132	3	135	1	20		8		
Poovey's Grove	R	1898	4	John E. Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	8	6	3	158	47	205	2		No	3	Yes	
Rhodhiss	T	1906	4	L. V. Connell, Rhodhiss, N. C.	7	9	16	229	138	367	2		No	1	Yes	
Rocky Springs	V	1845	2	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	9	85	42	127	1					
Rufus	R	1940	2	Will Bolick, Lenoir, N. C.	5		9	61	18	79	1			4		
Sardis	T	1831	4	H. S. Benfield, Hudson, N. C.	3	18	18	396	63	459	1	88		5		
Temple Missionary	V	1942	4	C. M. Curtis, Hudson, N. C.	24	13	6	149	16	165	3	17		2		
Temple Hill	R	1946	4	L. R. Davis, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	16	19	7	133	6	139	1	14	No	4	No	
Union	R	1814	2	W. O. Johnson, Rt. 2, Taylorsville, N. C.	9	3	1	233	170	403	1	20		3		
Union Grove	R	1898	4	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	3	6	6	168	73	241	2			1		
Whitnel First	T	1910	4	G. A. Hamby, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	9	11	3	175	57	232	2	35				
Winkler's Grove	R	1886	4	J. R. Holland, Longview Station, N. C.	68	26	4	269	113	382	2	50		9		
West Lenoir	V	1943	4	Ira F. Walker, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	15	24	9	123	5	128	2	12		2		
Yadkin	V	1791	4	R. A. Frye, Patterson, N. C.	18	14	22	275	93	368	2	60		1		
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	2	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	4	4	2	62		62	2			5		
Setzer Creek	R	1948	2	Cleel Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	17	16	1	70	4	74	2	6				
Totals					778	580	519	10879	2404	13283	92	1094				

TABLE B. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT													V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Mountain View	Claude Gragg, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.			17	12	25	12	15	27				108	75	30	30
Bethany	Hardy Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.													33		29
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			10	10	10	10	32	34				106	79	45	42
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	21		10	9	18	14	16	18				106	76	44	35
Calvary	Howard Shuemake, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			49	50	50	75	80	82			90	476	340	214	187
Cedar Rock	Ralph Maltba, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			12	12			21	27	9	2		83	51	33	27
Center Grove	Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			29	30	31	43	68	25		3		229	111	64	10
Central	A. J. Parsons, Box 61, Lenoir, N. C.	27	14	20	26	42	38	95	66		10		328	190	123	117
Clarks Chapel	George R. Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			20	25	16	21	16	48				146	74	70	56
Clover	Fred Cline, Box 4996, Granite Falls, N. C.	25	12	6	29	36	33	28	40		4		213	99	98	89
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Lenoir, N. C.	64	82	71	149	176	140	116	391	25	6		1220	574	294	234
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.	65	35	19	47	61	66	56	114	5	6		474	216	209	168
Conways Chapel	Hyden Pitman, Morganton, N. C.			15		7		8	9		7		46	38	31	
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.			32	25	35	11	20	70		3		196	125	56	49
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Mortimer, N. C.	10		15		15			25				65	30	24	24
Flemings Chapel	Toye Greene, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		7	18	27	27	35	50	75		2		241	200	100	95
Globe	Robert E Coffey, Globe, N. C.			20		10		15	15				60	40		
Grandview Park	Charles E. Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			18	19	33	21	24	50				165	110	66	59
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	3	2	8	7	12	14	8	28	11			93	50	29	25
Granite Falls First	C. W. Miller, Granite Falls, N. C.		26	20	36	51	57	15	150	25	5		385	175	87	54
Green Rock	Ray Wooding, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	3	3	4	3	2			30				45			
Green Valley	James Philyou, Collettsville, N. C.			20		12	20		21		2		75	45	31	26
Harris Chapel	James C. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		17	13	30	40	24	23	75	6	2		230	160	77	75
Hartland	Oscar Martin, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.			23		45	25	36	85				214	120	105	90
Johns River	R. G. Estes, Upton, N. C.			12		12		10	15		1		50	35	16	10
Kings Creek	V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	18	13	18	35	30	32	25	97	18			286	154	107	99

Lenoir First	Luther B. Robinson, Hickory Rd., Lenoir, N. C.	30	73	51	90	87	62	128	376		10		907	450	165	145
Longford	Grady Sumpter, Lenoir, N. C.			7	15	27	20	15	41				125	86		
Lovelady	Clyde Bumgarner, Rt., Granite Falls, N. C.		10	10	15	21	21	28	33		2		140	90	40	28
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	10	25	34	49	51	51	44	192	52	5		513	290	221	176
Maple Grove	Allen Talbert, Globe, N. C.	2	3	5	5	4	7	5	10				41		39	38
Miller Hill	Bill Hollar, Rt .3, Lenoir, N. C.			17	32	42	18	15	54				178	100	56	55
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	34		28	59	49	69	75	117				431	258	125	102
Mulberry	G. H. Edmisten, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			15		10		20	15				60	49	45	
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	11	14	35	34	45	34	18	158	12	4		365	193	136	99
Mulvale	Cecil Clarke, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	5		18	7	11	18	12	31		1		103	50	61	56
Nelson's Chapel	Raymond L. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			6	10	9	6	8	25		2		66	55	41	33
New Hope	George H. Crotts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			19	12	18	13	22	43				127	68	53	48
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.			17	10	18	19	25	44		10		143	95	93	78
Piney Grove	G. W. Sullivan, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	16		11	13	35	23	25	55				178	92	39	33
Pleasant Hill	Charlie Greer, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.			15		17	16	12	20		8		88	61		
Pisgah	Ambrose Bryant, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.				22	21		35	37				115	107	28	26
Poovey's Chapel	Howard Knight, Hudson, N. C.		14	21	16	29	20	12	23	22	9		166	106	30	28
Poovey's Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.		19	18	26	24	26	23	68				204	113	111	91
Rhodhiss	Guthrie Curtis, Rhodhiss, N. C.		13	14	31	56	41	14	63		5		237	109	104	82
Rocky Springs	J. V. Beane, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.			15	13	8	14	14	50				114	77	48	39
Rufus	W. C. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			18		15	16		30				79	53	60	52
Sardis	W. F. Kerley, Hudson, N. C.	10		49	46	57	48	44	147	24	6		431	183	138	135
Temple Missionary	J. E. Summerlin, Lenoir, N. C.			23	6	16	11	12	43		9		120	98	54	45
Temple Hill	Not listed			32		18	18	13	82				163	100	40	37
Union	R. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.			21	34	36	30	55	80	30			286	147	105	100
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		19	26	47	28	29	54	87				290	166	71	56
Whitnel First	Eugene Mathis, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	4		21	43	39	39	24	49		5		224	116		
Winkler's Grove	Willard Cline, Hickory, N. C.			22		43	27	28	67		3		190	150	100	75
West Lenoir	Dewey Ward, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.			21	10	9	22		36				98		40	30
Yadkin	Johnny Suddreth, Lenoir, N. C.		28	17	35	47	44	19	130	5	6		331	193	199	154
Yadkin Valley	P. R. Burress, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.					20	9	12		24			65	50	35	33
Setzer Creek	J. H. Nelson, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			10		20	25		27				82	75		66
Totals		358	429	1115	1261	1726	1487	1588	3850	268	138	90	12310		4230	

TABLE C. TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	Total Number Units	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Mountain View	Cecil Chester, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.						1	1	2						11	13	2	26	22
Bethany	No Report																		
Blairs Fork	No Report																		
Buffalo Cove	No Report																		
Calvary	F. L. Pilkinton, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		1		1	1	1	1	5		5		27	13	10	17	2	74	50
Cedar Rock	No Report																		
Center Grove	Lona Bell Bolick, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.				1	2	1		4				17	30	13		3	63	37
Central	Vern Arrington		1		1	1		1	4		26		14	11	31		2	84	35
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		1		1	1	1	1	5		6		14	9	12	16		57	44
Clover	Mrs. T. A. Sheppard, Granite Falls, N. C.	1			1	1	1	1	5	12			14	15	22	20	3	86	40
College Avenue	Miss Annie Smith, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	15	6	11	27	85	74	40	86	4	333	160
Concord	Ray Gable, Granite Falls, N. C.			1	1	1	1	1	5			13	22	13	9	30	6	93	37
Conways Chapel	No Report																		
Dudley Shoals	Shafter Starnes			1	1	1	1	1	5			15	24	17	14	18	3	91	40
Edgemont	No Report																		
Flemings Chapel	L. C. Reichard, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.				1	1	1	1	4				25	15	25	15	1	81	70
Globe	No Report																		
Grandview Park	Mrs. Patsy Thomas, Lenoir, N. C.		1		1	2	1	1	6		9		20	16	16	10	5	76	65
Grandin	Mrs. Alice Howell, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			1	1	1	1	1	5			3	6	15	3	3	2	32	30
Granite Falls First	(Not Listed)				1	2	1	1	5				18	20	8	21	4	71	35
Green Rock	No Report																		
Green Valley	No Report																		
Harris Chapel	Alfred Townsend, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.		1		1	2	1	1	6		12		24	20	11	12	2	81	52
Hartland	Tommy Sanders, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.				1	1	1	1	4				10	21	16	20	5	72	63
Johns River	No Report																		
Kings Creek	J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		12	12	16	28	15	25		108	58

Lenoir First	C. A. Holden, Lenoir, N. C.			1	1	1	1	1	5			25	20	30	30	40	2	147	90
Longford	Fred Bryant, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			1	1	1	1	1	5			9	16	9	9	22	3	68	50
Lovelady	June Weaver, Granite Falls, N. C.		1		1	1	1	1	5		10		23	17	6	18	2	76	27
Lower Creek	Mrs. Ellis Rhodes, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		8	8	19	26	21	41	6	129	81
Maple Grove	No Report																		
Miller Hill	L. H. Nelson, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		1		4	2	2		9		4		28	16	9			57	
Mt. Zion	Miss Canie Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		1	1	1	2	1	2	8		14	15	22	38	18	36	8	151	90
Mulberry	No Report																		
Mountain Grove	Carroll Sullivan, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.			1	2	1	1	2	7			7	20	16	10	25	2	80	
Mulvale	No Report																		
Nelson's Chapel	No Report																		
New Hope	Mrs. Wilda Summerlin, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.				1	1	1	1	4				5	10	15	12		42	30
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.							1	1							20		20	15
Piney Grove	Mary E. Sharpe, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.				1	1	1		3				15	20	25			60	
Pleasant Hill	No Report																		
Pisgah	No Report																		
Poovey's Chapel	Parks Haas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.										14		21	15		17	2	69	40
Poovey's Grove	J. D. Craig, Granite Falls, N. C.		1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	6	6	11	13	12	12	12	74	44
Rhodhiss	Mrs. D. D. Annas, Rhodhiss, N. C.																		
Rocky Springs	No Report		1		1	1	1	1	5		19		35	17	14	7	6	98	58
Rufus	No Report																		
Sardis	Warren Cloer, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		11	10	24	26	20	36	4	131	54
Temple Missionary	Miss Ruby Atwood, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.				1		1		2				20		22		7	49	30
Temple Hill	No Report																		
Union	Mrs. Harold Reid, Lenoir, N. C.		1	1	1	2	1	1	7		11	10	11	22	15	20		89	37
Union Grove	Rufus Estes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.				1	1	1		3				23	13	12		2	50	
Whitnel First	Mrs. E. N. Braswell, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		2		1	2	1	1	7		66		25	32	14	16	3	156	60
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. C. G. Barnes, Hickory, N. C.				1	1			2				20	5			2	27	23
West Lenoir	No Report																		
Yadkin	R. A. Frye, Patterson, N. C.	1			1	1	1	1	5	3	5	15	25	34	14	19	5	120	62
Yadkin Valley	No Report																		
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.												18	18		10		46	30
Totals		3	17	14	38	42	35	33	182	23	249	175	737	694	522	657	110	3167	

TABLE D. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Number Tithers All Organizations
Mountain View	Mrs. Paul Hall, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.							18					18	44	
Bethany	No Report														
Blairs Fork	No Report														
Buffalo Cove	No Report														
Calvary	Mrs. G. O. Adams, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1			3	39	11	10			60	21	
Cedar Rock	No Report														
Center Grove	Mrs. C. W. Colvard, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1					1	20					20	11	5
Central	Mrs. C. F. Tedder, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1				2	14	12				26		
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	16					16		5
Clover	Mrs. Leo Setzer, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		2	1	1	5	24		31	12	36	103	89	45
College Avenue	Mrs. D. A. Triplett, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	120	17	34	27	16	214	93	43
Concord	Mrs. Fred Roberts, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		1			2	35		12			47		30
Conways Chapel	No Report														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Clyde Bowman, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	24					24	13	
Edgemont	No Report														
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	11					11		6
Globe	No Report														
Grandview Park	Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	2					2	32					32	16	10
Grandin	Mrs. A. M. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	10					10	10	10
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Will Bogle, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	2	2	2	1	8	53	16	12	14	18	113	55	48
Green Rock	No Report														
Green Valley	No Report														
Harris Chapel	No Report														
Hartland	Mrs. Blanche Barlowe, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	1	1	1			3	33	15	11			59	21	25
Johns River	No Report														
Kings Creek	Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	18	8	20	18	12	76	60	20

Lenoir First	Mrs. E. W. Smith, Lenoir, N. C.	9	1	2		1	13	212	14	33		15	274		
Longford	Mrs. Roy Kirby, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	15					15	14	
Lovelady	No Report														
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	8	1	3	2	2	16	104	15	44	18	47	228	187	72
Maple Grove	No Report														
Miller Hill	No Report														
Mt. Zion	Mrs. J. T. Mills, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	2	1				3	22	13				35		17
Mulberry	No Report														
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Le Roy Thomas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1		2		1	4	12		31		38	81		29
Mulvale	No Report														
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	7					7	7	7
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	19					19		8
Oak Grove	Mrs. J. W. Myers, Granite Falls, N. C.	1					1	17					17	12	10
Piney Grove	No Report														
Pleasant Hill	No Report														
Pisgah	No Report														
Poovey's Chapel	No Report														
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Foster Fullbright, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	2	1	2	2		7	22	10	10	14		56		
Rhodhiss	Mrs. L. V. Connell, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1		1			2	11		16			27		8
Rocky Springs	No Report														
Rufus	No Report														
Sardis	Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Hudson, N. C.	1		2			3	23		28			51		6
Temple Missionary	No Report														
Temple Hill	No Report														
Union	Mrs. Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Hudson, N. C.	1					1	25					25	25	20
Union Grove	Miss Iris Baker, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1				2	12	19				31	17	16
Whitnel First	Mrs. G. A. Hamby, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1			2		22		6		28		
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. J. R. Holland, Longview, N. C.	1					1	18					18	18	10
West Lenoir	No Report														
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	6	15	20	26	87	35	30
Yadkin Valley	No Report														
Setzer Creek	No Report														
Totals		48	13	25	12	9	107	1006	178	307	129	208	1828	748	480

TABLE E. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Mountain View					6000.00		
Bethany							
Blairs Fork				7000.00	12000.00		
Buffalo Cove							
Calvary							
Cedar Rock					2500.00		
Center Grove					15000.00		51.00
Central				5000.00	40000.00		
Clarks Chapel					2000.00		67.50
Clover					20000.00	260.00	52.00
College Avenue	S. L. Hobgood, Lenoir, N. C.	49	9	12500.00	225000.00		180.00
Concord				8000.00	100000.00		
Conways Chapel					1500.00		
Dudley Shoals					40000.00	260.00	72.00
Edgemont					2500.00		
Flemings Chapel					15000.00		79.50
Globe					1000.00		
Grandview Park					4500.00	42.00	36.00
Grandin					4000.00	80.00	30.00
Granite Falls First				5000.00	3500.00		
Green Rock							
Green Valley					950.00	5.00	
Harris Chapel					60000.00	72.00	48.00
Hartland	Robert Watson, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	21	11				
Johns River							
Kings Creek	Colon Keller, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	22	12	5000.00	15000.00		

Lenoir First	P. O. Frye, Lenoir, N. C.			12500.00	257500.00	8000.00	395.00
Longford	No Report	11	48	5348.00	13698.00	80.00	61.50
Lovelady	No Report						20.00
Lower Creek		25	12	12000.00	150000.00	6000.00	257.50
Maple Grove							
Miller Hill							
Mt. Zion	No Report			3000.00	43000.00		
Mulberry					500.00		
Mountain Grove				8000.00	15500.00	300.00	60.00
Mulvale							
Nelson's Chapel					5000.00		25.50
New Hope	No Report				3000.00	12.00	12.00
Oak Grove				5000.00	6500.00		49.50
Piney Grove					5500.00		73.50
Pleasant Hill							
Pisgah				4000.00	8000.00		
Poovey's Chapel					10000.00		
Poovey's Grove				4000.00	15000.00		75.00
Rhodhiss					12500.00		
Rocky Springs							45.00
Rufus	No Report						
Sardis				4000.00	80000.00	480.00	108.00
Temple Missionary						50.00	25.00
Temple Hill							
Union	No Report				21000.00	120.00	75.00
Union Grove					11000.00		50.00
Whitnel First	Stewart Johnson, Whitnel, N. C.	15	52	8000.00	27000.00	208.00	52.00
Winkler's Grove					15000.00		75.00
West Lenoir	No Report						
Yadkin				5000.00	20000.00	156.00	104.00
Yadkin Valley					1000.00		
Setzer Creek					5000.00		
Totals		143	144	113348.00	1296148.00	16125.00	2179.50

TABLE F. CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Money Borrowed, Sale of Property, etc.	All Other Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary	Grand Total Local Expense
Mountain View	Elmer C. Philyaw, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	600.00	2077.12	279.00		1000.00	51.87		181.30	360.00	891.68	2763.85	760.00	3523.85
Bethany	Murray Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.						14.78					14.78	224.64	239.42
Blairs Fork	R. M. Isaac, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		3566.96	48.00	32.00	280.00	146.10		600.00	337.50	183.50	1627.10	1250.00	2877.10
Buffalo Cove	J. H. Coffey, Yadkin Valley, N. C.				91.82		57.62	61.68	28.00			239.12	288.81	527.93
Calvary	G. O. Adams, Lenoir, N. C.			445.00	59.80	414.43	319.16	451.50	576.29	1380.00	2411.96	6058.14	3240.00	9298.14
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin S. Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C	200.00	224.65		16.00	830.75	79.87		48.88			975.50	238.99	1214.49
Center Grove	Mrs. Pearl Parsons, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			160.00	19.38	1215.54	157.72	203.68	100.00	450.00	95.68	2402.00	1715.00	4117.00
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel, N. C.		6580.04	222.00	668.36	723.50	276.66	40.00	356.32	1440.00	201.62	3928.46	2335.00	6263.46
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George R. Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C		2614.23	48.00			209.06	77.15	70.10		122.95	527.26	1300.00	1827.26
Clover	Loy Propst, Granite Falls, N. C.		5776.16	162.70	45.94	390.47	277.90	388.26	295.00	964.30	414.16	2938.73	2520.00	5458.73
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Lenoir, N. C.		40352.15	4726.38	2180.90	352.06	1056.41	4586.87	445.00	18575.00	2423.78	34346.40	4460.00	38806.40
Concord	Nelson Clay, Granite Falls, N. C.	32300.00	15302.24	445.00	360.71	55000.00	693.61	181.67	175.00	4528.87	2116.78	63501.64	3445.00	66946.64
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.				120.00	32.50			50.00		69.10	271.60	433.00	704.60
Dudley Shoals	Shafter Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.	7000.00	10494.98		249.71		301.44	115.00	125.00	14158.00	46.93	14996.08	1570.00	16566.08
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.		710.03	28.21	331.05		17.66		49.71			426.63	227.26	653.89
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.				122.25	161.36	134.09	25.00	101.15	1887.61	1064.00	3495.46	1310.00	4805.46
Globe	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.								62.40			62.40	158.15	220.55
Grandview Park	Mrs. Poovey Watson, Lenoir, N. C.			156.00	32.00	1300.00	121.30	173.76	263.17		462.20	2508.43	1480.00	3988.43
Grandin	Miss Ida Greer, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		2081.86		65.00	75.00	145.21	293.50	70.00	156.00	27.50	832.21	900.00	1732.21
Granite Falls First	J. D. Milstead, Granite Falls, N. C.		12033.22	522.50	1038.51	655.33	458.88		1200.00		933.89	4809.11	2601.94	7411.05
Green Rock	Wallace E. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		956.76			220.34	9.60		63.01		12.00	304.95	504.46	809.41
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.						61.61		38.30		5.00	104.91	202.98	307.89
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1000.00	8549.87	120.00	110.00	1409.13	243.68	440.00	176.00	2900.00	264.00	5662.81	1820.00	7482.81
Hartland	Robert Watson, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		5268.10		58.00	281.00	128.98	156.65	150.00	1920.00	680.95	3375.58	1605.00	4980.58
Johns River			468.80		36.00	1400.00	22.80	10.00	130.00		26.00	1624.80	216.00	1840.80
Kings Creek	Louis R. Land, Kings Creek, N. C.		7309.39	240.00	184.47	297.27	415.66	428.30	195.00		652.81	2413.51	2600.00	5013.51

Lenoir First	Dr. O. L. Moore, Lenoir, N. C.		55679.13	4320.00	5932.75		2431.32	866.35	870.00	5224.68	8282.63	27927.73	4500.00	32427.73
Longford	C. H. Coffey, Lenoir, N. C.	3982.49	5504.49	120.00	92.28	5348.04	135.96	176.92	180.00	560.00	295.92	6919.12	2800.00	9719.12
Lovelady	Paul Bolick, Granite Falls, N. C.		2728.60	96.00	6.40	123.00	185.29	32.00	115.80		75.00	633.59	1988.95	2622.54
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		21103.26	1030.00	966.16	510.81	772.87	157.07	508.69		2476.68	6422.28	4160.00	10582.28
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer, N. C.						31.00		60.39			91.39	131.09	222.48
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Greene, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.		3997.95	113.60	46.80	685.66	97.28	50.61	235.53	630.00	291.20	2150.68	1638.48	3789.16
Mt. Zion	A. J. Barker, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	7300.00	15250.42	348.00	572.12	17523.43	404.66	69.90	396.92	2156.00	384.99	21856.02	2600.00	24456.02
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.						36.22				12.00	48.22	230.78	279.00
Mountain Grove	Midas Bolick, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.		12685.83	510.00	596.35	300.00	348.42	259.65	190.00		226.50	2430.92	2880.00	5310.92
Mulvale	Mrs. Maude Moore, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.			120.00		195.54	63.10	200.91	112.02	450.00	96.20	1237.77	634.05	1871.82
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		1731.18				95.89	192.60	64.67		190.50	543.72	415.02	958.74
New Hope	Mrs. C. P. McGee, Rt 1, Lenoir, N. C.		1499.25		76.63		85.66		100.00		124.11	386.40	600.00	986.40
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, Granite Falls, N C.			84.00	34.20	1086.88	119.73	313.87	125.00		157.92	1921.59	2080.00	4001.59
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. S. Sullivan, Yadkin Valley, N. C.		2026.32	132.50	189.24		168.01	88.27	183.35		72.91	834.28	727.61	1561.89
Pleasant Hill	R. O. Campbell, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	975.00				7.63	121.49	7.00	78.95	158.63		373.70	1103.62	1477.32
Pisgah	Fred Crisp, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		3586.54		32.00		12.00		140.00	240.00	528.00	952.00	2120.00	3072.00
Poovey's Chapel	Oren A. Hartley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	315.00	4233.70	180.00	61.31	1109.70	93.20		46.00	185.00		1675.21	1680.00	3355.21
Poovey's Grove	H. J. Starnes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.		9847.67		361.14		470.55	93.15	117.50		501.58	1543.92	2270.00	3813.92
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.		7722.32	600.00	733.98	126.30	283.43		625.00		519.53	2888.24	3050.00	5938.24
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.		1398.97	110.00	93.39	206.62	104.00	49.29	61.11		241.95	866.36	360.40	1226.76
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		1114.39	62.96	123.40		43.45		116.29			346.10	480.00	826.10
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	10000.00	21252.20	330.00	169.43	15300.00	658.98	439.00	279.00		389.85	17566.26	2100.00	19666.26
Temple Missionary	J. E. Summerlin, Lenoir, N. C.		3712.25		40.00	733.63	72.04	101.71	420.00		85.68	1453.06	2181.26	3634.32
Temple Hill	Keener Keller, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.				350.00		75.00	55.00	62.00	110.00	10.00	662.00	800.00	1462.00
Union	Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.		4873.64	300.00	451.05	51.26	420.83	351.82	120.50		1060.40	2755.86	1135.00	3890.86
Union Grove	Thomas Gibson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C		4584.59	235.00	58.84		181.35	378.14	155.51		275.54	1284.38	1275.00	2559.38
Whitnel First	Ivey W. Craig, Whitnel, N. C.	7000.00	6795.85	260.00	729.99	4000.00	412.01	187.41	540.00	3343.00	931.80	10404.21	2625.00	13029.21
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	1000.00	10868.33	345.00	250.00	1750.00	86.92	575.00	304.93	60.00	1722.87	5094.72	3120.00	8214.72
West Lenoir	G. W. Walker, Lenoir, N. C.			120.00	200.00	105.05	52.01	120.88			117.30	715.24	1325.00	2040.24
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		779.98	300.00	683.08		306.24	144.16	302.46		215.25	1951.19	3050.00	5001.19
Yadkin Valley	R. Don Watson, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.						25.60		66.25		60.83	152.68	299.21	451.89
Setzer Creek	T. R. Gentry, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		2103.90			108.21	93.58	76.00	103.32	457.88	26.67	865.66	501.33	1366.99
Totals			71672.49	329447.32	17319.85	18672.44	115310.44	13889.76	12619.78	12240.92	62632.47	32480.30	285165.96	92268.03	377433.99

TABLE G. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes	Total Church Debt At End of Year
Mountain View	Mrs. E. C. Philyow, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.							23.50	8.35	9.00	40.85	3564.70	2100.00
Bethany	Earl P. Duncan, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	5.85	30.00					8.00		138.06	181.91	421.33	
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N C.	50.00				7.00		70.00	22.00		149.00	3026.10	1211.65
Buffalo Cove	J. B. Hawkins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	5.00			3.20	6.80			10.00		25.00	552.93	
Calvary	Miss Hellen Borders, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	452.67	50.00	45.76	5.00	15.00		60.00	120.95		749.38	10047.52	
Cedar Rock	Not listed	3.15	15.00	12.00				30.00	11.91		72.06	1286.55	
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	13.85	51.00	70.00		12.75		143.50	15.60		306.70	4423.70	2404.36
Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston, Rt. 9, Whitnel, N. C.	10.91	39.47	4.35	128.01			60.00	37.83		280.57	6544.03	4641.45
Clarks Chapel	Harold Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	25.00	24.00	5.00		15.00		94.50	45.00		208.50	2035.76	
Clover	Charles Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.	116.04	52.00		5.85	84.27		40.00	55.00		353.16	5811.89	3724.37
College Avenue	J. P. Wise, Lenoir, N. C.	2480.00	144.00	105.30	111.51	1016.46	175.00	490.00	185.00	478.00	5185.27	43991.67	21000.00
Concord	Wayne Mundy, Granite Falls, N. C.	1584.95	126.79	49.14	46.49	37.86		323.13	107.25		2275.61	69222.25	27800.00
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		12.50	5.50	15.00			22.58	37.71		93.29	797.89	
Dudley Shoals	Tollie Reid, Granite Falls, N. C.	364.00	72.00					208.00	52.00		696.00	17262.08	6596.42
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.		5.00	5.94			12.29		7.50		30.73	684.62	
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	24.00	62.50					35.00	35.00		156.50	4961.96	2415.70
Globe	Bobby Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	3.45										220.55	
Grandview Park	Roy Kincaid, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	51.00	36.00	12.00	10.00			15.00	25.50		149.50	4137.93	
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	41.00	25.00	10.15	9.00	10.50		20.00	75.00	6.50	197.15	1929.36	
Granite Falls First	Franklin Jones, Jr., Granite Falls, N. C.	720.00	103.00	37.47	38.56	61.18		280.22	32.77	80.93	1354.13	8765.18	
Green Rock	W. E. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.						13.46	20.00			33.46	842.87	
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.	3.00									3.00	310.89	
Harris Chapel	Howard Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	72.00	48.00	11.40				205.00	106.47		442.87	7925.68	8471.76
Hartland	James T. Sanders, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	97.82	24.00	8.00	18.50	25.00	7.00		107.20		287.52	5268.10	13023.77
Johns River	Cora Lee Andrews, Upton, N. C.	18.00							10.00		28.00	1868.80	
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlow, Jr., Kings Creek, N. C.	700.00	100.00	33.63	30.02	59.40	96.60	320.00	313.31	39.45	1692.41	6705.92	

Lenoir First	Ralph D. Trott, Lenoir, N. C.	12730.34	390.00	130.55	172.84	2613.38	5786.50	736.87	722.00	50.15	23332.63	55760.36	6212.00
Longford	Bruce Clark, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	80.00	48.00					55.00	50.00		233.00	9952.12	3521.53
Lovelady	Miss Alma Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.		20.00								20.00	2642.54	
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, Lenoir, N. C.	5718.99	250.00	157.96	126.77	562.74	852.10	971.22	765.14	411.03	9815.95	20398.23	
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Martimer, N. C.	4.10							2.75		6.85	229.33	
Miller Hill	Miss Dovie Mikeal, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	35.55	36.00					21.50	20.70	79.80	193.55	3982.71	2585.00
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Granite Falls, N. C.	324.50	79.92	57.16	34.39	92.50	331.81	258.00	75.80	316.97	1571.05	26027.07	13949.46
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.				39.00						39.00	318.00	
Mountain Grove	Willard C. Hamlet, Rt 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	300.00	55.50	105.00	60.00	89.70	80.00	200.00	367.00		1257.20	6568.12	
Mulvale	Walter Estes, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	50.00	47.00	8.50				56.00	81.00		242.50	2114.32	1119.63
Nelson's Chapel	J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	353.52	38.18	11.00	12.00	10.00	10.00	122.12	70.00	23.50	650.32	1609.06	
New Hope	Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	11.34	12.00				34.25	31.50	54.40		143.49	1129.89	
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mary Bumgarner, Granite Falls, N. C.	50.00	49.50	16.66	3.19	9.00		59.44	10.33		198.12	4199.71	
Piney Grove	Ira Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	3.69	48.00					203.15	37.15		291.99	1853.88	
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.							25.00		46.00	71.00	1548.32	975.00
Pisgah	R. S. Thomas, Lenoir, N. C.							20.00	35.00		55.00	3127.00	1450.00
Poovey's Chapel	J. L. Sigman, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	2.86		50.73	18.35	18.35		357.98	55.90		504.17	3859.38	925.00
Poovey's Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	450.41	97.50	41.61	30.00	82.72	31.00	79.25	33.64		846.13	4660.05	
Rhodhiss	Miss Rebecca Church, Granite Falls, N. C.	921.43	58.48		30.00	25.00	304.70	92.10	129.46		1561.17	7499.41	
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	19.15	15.00	23.31	10.75	10.00		69.00	25.00		172.21	1398.97	
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	7.87		15.50			31.00	72.00	25.00	12.50	163.87	989.97	
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Hudson, N. C.	652.13	72.00	23.60	69.74			264.85	315.37	168.00	1565.69	21231.95	18000.00
Temple Missionary	Miss Maudalene Curtis, Hudson, N. C.	27.93						25.00	25.00		77.93	3712.25	
Temple Hill	Keener Keller, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.		5.00			9.00		14.73	22.28	15.00	66.01	1528.01	500.00
Union	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	120.00	115.00	102.16		120.00		393.46	142.62		993.24	4884.10	
Union Grove	Mrs. O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	4.00	80.60		10.65			55.33	50.40		200.98	2760.36	
Whitnel First	W. R. Pennell, Rt 3, Lenoir, N. C.	114.24	6.61		1.00	24.80		110.62	175.00	115.15	547.42	13576.63	6877.00
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.		50.00	25.00	100.00		51.65	30.25	32.76	150.00	439.66	8654.38	1000.00
West Lenoir	Not listed	4.45	5.73					71.22	86.87	258.27	426.54	2466.78	
Yadkin	Paul Curtis, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	163.35	65.00	62.49	37.00	43.07		149.13	141.20	249.60	910.84	5912.03	
Yadkin Valley	Arney Woods, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		15.00					3.00	5.75		23.75	475.64	
Setzer Creek	Mrs. T. R. Gentry, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	10.00		18.00	15.00	35.00		17.00	15.00		110.00	1476.99	1280.00
Totals		29001.54	2680.28	1264.87	1191.82	5096.48	7817.36	7033.15	4993.87	2647.91	61723.83	439157.82	151784.10

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The next session will be held Thursday, September 18, 1952, with Union Baptist Church Rt. 2 Lenoir, and Friday September 19, 1952 with Union Grove Baptist Church, Rt. 3, Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., will preach the annual sermon with Rev. Robert Frye as alternate.

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As provided in the constitution, each pastor in the association and one lay member from each church in addition to the above officers, comprise this committee. Since at the time of the printing of these minutes a large number of the churches had not reported the names of their representatives, no complete list of this committee could be assembled.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

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Henry Medlock, Lenoir ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
Lonabelle Bolick, Hudson ---------- Hudson, N. C.
Hugh McManus, Granite Falls ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

No Associational Baptist Brotherhood

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Rev. R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C. ---------- 1952
Rev. Paul Hester, Hudson, N. C. ---------- 1953
Rev. J. Edd Crump, Hudson, N. C. ---------- 1954
Rev. Grady A. Hamby, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1955
Rev. M. O. Owens, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1956

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY AT RIDGECREST

J. M. Bumgarner ---------- 1952
G. G. Steele ---------- 1953
E. E. Stafford ---------- 1954

MESSENGER TO BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Rev. Thomas Sheppard

MESSENGER TO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Rev. J. J. Buckner

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A Calendar of Activities for 1951—1952 was not adopted at the Annual Session.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW—Ira Walker, Mrs. Cecil Chester, Mrs. Bob Philyaw, Clarence Gurley.

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CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. — Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

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These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five appointed by the moderator, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene at 10:00 a. m. on Thursday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary Letters.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. The annual compensation of the clerk shall be $50.00.
8. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
9. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration. and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Thursday Morning Session

1. The sixty-seventh annual session of the Caldwell Baptist Missionary Association convened with the Calvary Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C. on Thursday morning, September 20, 1951 at 9:30 o'clock.

2. After singing a hymn led by J. O. Stroud and accompanied at piano by Mrs. Ira Pritchard and prayer offered by moderator, Rev. W. W. Jones called the session to order for business. On roll call of churches it was found that 57 churches out of a possible 62 were represented. Program for the two day session was presented by the Clerk. Same was adopted.

3. New pastors coming into the association were presented and visitors recognized.

4. The Moderator appointed the following committees to make reports at a later session:

Committee on Petitionary Letters: W. F. Woodall, Chairman, Robert Frye, C. R. Hinton, R. L. Wilson, D. L. Bumgarner.

Committee on Place and Preacher: Thomas Shepherd, Chairman, G. G. Steele, Mrs. E. W. Smith.

Committee on Resolutions: R. L. Wilson, Chairman, Ernest Moore, W. F. Woodall.

Nomination Committee: Dr. J. F. Reece, Chairman, Johnell P. Wise, Homer Messer, J. S. Silver, Ernest Moore.

5. Proposed amendments to Article IV Sections 2, 4, were read. Also, Section 5 was proposed to Article IV. Action to be taken at Fridays Session as follows:

Section 2 to read: The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nomination Committee at the regular time for the committee to report.

Section 4 to read: There shall be a finance committee of five elected by the Association, which will be responsible . . .

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of the committee to nominate Associational officers; council on ordination of ministers and constitution of churches, trustees of Associational Property; Convention Messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing Committees to report a year hence; and a finance Committee of five.

6. Miss Elizabeth Campbell, associational missionary read her report of activities for the past year. Following a very fine speech delivered by Miss Campbell the report was adopted.

REPORT OF MISS ELIZABETH CAMPBELL, ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1951

Bethany—Taught S. S. Class 2, Helped V. B. S.
Blairs Fork—Helped Organize W. M. S., Provided help for V. B. S.
Buffalo Cove—Helped V. B. S.
Calvary—Helped V. B. S., Taught 2 Mission Study Classes
Cedar Rock—Helped V. B. S., Taught S. S. Class
Center Grove—Taught Mission Study, Spoke Home Coming
Central—Helped Census, Taught 4 Mission Study Classes
Clarks Chapel—Provided help for V. B. S., Taught T. U. Study Course
College Ave—Taught T. U. Study Course, Helped with Census, Message New Year's Eve, Program W. M. S., Games New Year's Party
Concord—Attended 3 Worship Services, 1 night of Revival
Conways Chapel—Taught S. S. Class, Helped with V. B. S.
Dudley Shoals—Taught Mission Study, Helped with V. B. S.
Edgemont—Provided Helper for V. B. S.
Flemings Chapel—Taught 2 Mission Study Classes, Helped V. B. S.
Globe—Helped V. B. S.
Grandin—Taught 2 Mission Study Classes
Grandview Park—Helped V. B. S.
Granite Falls 1st—Ladies Aid Program, Spoke Brotherhood, Attended Baptismal services, 2 nights of Revival
Green Rock—Taught S. S. Class, Made Arrangements for V. B. S.
Green Valley—Helped V. B. S., Helped with Census, Spoke Morning Session
Harris Chapel—Taught S. S. Class.
Hartland—Made Year Book for S. S. Class, Spoke T. U., Taught 2 Mission Study Classes, Spoke Y. W. A. Banquet, Helped with Census
High View—Attended S. S. Twice, Spoke, Helped V. B. S.
Johns River—Taught S. S. Class, Helped V. B. S.
Kings Creek—Spoke one Morning, and one Evening Worship Service
Lenoir First—Taught S. S. Class 3 times, Spoke T. U. Twice, Spoke Evening Worship, Taught S. S. & V. B. S. Study Course, Helped with 2 Christmas Parties, Spoke S. S. Dinner, Conducted Prayer Services twice.
Longford—Taught 2 Mission Studies, Helped V. B. S.
Lovelady—
Lower Creek — Led one group W. M. U. Officers Council, Spoke Y. W. A. Banquet, Attended G. A. Banquet.
Maple Grove—Provided Helper for V. B. S.
Miller Hill—Helped V. B. S.
Mt. Zion—Spoke for 1 evening Worship service
Mtn. Grove—Taught Mission Study, Ground Breaking New Church, Attended Revival
Mulberry—Helped V. B. S.
Mulvale—Taught S. S. Class, Provided Helper for V. B. S., Helped with Census
Mtn. View—Taught 1 Mission Study, Provided Helper V. B. S., Helped with Census
Nelsons Chapel—Taught 2 Mission Study Classes, Helped V. B. S.
New Hope — Helped V. B. S.

Oak Grove—Taught 2 Mission Study Classes
Piney Grove—Spoke Evening Worship, Taught T. U. Study Course, Helped V. B. S.
Pleasant Hill—Taught S. S. Class twice, Provided Help for V. B. S.
Pisgah—Helped V. B. S.
Pooveys Chapel—Provided Help for V. B. S., Attended Sunday School and Worship
Pooveys Grove—Provided Helper for V. B. S., Attended Worship Service
Rhodhiss—Taught 1 Mission Study, Attended Revival
Rocky Springs—Taught S. S. Class Twice, Taught S. S. Training Course, Provided help for V. B. S., Helped with Census
Rufus—Taught S. S. Class Twice, Spoke Twice, Helped with V. B. S., Helped with Census
Sardis—Taught 1 Mission Study, Spoke during S. S. Training Course, Helped with Census
Setzers Creek—S. S. Team Meeting, T. U. Study Course taught, Helped V. B. S.
Temple Hill—Provided Helper for V. B. S.
Temple Missionary—Provided Helper for V. B. S.
Union—Organized G. A., Taught 2 Mission Studies, Taught T. U. Study Course, Helped V. B. S., Helped Plan for Census
Union Grove—Attended Y. W. A. Meeting, Helped V. B. S.
Whitnel First—Helped Reorganize Y. W. A., Provided Helper for V. B. S., Helped with Census
Winkler's Grove—Attended Worship Services twice, Helped V. B. S.
West Lenoir—Taught S. S. Class, Attended Worship, Provided helper for V. B. S., Helped with Census
Yadkin—Taught 1 Mission Study, Taught S. S. Training Course, Spoke Ground Breaking of New Church
Yadkin Valley—Helped V. B. S.
Zacks Fork Mission—Provided Help for V. B. S., Attended Prayer Service
Dry Ponds (Union)—Provided Helper for V. B. S.
M. E. (Colored)—Attended V. B. S. Commencement Program

MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE ASSOCIATION ATTENDED:

Morganton—S. S. Central Training School, S. S. Enlargement Campaign, State S. S. Officers Meeting, W. M. U. Mission Institute.
Valdese—Spoke Y. W. A. Council Banquet
Fruitland—Associational Missions Conference, V. B. S. State Clinic
Raleigh—W. M. U. Executive Council Meeting
Durham—Baptist State Convention
High Point— T. U. Associational Officers Meeting
Yadkinville—Divisional W. M. U. Meeting
Avondale— S. S. Enlargement Campaign
Charlotte—Evangelistic Conference, W. M. U. Annual Meeting
Mt. Airy—T. U. Enlargement Campaign
West Jefferson—Regional T. U. Meeting
4 V. B. S. Clinics
East Maiden—T. U. Enlargement Campaign
Taught G. A. Divisional Camp
Taught T. U. Assembly, Caswell

Above does not include in every instance services attended, only when this was my only contact with the church.

7. C. W. Bazemore of Raleigh N. C. representing the Biblical Recorder was given ten minutes to present the Recorder.

8. Reports were submitted on State, Home and Foreign Missions. Discussion was postponed until the afternoon session in order to give this time to Dr. M. A. Huggins. The reports were adopted.

STATE MISSIONS

"NORTH CAROLINA MUST BE CHRISTIAN"

In many places what was predicted fifty years ago, namely, "Coldness within and iniquity without", has come to pass. It is the overall purpose of State Missions, working through churches, Sunday Schools, young people, to prevent such a thing happening. A sort of creeping paralysis has already taken the northern part of our country. The same thing will happen here unless as Christians we are alert.

In order to accomplish this overall purpose the State Mission program embraces many activities, such as: Sunday School Work, Training Union Work, Assemblies, Teaching Activities (Visual Education, Radio, Etc.) Evangelism (City and Association-wide Revivals,) New and Needy Churches, Work among the Indians, Schools for Ministers, Work among Silent People, Interracial Activities, Other Activities (Allied Church League, Rural Church, Etc.), Neglected Areas (Lots for New Churches), Student Work among 15,000 Baptist Students.

Renewed emphasis is being given to work among the rural Churches. A significant statement was made recently to this effect, "In a period of about one hundred years, it is likely that one thousand people living in the country will have six times as many descendants as the same number of people living in the larger cities." This certainly is one of the reasons the Catholics, who in the past have centered their activities in the cities, are now moving into the rural areas. Baptists now compose about one-half of the total church population. Everything possible must be done to build great country churches.

State Missions has many pressing needs but perhaps the most pressing right now is some $50,000 with which to buy lots where new churches should be established; and another $50,000 above what is now being received for State Missions with which to supplement the salaries of pastors to minister to the churches and thus get the work going.

Let it be remembered that State Missions is not just one object, but is a program of some eighteen activities. A special offering during September and October of $150,000 is perhaps the greatest need of our North Carolina Baptist Program.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. J. S. SILVER

ONE HUNDRED SIX YEARS OF HOME MISSIONS

Southern Baptists in one hundred six years have employed 48,134 home missionaries for one year or one missionary for 48,134 years. Home missionaries have organized 10,012 churches and reported 1,011,-134 professions of faith There has been one profession for every $34.97 expended by the Board.

In recent years the Convention has added 988,642 square miles of territory to the home mission field and 22,000,000 people.

In 1950 the Schools of Missions Department promoted 136 simultaneous schools in which 3,309 churches participated and 959,193 gross attendance was registered, making a grand total of attendance of Schools in Missions in the past four years 4,768,710.

The Five-Year Crusade in Home Missions, seeks to double the number of Good Will Centers, to add 500,000 unaffiliated Baptists to our church membership, to double the number of churches in the outposts of the Board's mission field, to have every church in the territory of the Convention winning souls, to establish 181 missions in the language-group field, to secure 200,000 subscriptions to Southern Baptist Home Missions, to publish and distribute annually 200,000 mission books, and to secure a total attendance of 5,000,000 in Schools of Missions. For this, it needs an annual operating budget of $2,000,000.00 and an annual capital needs fund of $4,000,000.00.

In 1950 there were 754 missionaries plus 271 student workers for the summer making a total of 1,025. The missionaries reported 32,-600 conversions. They made 231,393 religious visits, distributed 87,-241 Bibles and portions and 1,130,261 pages of tracts, taught 18,512 classes conducted 3,958 revivals, opened 598 new missions, and constituted 293 new churches.259 chaplains who reported 6,120 professions of faith, and the evangelistic staff reported 5,989 baptisms in crusades which they personally conducted and a total of 9,922 additions to the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
D. F. BUMGARNER

FOREIGN MISSIONS

The clouds hang low and dark over the world. The clouds of war, of ignorance, of hate and prejudice but Jesus is the light of the world. It is imperative that in every way possible the churches of Caldwell bring Christ to the lost in every land. While the doors are closed in China, Russia and other lands, we can pray much for the Christians in those lands and give liberally so that when the doors do open we will have missionaries ready to go.

Before the second world war Japan asked for more missionaries and we did not send them. Now the door is not only open but a whole side of the house is opened. The Japanese people have come to see that their Emperor is not divine and again are pleading for the gospel. They ask for a hundred missionaries. Shall we send them?

The cooperative program is a channel through which we can give to state, home and foreign missions. We urge our churches to increase their gifts through this channel thereby eliminating so many special offerings.

Respectfully submitted,
LeROY THOMAS

9. The Woman's Missionary Union report was read by Mrs. Grover Triplett, Superintendent. Mrs. W. W. Jones discussed the report. Report was adopted. See minutes of Woman's Missionary Union elsewhere in this book.

REPORTS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

("LABORERS TOGETHER WITH GOD" I COR 3:9b)

Our Woman's Missionary Union Annual meeting was held at Kings Creek Baptist Church, April 20, 1951. Twenty-three churches were represented, with 145 women, 4 pastors and 7 visitors in attendance. Our guest speakers were Dr. M. Theron Rankin, Miss Regina Sliger, Miss Hilda Mayo and Mrs. E. C. James. The reports from our associational officers were presented, showing an increase in all phases of our work.

We have 4 new W. M. S. organizations - Baton, Blairs Fork, Lovelady, and Setzer's Creek and 3 new Young People's organizations - G. A. & Y. W. A. at Sardis and G. A. at Clark's Chapel, making a total of 85 Young People's organizations and 35 W. M. S.

Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. Ed Lee Steele, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hinton are doing a splendid work with the Young People's organizations. We are grateful to each of our Associational Officers who have been faithful in promoting missions in our county, going when called and prompt with their reporting.

We had a combined leadership conference with the Alexander Association at the College Ave. Baptist Church in January of this year, with a good number in attendance.

As the year closes we feel thankful for the increase in numbers, gift, and progress in all of our work, but we are conscious of much yet to be done.

"While the door is open we must go
To multitudes in sin and woe
We must seek to win them for the Lord,
We must teach and train them in His word!
On higher ground at God's command!
We must bear the news to every land;
Lift the mighty banner as we sing
On to higher ground for Christ our King."

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. GROVER TRIPLETT, Supt.

10. Special music was rendered by Mr. Lyn Pollard. He was accompanied at the piano by Miss Anne Reams.

11. A digest of church letters was presented by Rev. R. L. Wilson, Statistician. See tables in back of book.

12. The annual sermon was given by Rev. Paul Hester. He used as his theme "Pumping at Dry Wells". Rev. W. R. Moss read scripture from Second Peter 2 chapter and the 9th verse.

The meeting adjourned for lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

13. After singing a hymn Rev. Luther Snipes conducted the praise and prayer service.

14. The report on Sunday Schools was given by George Hollar. Mr. Hollar also spoke to the report. Report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Our Sunday school organization held four meetings, and participated in the executive meetings once each quarter. The Sunday school mass meetings were held—Oct. 9 at Sardis, Jan. 14 at Clover, April 9 at Harris Chapel, August 26 at Concord.

A team planning meeting was held at College Ave. Church in Oct. This meeting was well attended. Teams went from this meeting into 34 Churches in our Association, holding church planning conferences. Four district Sunday School training schools were held October 9-13. Many of our Churches had a January week of Bible study, using the book-The Bible and Prayer— By R. G. Lee.

A study of the Vacation Bible School guide was held in three of our districts, May 14-17 followed by a V. B. S. Clinic May 18 at the First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C. We were fortunate in having help from the State office in this Clinic.

A vacation Bible school was held in each of our Churches again this year. Thanks to Miss Campbell, our Associational Missionary, for her tireless efforts in making this possible, also we would say thanks to each person who worked with her.

750 Sunday school training awards were given in our Association this year. Our present Sunday school enrollment is 13,083 making a 8 per cent gain over last year.

We thank each Associational worker, Pastor, Sunday school Supt., and teacher for your co-operation in making this one of the best years in our Sunday school work.

May we join hearts and hands as we go forward in reaching the multitudes for Bible study and Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. W. HOLLAR

15.Rev. J. M. Hayes, superintendent of the North Carolina Baptist Homes for the aging spoke on the progress of this new State Convention project.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

The North Carolina Baptist State Convention in its November, 1950, session authorized the committee on the Home for the Aging to make plans for the opening and operation of our Home for the Aging as soon as the committee might find a way to meet the cost of equipping and operating. Because of the drive to raise money for the construction of the new wing to the Baptist Hospital, the Convention instructed the committee for the Home not to expect direct help from the Baptist State Convention during the year 1951.

On January 9, the committee on the Home elected Rev. James M. Hayes, pastor of North Winston Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, superintendent of the Home, and Miss Edna Heinzerling, Director of Nurses of the Baptist Hospital, to serve as supervisor of our Home. The committee decided to open the Home for residents when sufficient funds became available to begin.

There are many evidences of the Lord's favor upon the Home thus far. In the first place, He led in making a home immediately available. Ten years ago the trustees of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College leased a three-story, brick-constructed, fireproof building, with an elevator, for a period of 25 years for $1.00 a year. The committee on the Home was able to secure this building for 15 years at the same rental price. The building accommodates 20 residents at present. The top floor, if completed, would give space for 16 additional residents. The completion of this floor would cost approximately $23,000. With more than 100 applications for admission already received, and inquiries coming almost daily, one can easily see the pressing need of more space.

The Home has been greatly helped by the gifts received - furniture: office equipment, heating system, blankets, linens, towels, and many other items, as well as discounts on supplies necessary to be purchased. Although the Home has been operating only since March 16, yet it now has assets approximating $50,000, and is not operating in the red.

Our residents range in age from 67 to 91 years, and come from widely scattered sections of North Carolina - from Franklin to Elizabeth City - the mountains to the sea. Regardless of the sections from which they come, they are a happy, congenial family, all rejoicing in the opportunity to live in the Home. The attitude of all the residents is well expressed in the brief statements of Miss Bertha Callaway, former matron of Mills Home Orphanage: "I like this good Christian home"; and of Mrs. Carroll: "I wouldn't exchange it for any other."

One donor said when he sent his check to the Home: "I believe in this practical kind of Christianity. North Carolina Baptists have waited too long to begin it." Surely it is practical, for Jesus said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

The committee on the Home challenged North Carolina Baptists to build a home adequate to meet the need of the increasing number of old people from 65 years up. Their program calls for a million dollar plant, which would accommodate 270 residents. With the Lord leading and North Carolina Baptists cooperating, such a plant should be built and in operation within a few years.

16. The Baptist Training Union report was read by Mrs. J. C. Pilkenton. James T. Morgan, State Director of Training Unions delivered an address on Training. The report was adopted.

TRAINING UNION

The Annual report of the Training Union shows 36 churches with 185 Unions having a total enrollment of 3, 341. The average attendance was 1,822.

During the past year our Associational Training Union held two mass meetings. The Dec. 4 meeting had 24 churches represented with an attendance of 269. The Mar. 11 meeting had 24 churches represented with an attendance of 141.

During April a Central Training school was held at College Ave. Baptist Church. There were 32 churches represented with an enrollment of 881. There was an average attendance of 705. Of the 589 persons receiving credits 17 were pastors. This was the largest training school ever held in the Caldwell Association.

There were 125 of our Caldwell members who took advantage of the Training Union weeks at Ridgecrest during the summer. Several of the young people dedicated their lives to full time Christian Service.

Throughout the past year there has been some 35 churches reporting study courses with approximately 700 awards.

Mr. Harold Craig the Associational Training Union Director left during the summer to take a position at East Belmont Baptist Church as director of Music and Education.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. C. PILKENTON

17. After singing the hymn "I Love to Tell the Story" the report on Christian Schools was read by C. M. Abernethy. Mr. Abernethy presented Mr. Jasper L. Memory, Jr. of the faculty of Wake Forest College who made an address using as his subject Christian Education. The report was adopted.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Two facts should encourage the 700,000 Baptists of North Carolina to emphasize Christian Education. First, there were 43,000 students in colleges and universities of North Carolina last year. Second, the world at large is in great turmoil, and the American way of life is in great danger.

We as a Christian denomination should realize that there is no greater defense on the home front than our schools, colleges, and universities, for through them future citizens of America are being trained, and they need the influence of Christian Education.

The Caldwell Association, therefore, wishes to commend the Baptist Colleges in North Carolina and to support them in every way possible to the end that the great work they are doing may be extended until the Baptist youth of North Carolina are reached throughout the length and breadth of this great state, for we feel that a positive Christain influence over the campuses of our Baptist institutions generates a friendly, democratic atmosphere in which Christian virtues and ethics are respected and practiced.

C. M. ABERNETHY

18. A report on the hospitals was read by Rev. J. J. Buckner. Dr. W. K. McGee from the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem discussed the report. The report was adopted.

HOSPITAL

For twenty eight years our Baptist Hospital has sought to provide a Christian ministry of healing. Thousands of sick persons have been blessed by it. Last year 9,700 patients were cared for in the Hospital, and 95,000 visits were made to the Clinics for examinations and treatments. About half of those had little or no money. Yet they were provided free professional care by our doctors. This free service is made possible by our Mother's Day offerings. Last year the entire State Convention gave on Mother's Day $140,000.00 this offering along with other assistance from various health and welfare agencies, the Duke Endowment and individual gifts enable our Hospital to render $337,000.00 in free services. Our Hospital leaders say when we give one dollar that it enables them to do five dollars of service.

We 14,248 members of the Caldwell Association gave this year $6,609.82 including what we gave for the New South Wing and all causes. This sounds like it is a great amount but it is less than fifty cents per member.

The contracts have been let for the new South Wing addition and the work is beginning on the construction. This work will require about eighteen months.

May our Heavenly Father lead us to do our best for this good cause and Christian ministry of healing.

Respectfully submitted
J. J. BUCKNER

19. A. W. Dodge read the report of the Treasurer for the past year and submitted a proposed budget for 1951-52. After brief discussion, the report was adopted.

REPORT OF TREASURER

Cash Balance September 22, 1951		$ 309.83
RECEIPTS		
Pledges	$3,359.07	
Baptist State Convention	740.00	
1950 Minutes	109.55	
Vacation Bible School Offerings	322.27	
Central Training School	249.79	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		4,780.68
TOTAL RECEIPTS and BALANCE		5,090.51

	BUDGET	DISBURSED	
Clerks's Salary	$ 50.00	50.00	
Sunday School	100.00	21.15	
Training Union	130.00	328.61	
W. M. U.	50.00	—	
Deacons' School	75.00	—	
Vacation Bible School	50.00	282.90	
Pastors' School	100.00	68.96	
Ridgecrest	150.00	15.00	
Postage, Printing, Etc.	250.00	241.08	
Associational Worker:			
Salary (less wh. pybl. $28.20)	2,400.00	2,371.80	
Travel	450.00	450.00	
Rent		585.00	
Convention Expense	100.00	30.00	
Retirement Net	100.00	28.85	
1950 Minutes (Not Budgeted)	—	341.60	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$ 4,005.00		4,814.95
BALANCE IN BANK SEPTEMBER 10,1951			$ 275.56

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. DODGE, Treas.

20. The executive secretary of the State Baptist Convention, Dr. M. A. Huggins was present and spoke on the Cooperative Program. He gave a brief outline of the work being done through the Cooperative Program and urged continued faithful support.

21. Rev. W. F. Woodall, Superintendent of Evangelism, closed the meeting with a fine message on "Evangelism".

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

22. Due to the illness of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the meeting was called to order by the Clerk, F. L. Smith. Dr. J. F. Reece was called to the chair to serve as Moderator Pro Tem.

23. Rev. J. R. Holland, Pastor of Winkler's Grove Baptist Church, conducted the devotional, reading Luke 5:16. Following the devotional the report on the Orphanage was presented by G. G. Steele. Speaking to the report were: G. G. Steele, LeRoy Thomas. M. O. Owens, Jr., and J. Marse Grant, Representative of Thomasville Orphanage. The report was adopted.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

"A Little Child."

We have a wonderful program at our N. C. Orphanage. I say we because Baptists are the ones who support the homeless children with our love, prayers and money.

In our child care program we make available three channels through which dependent children are aided. At Mills Home and Kennedy Home we cared for 606 last year. Then through Mother's Aid we helped support 100. In addition to this we supported 58 children in Boarding Homes. This makes a grand total of 764 children who were given support through your Orphanage Program.

There are two major sources of support for our Orphanage. The Once-A-Month offering by the Sunday Schools and Churches. The other is the Thanksgiving Offering. All this money is used exclusively for the support of the children. By strict economy it has always been sufficient to meet their needs.

We are kept informed, each week, of doings, happenings and things of interest around the Orphanage, and elsewhere about our Baptist Denominational work by the inestimable valued Charity and Children, which goes out to more than forty thousand families.

We solicit your continued prayers and support, and we assure you that the Orphanage will do its best to continue to give these Homeless Children the best training possible.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. STEELE, Orphanage
Representative

24. Report was read by E. E. Stafford, chairman of Trustees of Ridgecrest Cottage. Mr. Stafford spoke to the report. The report was adapted and the committee was commended for an excellent job.

RIDGECREST COTTAGE

FINANCIAL REPORT (September 1st 1950—August 31st 1951)

Balance in bank — 8-31-50	$385.51
DEPOSITS	
1950	
Sept. 26th (Rec'd from Mrs. D. Annas)	31.00
Sept. 28th (Rec'd from Rev. W. F. Woodall)	18.75
Nov. 6th (Rec'd from Miss E. Campbell)	5.00
1951	
Mar. 7th (Rec'd from Rev. Grant Miller)	12.00
June 22nd (Rec'd from Mars Hill College, B. S. U.)	77.00
July 6th (Rec'd from Geo. Hollar & Mr. Green, S. S.)	82.25
July 26th (Rec'd from Mrs. D Annas & College Ave.	193.24
Aug. 9th (Rec'd from Mrs. D. Annas 3rd T. U.)	133.98
Aug. 10th (Rec'd from Rev. Stallings)	34.00
Aug. 24th (Rec'd from Mrs. Will Bogle, W. M. U.)	27.75
	$1,000.49

DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid to Ridgecrest Assembly for water and Garbage Disposal	$ 17.38
Repairs and replacements	6.30
Fire Protection (Black Mt. Fire Dept.)	6.00
Fire Insurance	35.20
Supplies for Cabin	5.00
Lights and Power	49.77
4 double bunk beds, complete with mattresses	126.12
Gasoline to transport beds to Ridgecrest	2.00
Matron — 1 week, paid by check	15.00
	$262.77
Cash in Bank—August 31st 1951	$ 737.72

228 people signed register (using cottage 1 to 6 days). This number includes 33 Mars Hill youth who spent B. S. U. week in Caldwell Cottage.

25. Report on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was submitted by Rev. Robert Frye. Rev. Frye, LeRoy Thomas and C. R. McFelea spoke to the report and same was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

The committee having studied the petition for admission to the Caldwell Association from Baton Church recommend that action be deferred for a period of one year.

Your Committee has conferred also with representatives of Worship Point, Hibriten and Zacks Fork churches and find that they were properly organized. Their record of work is acceptable in every phase with the exception of missions.

Therefore, we recommend that these churches be received under the watch care of the Association for a period of one year. At such time the committee on petitionary letters restudy their records and make recommendation.

W. F. WOODALL, Chairman, C. R. HINTON, D. L. BUMGARNER, ROBERT FRYE and R. L. WILSON.

26. Committee Report on Nominations for officers to serve for the year 1951-52 was presented by Dr. J. F. Reece. The recommendations as made by the committee were adopted and election was unanimous. See Associational Directory for list of officers elected.

27. Report on Religious Literature was read by V. W. Roberts. Mr. Roberts spoke to the report which was adopted.

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

When the Baptist State Convention was organized in 1830 it had as it purpose according to the constitution, the promotion of missions, education, and social service and the distribution of the Bible and sound religious literature. We purposely underscore the words, "sound religious literature" because we reluctantly admit that all religious literature of all denominations is not necessarily sound, if at all religious, but we feel that the immense volume of literature produced by the Southern Baptist is sound and covers the fields of Bible study, Sunday School, Training Union, W. M. U., Brotherhood, Home and Foreign Missions, and so forth.

Every church must make sure that every effort is made to encourage its members to read and study the various types of literature which help us to understand and teach the Bible and which offers inspiration and guidance in Christian living and service. Often we find Sunday School teachers and church leaders in general who have never learned that this wealth of literature is available. All our workers should know that they could have as a comrade the best scholarship that our Southern Baptist Convention has to offer in the form of the various types of literature published by the Baptist in the south.

The winning of people to Christ and the training and development of our people must be carried primarily through preaching, teaching, and the use of good religious literature.

We must place in the hands of our people religious literature in the forms of tracts, magazines, and books. The Bible, of course, occupies chief place on this list.

Baptist people should remember constantly in prayer Mr. Carpenter and others who are responsible for the success of our State paper, The Biblical Recorder. Write to them if you have any material or suggestion for the good of the paper, or if they can be of any service to you. Our great need is to be informed, trained, and enlisted in the whole program of the church and the kingdom of God. The Biblical Recorder is of immense value in this great cause. It is asking to be a comrade and helper to every Baptist home and church in North Carolina and does what it can for the support of every cause dear to the hearts of our people.

We would follow the injunction of Paul to Timothy: "Give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, handling aright the word of truth."

Respectfully submitted,
VICTOR ROBERTS

28. On motion duly seconded the Nominating Committee was authorized to name a member to present the Biblical Recorder and other Baptist literature to the churches of Caldwell Baptist Association. Mr. Emory C. McCall was elected.

29. Prof. Garland Hendrix of Gardner-Webb College was presented, who spoke on special courses offered pastors and lay members of adjoining associations. He stated that instructors would be sent to the associations provided central points could be arranged.

Adjourned for Lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

30. After the devotional period which was conducted by the Rev. Ernest Moore, the report on Stewardship was made by Rev. C. R. Hinton. Rev. Hinton discussed the report and same was adopted.

REPORT ON STEWARDSHIP

"Stewardship is the duty of despensing as an accountable person. Christian Stewardship means that the individual Christian is entrusted with certain things for which he must give account to Christ. Among these are time, talents, influence and money" (Dr. Geo. W. McDaniel "On Christian Stewardship.")

All people are stewards into whose nostrils God hath breathed the breath of life. Some are rich, some are poor, some are willing, some are indifferent. But let us be faithful stewards so that the poor may become equal with the rich and the indifferent may become equal with the willing.

It has been said that each generation makes some startling discovery in the Word of God. If this is true, then surely stewardship is the discovery of this generation of ours.

Many Christians are using opportunities to teach and preach stewardship. There are stewardship classes, public programs, and sermons which have been preached on this subject. It is a matter for the whole church to practice from the pastor to the humblest member. The pastor who is a good steward will be able to lead the people far, and the effectiveness of his leadership in this direction is greatly augmented when the deacons by their daily lives, try themselves to live the true principles of stewardship.

Sometimes stewardship and tithing are used interchangeably. They are not the same. Stewardship is more inclusive and involves all that belongs to life such as time, talents, influence, ability, personality and money while tithing is just one part of stewardship which relates to money or material possessions.

Since we belong to God by right of creation and are his stewards, we are under high obligation to do His will which He has chartered out for us. Stewards is not something forced on an individual by God, be-

cause if it were, we would be slaves and God wants us Sons. But Stewardship is a principale for the developing of men and women in Christian growth. The motive for stewardship is not Christ's need but because of our love for Him. When our people become truly faithful in stewardship to God, the Kingdom work shall prosper.

Your committee urges the importance of this subject upon the churches of the Caldwell Association. We urge that the people be taught; that a school of Stewardship, and Missions be held in each church sometime during the year. The new emphasis will promise a better tomorrow in our church life. The children of today are better trained in the matter of giving than the children of yesterday. This is one of the results of the teaching emphasis in recent years through the Sunday School and the Baptist Training Union.

Stewardship, then, is our entire duty to God and His Kingdom. A full surrender of our lives is what our Master is pleading for. "Blessed is he who lays up treasures in heaven Where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal." He, who so invests for Kingdom interests the talents intrusted to him, will hear the Master say at the end of life's day, "Well done, good and faithful servant - enter thou into the joy of the Lord."

Respectfully submitted,
C. R. HINTON

31. Rev. W. F. Woodall read a report for Rev. Ed Crump on the alcohol problem. Rev. Rufus Hauss, Executive Director of the North Carolina Allied League was present and spoke to the report concerning the plans for voting out beer and liquor in the immediate future. Report was adopted.

THE ALCOHOL PROBLEM

Whereas the alarming fact is that there is more liquor, beer, and wine drunk today than ever before; more drunken driving, more highway deaths, and more crime, we believe that God's people should take a stand against the evils of the day. When we have more young girls who are barmaids than young girls in our colleges, when our state set aside $300,000.00 of our tax money each year to treat alcoholics, when we have more young men on chain gangs and in penitentiaries than we have in our colleges, we need to awake. When the morals of our country are at a low ebb we need to pray, preach, teach, and work to not only curb, but stamp out the roots of such evils.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. J. E. CRUMP

32. Green Thompson, Associational Historian, gave a brief history of the Calvary and Winkler's Grove Baptist Churches. The report was made a part of the records.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Calvary Baptist Church, co-host to the sixty-seventh session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized in 1945, with 67 charter members. Rev. J. E. Crump and deacons George Kincaid and Harrison Watson acting as presbytery.

A house of worship was purchased from another denomination and in 1948 this was remodeled by building a new auditorium and converting all the old building into an educational department .

The church membership at present is 417. The Sunday School enrollment is 365, with an average attendance of 225. The church also has an active W. M. S. and Y. W. A.

Calvary Baptist Church is unique in the fact that it has had only one pastor, Rev. J. E. Crump. Mr. J. K. Walker and Miss Helen Borders have served as church clerk.

Under the able guidance and leadership of Rev. J E. Crump, Calvary church stands as a lighthouse for Christ in this modern age of worldliness.



WINKLERS GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Winklers Grove Baptist Church, co-host to the sixty-seventh session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was first organized in 1896, and later re-organized in 1932.

The following pastors have served Winklers Grove: C. E. Beaver, R. K. Morgan, Frank Friday, H. C. Hammit, L. P. Haas, J. F. Crisp, J. A. Rector, M F. Spencer, C. M. Ervin, W. N. Cook, J. W. Fox, J. W. Greer, and the present pastor, J. R. Holland.

The following have served as church clerks: W. H. Winkler, John R. Hosly, D. E. Bobbit, H. W. Woods, and A. J. Hilderbran, the present clerk.

The first house of worship, a small frame building, burned Dec. 6, 1941, and until 1943 the church worshiped in temporary quarters. In 1943 a small building was erected which served as a place of worship until the present building was completed in 1945. This present building was remodeled this year (1951), into the beautiful edifice which the church now enjoys.

The church has a membership of more than 400, a Sunday School enrollment of 193, a Junior and Intermediate Training Union and a W. M. S.

Under the dynamic and far-sighted leadership of Rev. J. R. Holland, Winklers Grove Baptist Church looks confidently forward to greater and nobler accomplishments in Kingdom service.

GREEN B. THOMPSON
Historian



HISTORIAN'S REPORT

33. On motion duly seconded the Clerk was authorized to write a letter to Mr. J. R. Swanson, who had been active for many years as an officer and historian expressing regret of his inability to attend this session.

34. The Committee on Place and Preacher reported that the first day's session would be held at Union Baptist Church in Oak Hill and the second day at Union Grove Baptist Church, Route No. 3, Lenoir, N. C. They named Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr. to preach the annual sermon. Rev. Robert Frye as alternate.

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

The committee on time, place, and preacher recommend that the next annual session of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association be held on September 18th and 19th at Union Baptist Church, the first day and Union Grove Baptist Church the second day. Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., to preach the annual sermon with Rev. Robert Frye as alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS SHEPHERD, Chairman
G. G. STEELE
MRS. E. W. SMITH.

35. The following resolutions were offered by the committee and the same were adopted.

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Your committee on Resolutions submits the following report:

That we express our appreciation to the Calvary and Winklers Grove Churches for their splendid hospitality and entertainment.

That we express our appreciation to the committees who have made possible the successful and inspiring program.

That we express our appreciation to our visitors who, representing our various agencies of our Convention, participated on the program.

Respectfully submitted,
R. L. WILSON, Chairman
W. F. WOODALL
ERNEST MOORE

36. The Clerk was authorized by motion and seconded to write a letter to the Calvary Baptist Church expressing regrets and sympathy for the unfortunate circumstances surrounding the serving of dinner to the delegates on the opening date of this session.

37. Chairman of Memorials, the Rev. H. S. Benfield made the following report which was adopted.

MEMORIALS

We recognize the passing of those of our members who have embarked since we last met. We miss them sincerely and bow in gratitude for the privilege that we have had in having their company on the journey for a little way. We shall be made the happier as we continue our journey here, in recalling the inspirational fellowship of the past, and anticipate the happy reunion that awaits us. We request the audience to stand while their names are called and remain standing for a moment in silent prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. BENFIELD Chairman

38. Rev. H. S. Benfield installed officers for the ensuing year and Rev. R. L. Wilson expressed for the association sincere appreciation to the host church for the part it performed in the second day of this session.

39. An inspirational message, "Looking on the Fields" was delivered by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Pastor, First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C.

40. All business having been transacted for the annual session, the association adjourned.

Walter W. Jones, Moderator
Frank L. Smith, Clerk

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM

THEME: "FOUND FAITHFUL"

"LET US WORSHIP" _____ Mrs. E. C. James
Hymn: "O Worship the King"
Meditation thoughts:
Special Music: "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind."
PRAYER _____ Mrs. W. W. Jones
BUSINESS:
Welcome _____ Mrs. Ferguson, Kings Creek W. M. S.
Response _____ Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls 1st.
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees
Nominating for 1952
Appreciation
Time and Place
Roll Call of Churches
Recognition of A-1 W. M. S.

OPPORTUNITIES THAT CALL FOR FAITHFULNESS:
Enlistment _____ Dr. M. Theron Rankin
Faithful Witnessing _____ Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Missionary Education of youth _____ Mrs. R. L. Wilson
Rev. C. R. Hinton
FAITHFUL TO THE TASK _____ Miss Hilda Mayo
PRAYER FOR THE WORK OF THE YEAR
Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us"
Announcements
Special Music; "Christ For The Whole Wide World"
"FOUND FAITHFUL" _____ Miss Regina Sliger
PRAYER _____ Rev. R. L. Wilson

LUNCH

AFTERNOON SESSION

HYMN: "The Woman's Hymn" _____
SCRIPTURE _____ Kings Creek
SPECIAL MUSIC:"Somebody Needs Your Love"
PRAYER PERIOD
FAITHFULNESS:
In Stewardship _____ Mrs. J. H. Craig
In Reading and Study _____ Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Mrs. Geo. Icenhour
In Training Youth _____ Mrs. J. D. Craig
HYMN: "Take My Life And Let It Be"
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:
Time and Place
Resolution and Appreciation
Nominating
Dedicatory Prayer _____ Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.
CLOSING MEDITATION: _____ Miss Elizabeth Campbell
PRAYER:

REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Mrs. Grover Triplett, Lenoir N. C. _____ Superintendent
Mrs. O. L. Grice, Lenoir N. C. _____ Associate Superintendent
Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Lenoir, N. C. _____ Secretary and Treasurer
Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C. _____ Young People's Leader
Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Lenoir, N. C. _____ Mission Study
Mrs. L. M. Abernathy, Granite Falls, N. C. _____ Community Mission

Mrs. J. H. Craig, _____ Stewardship
Mrs. George Icenhour, Kings Creek, N. C. _____ Literature
Rev. C. A. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C. _____ R. A. Leader
Mrs. Eller Dickson, Lenoir, N. C. _____ Librarian
Mrs. M. O. Owens, Lenoir, N. C. _____ Margaret Fund
Mrs. J. D. Craig, _____ Training School
Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C. _____ G. A. Associate Leader
Mrs. Ed Lee Steele, Lenoir, N. C. _____ Y. W. A. Associate Leader

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. MARION BARLOW
MRS. ANDREW TRIPLETT
MRS. DEWEY ANNAS
MRS. JOHN QUINN

REPORT OF THE APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

We, the committee on appreciation, in behalf of the Caldwell Associational W. M. U. wish to express our deep appreciation to the Ladies of the Kings Creek Baptist Church for their splendid hospitality and bountiful lunch.

To Mrs. Triplett and her Committee, who prepared such an inspirational program, we are grateful, and feel that we shall go back to our churches inspired to do all the more.

We would wish too, to express to our splendid corp of officers; to Dr. Rankin, Miss Sliger, Mrs. E. C. James and Miss Hilda Mayo our deep appreciation for their consecrated efforts and inspirational messages.

To Mrs. Wilson and her trio we would register thanks for the special music.

For the day and each contact we are deeply thankful.

Your Committee,
MRS. C. R. HINTON
MRS. J. W. MYERS

MISSION STUDY REPORT FOR 1950

No. Mission Study Classes _____ 165
W. M. S. Classes 97-Young People's Classes 68
No. Organizations reporting this year _____ 61
No. Enrolled in Classes _____ 1765
No. W. M. S. Members completing study of a book _____ 813
No. Reading one or more approved Missionary books _____ 1414
(W. M. S. 962-Young People 452)
No. Approved Missionary books read _____ 1484
(W. M. S. 971-Young People 513)

OFFICE REPORT

No. Letters and Postals written _____ 250
No. Telephone calls and personal contacts _____ 175
No. Mission study classes taught _____ 13

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION STUDY GOALS FOR 1951

I. At least one Institute during the year.
II. 75 per cent of the Organizations of each grade shall have a class.
III. 25. per cent of the Organizations of each grade shall have 100 per cent Missionary reading.
IV. The Associational Mission Study Chairman shall read at least 6 Missionary books other than text books.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. A. BOLDIN

LIBRARY REPORT

No. Books in Library	352
No. Books Donated	4
No. Books Loaned	1

Respectfully submitted,
MISS ELLA DICKSON

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN

We have 33 Missionary Organizations in our Association

W. M. S. gave to Co-operative Program	$6,368.37
Young People gave to Co-operative Program	645.36
Total	$7,013.73
W. M. S. Gave to Special Offerings	$2,710.65
Y. P. Gave to Special Offerings	475.50
Total	$3,168.15
Number New Tithers	60
Total Number of Tithers	542

Our Special gifts for 1950 were $367.57 more than in 1949.
Our Co-operative gifts were $888.48 more than in 1949.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. H. CRAIG.

REPORT OF LITERATURE CHAIRMAN

Biblical Recorder	284
Royal Service	240
The Window of Y. W. A.	39
The World Comrades	67
Ambassador Life	33

Not All Reported

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. G. M. ICENHOUR

REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

It makes our hearts thrill when we think of the wonderful work our young people in this association are doing.

We have 78 young people's organizations with 633 members. There were 31 organizations that observed the Home Mission Week of Prayer, and their offering was $200.34.

However, there are 40 churches in our association that have no young people's organizations. Think of all the young people in these churches that are receiving no mission education. Do you have Young Woman's Organization, Girls' Auxiliary, Royal Ambassador and Sunbeam in your church? Let us strive to have all the young people's organizations in all our churches.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. R. L. WILSON.

REPORT OF THE TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Caldwell Association will hold its annual meeting in 1952 at the Whitnel First Baptist Church, at the appointed time.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. G. A. HAMBY
MRS. WILLARD JENKINS
MRS. M. F. ROBERTSON

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1952:

Mrs. Carl Thompson
Mrs. Ned Austin
Mrs. C. A. Bowman
Mrs. D. L. Snyder

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Balance in Bank April 20, 1951			$40.45
Checks written April 20,			
Mrs. E. C. James	$5.00		
Miss Hilda Mayo	5.00		
Miss Regina Sliger	10.00		
Mrs. R. L. Wilson	15.00	$35.00	
		Balance	$5.45
Collected for Associational Expense Fund			$40.50
Love Offering For Miss Stella Austin			$161.92

COMMUNITY MISSIONS REPORT

Total No. Organizations
W. M. S. 33 Y. W. A. 16 G. A. 17 R. A. 14 Sunbeams 14

Reporting Community Missions
W. M. S. 67 Y. W. A. 23 G. A. 38 R. A. 19 Sunbeams 13

No. Members made efforts in Soul-winning
W. M. S. 619 Y. W. A. 51

No. Members engaged in Community Missions
W .M. S. 1144 Y. W. A. 176 C. A. 315 R. A. 123 Sunbeams 130

No. Surveys made
W. M. S. 27 Y. W. A. 3

No. Studied Book on Soul-winning
W. M. S. 7 Y. W. A. 1

No. Studied Guide for Community Missions
W. M. S. 8

No. Showing Christian Fellowship
W. M. S. 58 Y. W. A. 20 G. A. 33 R. A. 19 Sunbeams 10

Lifting Moral Standards in Community
W. M. S. 72 Y. W. A. 8 G. A. 20 R. A. 20 Sunbeams 1

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. L. M. ABERNATHY

IN MEMORIAM

BUFFALO COVE
Mr. Robert L. Miller
CENTER GROVE
Mrs. J. M. Edwards
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mrs. J. E. Triplett
Mr. A. E. Triplett
Mr. James Price
CONCORD
Mrs. Cloyd Snyder
Mrs. John Clay
Mr. Arsen Herman
CONWAYS CHAPEL
Mr. J. W. Braswell (Deacon)
Mrs. Ola Franklin
DUDLEY SHOALS
Mr. M. A. Earp
Mr. Jeff Satterwhite
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Mrs. Dalzy Mabe
Mr. Bill Winkler
GLOBE
Mrs. Alice Sanders
Mrs. Lillie Moore
Mr. Calvin Hall (Deacon)
GRANDVIEW PARK
Mrs. Ed Watson
HARRIS CHAPEL
Mr. N. E. Herman (Deacon)
KINGS CREEK
Mrs. Jane Beach
Mrs. Julia Barlow
Mrs. Nealie Kirby
LENOIR FIRST
Mrs. J. Clark Smith
Mr. Clarence Harris
Mrs. Mamie Smith
Mr. Milton G. Shearer
Mr. William Wynne
Mr. Wade McGowan
Mrs. A. C. Downs
Mrs. R. S. McGowan
Mrs. W. C. Ernest
LONG FORD
Corporal Richard Watson (U. S. Army)
Lucille Puitt
LOVELADY
Mr. J. H. Turnmyre
Mr. Lee Stermer
LOWER CREEK
Mr. Lloyd Suddreth (Deacon)
Mr. M. K. Thompson (Deacon)
Mr. C. L. Bowman
Mr. F. S. McGowan
Mr. Jerome West
Mrs. Rosa G. Ernest
Mrs. W. H. Livingston
Mrs. Mary Ernest
Mrs. Josephine Presnell
MAPLE GROVE
Miss Hildred Penley
Mrs. Lois Greene
Mrs. Emma Philyaw
MILLER HILL
Mrs. Elbert Nelson
MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mr. Ralph Gragg
Miss Kathyrn Gragg
Mrs. Etta Gragg
MOUNTAIN ZION
Mrs. P. L. Miller
Mr. Lawrence P. Cannon
Mr. Ivey Annas
MULVALE
Mrs. Nancy Bryson
NEW HOPE
Mr. J. L. Summers (Deacon)
OAK GROVE
Mr. Willard Campbell
Mr. Jeff Gilbert
PINEY GROVE
Mr. Daught Sanders
PISGAH
Mr. J. P. Blackburn
POOVEY'S CHAPEL
Mr. R. T. Hartley
POOVEY'S GROVE
Mr. Henry Setzer
RHODHISS
Mrs. A. H. Hoyle
ROCKY SPRINGS
Mrs. N. S. Crisp
SARDIS
Mr. W. F. Kerley (Deacon)
Mrs. B. W. Short
SETZER CREEK
Mr. Millard Coffey
TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mr. Roby Summerlin
TEMPLE HILL
Mrs. Mary Reid
UNION
Mrs. Amanda Smith
Mr. William Honeycutt
Mr. Rome West
UNION GROVE
Mrs Monroe Smith
Mr. Hal Shores
Mrs. Arthur Beane
WINKLERS GROVE
Mrs. W. W. Eggers
Mrs. Bessie Smith
Mrs. Ray Cline
WEST LENOIR
Mr. Phifer Baker (Deacon)
WORSHIP POINT
Mrs. Nora Harold
Miss Mildred Rich
YADKIN
Mr. T. G. Miller

ORDAINED MINISTERS

NAME	ADDRESS	PASTORATE	MEMBERSHIP
Austin, John D.	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	Temple Hill	Temple Hill
Beane, L B.	Mortimer, N. C.	Green Valley	Maple Grove
Benfield, J. G.	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	(Retired)	Lower Creek
Benfield, H. S.	Hudson, N. C.	Sardis	Sardis
Bolick, Will	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Mulberry	Union Grove
Bristol, Ira	Collettsville, N. C.	(Inactive)	Green Valley
Brooks, J. C.	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	Dudley Shoals	
		Nelson's Chapel	North Catawba
Buckner, J. J.	Whitnel, N. C.	Central	Central
Bumgarner, A. W.	Granite Falls, N. C.	(None)	Mt. Zion
Bumgarner, D. L.	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Miller Hill	
		Grandview Park	Miller Hill
Cannon, George	Icard, N. C.	(None)	Winklers Grove
Carter, John E.	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	Poovey's Grove	Poovey's Grove
Cloer, Will	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	(None)	Temple Hill
Colvard, C. W.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	(None)	Center Grove
Colvard, H. E.	P. O. 11, Lenoir, N. C.	Conway's Chapel	Conway's Chapel
Cook, Will	Boone, N. C.	Buffalo Cove	-- -- --
Cooke, R. C.	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Setzer Creek	Globe
Conley, Clyde	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Flemings Chapel
Connell, L. V.	Rhodhiss, N. C.	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Crisp, J. H.	Lenoir, N. C.	Poovey's Chapel	
		Rocky Springs	-- -- --
		Rufus	
Crump, Gordon	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	Pisgah	Pisgah
Crump, J. E.	Hudson, N. C.	Calvary	Calvary
Curtis, C. M.	Hudson, N. C.	Temple Mission	Temple Mission
Davis, L. R.	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Center Grove	Center Grove
Dellinger, I. C.	Collettsville, N. C.	(None)	Green Valley
Driver, J. E.	Spruce St., Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	College Avenue
Dula, Walter M.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Johns River	-- -- --
Edmisten, W. H.	300 S. Mullberry Lenoir, N. C.	Green Rock	
		Zack's Fork	Calvary
Eichelberger, W. A.	Wilkesboro, N. C.	Cedar Rock	-- -- --
Ellit, Jay	Hickory, N. C.	(None)	Winklers Grove
Fox J. W.	Mortimer, N. C.	Maple Grove	Maple Grove
Frye, Robert	Patterson, N. C.	Yadkin	Yadkin
Greene, Alvin	Granite Falls, N. C.	Lovelady	Lovelady
Greer, Joe	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	High View	High View
Haas, L. P.	Granite Falls, N. C.	(None)	Mountain View
Hamby, G. A.	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	Whitnel First	-- -- --
Harless, W. C.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Temple Mission
Hart, Jacob I.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	(None)	Poovey's Chapel
Hearne, Tommy W.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Oak Grove	Oak Grove
Helton, Calvin J.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Hibriten	Calvary
Hester, Paul	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Mt. Zion	Mt. Zion
Hice, Wade	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	(None)	Union Grove
Hinton, C. R.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Granite Falls 1st	Granite Falls 1st
Holland, Jack	Long View Station, N. C.	Winklers Grove	-- -- --

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Jenkins, W. L.	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandin	Grandin
Johnson, W. O.	Rt. 2. Taylorsville, N. C.	Union	Mt. Herman
Jones, W. Walter	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Lower Creek	Lower Creek
Knight, A. F.	Rt. 1 Hudson, N. C.	(None)	Poovey's Chapel
Laws, J. T.	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Worship Point
Lee, D. S.	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	(Retired)	Nelson's Chapel
Mangum, Oscar R.	607 Hosp. Ave. Ext. Lenoir, N. C.	(Retired)	Lenoir First
McFelea, C. R.	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	Center Grove
McManus, Hughey	Granite Falls, N. C.	(None)	Clover
Messer, H. H.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Blairs Fork Long Ford	Long Ford
Miller, Lawrence	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Mulvale	
Miller, R. B.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	(None)	Mt. Zion
Moore, Ernest W.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Concord	Concord
Moss. W. R.	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Harris Chapel
Mull, C. J.	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	(None)	Temple Mission
Mull, George	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	(None)	Hartland
Nelson, J. H.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Setzer Creek
Owens, M. O., Jr.	407 Kentwood St., Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Lenoir First
Paige, Roy	Hickory, N. C.		Winklers Grove
Parson, Charlie	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		Pisgah
Penley, E. G.	Mortimer, N. C.		Globe
Phillips, M. S.	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.		New Hope
Philyaw, Roy	Mortimer, N. C.		Maple Grove
Prestwood, R. L.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		Calvary
Ramsey, J. W.	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	Yadkin Valley	Clark's Chapel
Rash, D. W.	Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Mountain View
Revelt, J. A.	Hickory, N. C.	(None)	Winklers Grove
Rhodes, Joe	Hickory, N. C.	(None)	Winklers Grove
Sheppard, T. A.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Clover	Clover
Shumaker, T. P.	384 S. Mulberry, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Lenoir First
Silver, J. S.	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Flemings Chapel
Snipes, L. E.	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove	Union Grove
Stroud, J. O.	Maple Drive, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	College Avenue
Swanson, Lewis	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	(None)	Hartland
Tester, Albert	Reece, N. C.	Bethany	Timber Ridge
Thomas, Le Roy A.	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	Mountain Grove	Mountain Grove
Tuttle, Clifton A.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Blairs Fork
Van Horn, T. W.	Hickory, N. C.	Edgmont	Long View
Walker, Ira	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Mountain View	Mountain View
Watson, Thomas	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	(None)	Long Ford
Wilson, Paul N.	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	Hartland	Hartland
Wilson, R. L.	Kings Creek, N. C.	Kings Creek	Kings Creek
Woodall, W. F.	482 W. Harper, Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	College Avenue
Woodruff, C. E.	Globe, N. C.	(None)	Globe

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

CHURCH	NAME	ADDRESS
Pisgah	Benny McDonald	R. F. D., Lenoir N. C.
	Emmet J. Dula	R. F. D., Lenoir N. C.
Poovey's Chapel	Jacob I. Hart	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Temple Hill	Wayne Pennell	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel First	Perry Lee Smith	Rt. 2, Hickory, N. C.
Mountain View	R. H. Phillips	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
	Claude Gragg	Collettsville, N. C.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

CHURCH	NAME	ADDRESS
Temple Hill	John D. Austin	Whitnel, N. C.

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

CHURCH	NAME	SCHOOL
College Avenue	Earl Holman	In Service, U. S. A.
	Bruce Cresson	Wake Forest College
Oak Grove	Joe Richards	-- -- -- -- -- -- --
Granite Falls First	Jack Coffey	Lenoir Rhyne College
Rhodhiss	Guthrie Curtis	Lenoir Rhyne College
Whitnel First	Wayne Pennell	Mars Hill College

CHURCH	CHOIR DIRECTORS (Name and Address)	
Bethany	Murray Green	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor,	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins	Yadkin Valley, N. C.
Calvary	W. M. Lambert	Valdese, N. C.
Cedar Rock		
Center Grove	D. R. Bolick	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Central	Carl Swanson,	Whitnel, N. C.
Clarks Chapel	Parks Underdown	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Clover		
College Avenue	J. O. Stroud, Maple	Drive, Lenoir, N. C.
Concord	W. P. Richards	Granite Falls, N. C.
Conways Chapel	Richard Deal	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.
Dudley Shoals	Claude Smith	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Edgemont		
Flemings Chapel	William Clarke	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.
Globe	Bobby Cooke	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandview Park		
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Green Rock		
Granite Falls, First	Mr. A. G. Campbell,	Hickory, N. C.
Green Valley	W. B. Greene	Collettsville, N. C.
Harris Chapel	Ted Townsend,	Hudson, N. C.
Hartland	O. W. Martin	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.
Hibriten	Mack Winebarger,	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
High View	James Smith	Rt, 1, Hudson, N. C.
Johns River		
Kings Creek	J. M. Laxton	Kings Creek, N. C.
Lenoir First	Miss Anne Reams	124 Norwood St. Lenoir,
Long Ford	J. R. Andrews	Box 48, Lenoir N. C.
Lovelady	Jim Mull	Granite Falls, N. C.
Lower Creek	Lyn Pollard	Lenoir, N. C.
Maple Grove		
Miller Hill	Charlie Triplett	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mulberry		
Mountain Grove	W. W. Sturgill	Rt. 2, Granite Falls N. C.
Mountain View	Douglas Clark	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Mulvale	Houston Clark	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Luther Suddreth	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
New Hope	Mrs. Wilda Summerlin	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Oak Grove	J. B. Myers	Granite Falls, N. C.
Piney Grove	Charlie Winkler	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pleasant Hill	Bob Laws,	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Pisgah	Kenneth Crump	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Poovey's Chapel	Mrs. Bonnie Austin	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Poovey's Grove	M. L. Christopher	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Rhodhiss	Mrs. D. D. Annas	Granite Falls, N. C.
Rocky Springs	J. V. Beane	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Rufus	W. C. Greene	Lenoir, N. C.
Sardis		
Setzer Creek		
Temple Missionary	Burma Cornett	Gen. Del., Lenoir N. C.

Temple Hill	John D. Austin	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Union	John Quinn	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Union Grove	C. V. Harmon	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel First	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Winklers Grove	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
West Lenoir	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Worship Point	Claude B. Suddreth	Rt. 4 Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin	Isaac Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin Valley	Ford Baker	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Zacks Fork	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	

PIANIST or ORGANIST

(Name and Address)

Bethany	Mary Bolick	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Blairs Fork	Mrs. Jennings Taylor	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Buffalo Cove	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Calvary	Miss Louise Lambert	Valdese, N. C.
Cedar Rock	Miss Betty Jean Hollar	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Center Grove	Miss Rachel Bolick	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Central	Melvin Hines	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Howard Jenkins	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Clover	Charles Haas,	Granite Fall, N C.
College Avenue	Mrs. Mast Dickson Jr.,	Lenoir, N. C.
Concord	Mrs. Lawrence Triplett	Granite Falls, N. C.
Conways Chapel	Mrs. Gladys Whisnant	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Fred Bowman	Rt. 1, Granite Falls,
Edgemont	Mrs. A. E. Miller	Edgemont, N. C
Flemings Chapel	Mrs D. S. Richards	Rt. 6 Lenoir, N. C.
Globe	Mrs. Robert E. Coffey	Globe, N. C.
Grandview Park	Mrs. Greta Moore Houck	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandin	Mrs. Bill Howell,	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Green Rock	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Granite Falls, First	Miss Willa Dean Curtis,	Granite Falls, N. C.
Green Valley	Mrs. Coye Clark	Collettsville, N. C.
Harris Chapel	Mrs. Lewis Annas	Hudson, N. C.
Hartland	Miss Gene Turnmire,	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Hibriten	Linda Duncan	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
High View	Mrs. Ruth Angeley	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Johns River	Cora Lee Andrews	Upton, N. C.
Kings Creek	Erma Teague	Boomer, N. C.
Lenoir First	Miss Anne Reams	124 Norwood St. Lenoir,
Long Ford	Mrs Shirley Andrews,	Box 48, Lenoir, N . C.
Lovelady	Miss Nan Bolick	Granite Falls, N. C.
Lower Creek	Mrs. Edward Perdue	Lenoir, N . C.
Maple Grove	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Miller Hill	Joan Triplett	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Boyd Benfield	Rt. 2, Granite Falls,
Mulberry	Mrs. Mollie Greene	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Mountain Grove	Miss Margaret Smith	Rt. 2, Granite Falls,
Mountain View	Mrs. Dale Phillips	Rt. 4 Lenoir, N. C.
Mulvale	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Boyd Miller	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour	Rt. 1, Lenoir N. C.

Oak Grove	David Richards	Granite Falls, N. C.
Piney Grove	Miss Betty Sue Sharpe	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pleasant Hill	Kay Edge	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Pisgah	Mrs. James Crump	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Poovey's Chapel	Miss Ethel Haas	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Sam Anderson	Rt. 2 Granite Falls, N. C.
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. F. Kirby	Rhodhiss, N. C.
Rocky Springs	Mrs. Poe Crump	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Rufus	Mrs. Ruth Mast	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Sardis	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Setzer Creek	J. H. Nelson	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Temple Missionary	Mrs. W. C. Harless	Rt. 5 Lenoir, N. C.
Temple Hill	Mrs. Maggie Starnes	Rt. 1, Granite Falls
Union	Miss Betty Chester	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Union Grove	Mrs. O. L. Gibson	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel First	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Winklers Grove	Miss Betty Miller	Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.
West Lenoir	-- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- --	
Worship Point	Mrs. Claude B. Suddreth	Rt. 4 Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin	Mrs. Bill Storie	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack Clarke	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Zacks Fork	Mrs. C. A. Stokes	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.

LIBRARIAN

CHURCH	NAME	ADDRESS
Cedar Rock,	Mrs. Nola Correll	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Clover,	Mrs. Hazel Dishman	Granite Falls, N. C.
College Avenue,	J. O. Stroud,	Maple Drive, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandin,	Miss Clara Greer	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Harris Chapel,	Garloth Annas,	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Lenoir First,	Miss Anne Reams	Lenoir, N. C.
Lower Creek,	Mrs. W. Walter Jones	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Mt. Zion,	Miss Carrie Mae Smith,	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Piney Grove,	Miss Mary Eleanor Sharpe,	Rt. 5 Lenoir, N. C.

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885 - 1951

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkins	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M .Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove			
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1947 Lenoir First			
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1948 Central			
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1949 Harris Chapel			
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1950 Concord			
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1951 Calvary			
1951 Winklers Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith	Paul Hester

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS: Baptisms	GAINS: Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL: Total Resident Members	TOTAL: Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL: Grand Total Present Members	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	No. Known Roman Catholics to Join Church in Year
BETHANY	R	1902	1-3	ALBERT TESTER, REESE, N. C.	--	--	--	50	64	114	1	--	--	YES	--
BLAIR'S FORK	V	1891	ALL	HOMER H. MESSER, RT. 5, LENOIR, N. C.	2	6	11	103	61	164	1	18	--	--	--
BUFFALO COVE	R	1857	2-4	WILL COOKE, BOONE, N. C.	2	2	7	66	37	103	1	--	--	--	--
CALVARY	T	1945	ALL	J. ED CRUMP, HUDSON, N. C.	6	17	66	417	19	436	2	--	--	--	--
CEDAR ROCK	R	1942	1-3	W. A. EICHELBERGER, WILKESBORO, N. C.	5	2	2	35	26	61	2	--	--	--	--
CENTER GROVE	R	1912	ALL	L. R. DAVIS, RT. 6, LENOIR, N. C.	6	4	2	131	--	131	2	13	--	--	--
CENTRAL	V	1938	ALL	J. J. BUCKNER, WHITNEL, N. C.	3	30	9	300	13	313	1	50	--	--	--
CLARKS CHAPEL	R	1900	1-3	L. E. SNIPES, RT. 3, LENOIR, N. C.	2	1	2	136	68	204	1	10	--	--	--
CLOVER	T	1942	ALL	T. A. SHEPPARD, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	18	17	5	139	34	173	3	--	--	--	--
COLLEGE AVENUE	C	1910	ALL	W. F. WOODALL, LENOIR, N. C.	81	64	71	1157	221	1378	1	213	YES	YES	--
CONCORD	T	1908	ALL	ERNEST W. MOORE, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	38	29	13	437	--	437	2	140	--	--	--
CONWAYS CHAPEL	R	----	2-4	H. F. COLVARD, LENOIR, N. C.	1	3	5	27	48	75	1	2	--	--	--
DUDLEY SHOALS	V	1861	2-4-5	J. C. BROOKS, RT. 2, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	6	12	14	244	15	259	2	--	--	--	--
EDGEMONT	R	1915	2-4	T. W. VAN HORN, HICKORY, N. C.	6	2	1	32	6	38	2	--	--	--	--
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	R	1888	1-3-5	J. S. SILVER, RT. 6, LENOIR, N. C.	41	10	11	231	29	260	1	10	--	--	--
GLOBE	R	1832	2-4	L. B. BEANE, COLLETTSVILLE, N. C.	7	3	3	51	54	105	2	--	--	--	--
GRANDVIEW PARK	R	1930	1-3-5	D. L. BUMGARNER, RT. 3, LENOIR, N. C.	27	8	1	117	18	135	2	12	--	--	--
GRANDIN	R	1914	1-3	W. L. JENKINS, RT. 1, LENOIR, N. C.	--	9	--	71	25	96	1	24	--	--	--
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	T	----	ALL	C. R. HINTON, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	63	23	9	538	--	538	2	--	--	--	--
GREEN ROCK	R	1889	2-4	W. H. EDMISTEN, LENOIR, N. C.	--	--	--	30	4	34	2	--	--	--	--
GREEN VALLEY	R	1888	1	L. B. BEANE, COLLETTSVILLE, N. C.	1	--	3	33	25	58	2	--	--	--	--
HARRIS CHAPEL	R	1912	ALL	W. R. MOSS, RT. 3, LENOIR, N. C.	13	4	5	212	65	277	1	62	--	--	--
HARTLAND	R	1938	2-4	PAUL N. WILSON, RT. 3, MORGANTON, N. C.	8	5	7	128	70	198	2	25	--	--	--
HIBRITEN	R	1951	ALL	CALVIN J. HELTON, RT. 1, HUDSON, N. C.	30	54	--	84	--	84	2	40	--	--	--
HIGH VIEW	R	1950	ALL	JOE GREER, RT. 1, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	14	13	3	76	5	81	2	--	--	--	--
JOHNS RIVER	R	1890	1	WALTER DULA, R. F. D., LENOIR, N. C.	2	1	10	51	72	123	1	--	--	--	--
KINGS CREEK	R	1779	ALL	R. L. WILSON, KINGS CREEK, N. C.	19	5	19	311	99	410	2	14	--	--	--
LENOIR FIRST	C	1889	ALL	M. O. OWENS, JR., LENOIR, N. C.	5	29	87	750	187	937	1	--	--	--	--
LONGFORD	R	1934	ALL	HOMER H. MESSER, RT. 5, LENOIR, N. C.	11	6	9	127	111	238	2	31	--	--	--

Lovelady	R	1864	All	Alvin Greene, Granite Falls, N. C.	22	8	5	121	41	162	2	14	—	—	—
Lower Creek	R	1826	All	W. Walter Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	10	8	19	500	84	584	1	100	—	—	—
Maple Grove	R	——	All	J. W. Fox, Lenoir, N. C.	2	1	8	34	30	64	1	—	—	—	—
Miller Hill	V	1935	2-4	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	8	4	8	182	18	200	2	—	—	—	—
Mt. Zion	V	1889	All	Paul Hester, Rt.1, Hudson, N. C.	28	13	13	494	—	494	2	—	—	—	—
Mulberry	R	1853	1-3	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	11	—	4	78	—	78	1	—	—	—	—
Mountain Grove	R	1884	All	LeRoy A. Thomas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	14	15	6	275	30	305	2	76	—	—	—
Mountain View	R	1948	All	Ira Walker, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	10	10	10	92	—	92	2	5	—	—	—
Mulvale	R	1941	2-4	Lawrence Miller, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	3	9	2	112	—	112	1	—	—	—	—
Nelsons Chapel	R	1905	1-3	J. C. Brooks, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	3	1	5	48	10	58	1	—	—	—	—
New Hope	R	1939	2-4		2	1	5	68	23	91	1	—	—	—	—
Oak Grove	R	1938	All	Tommy W. Hearne, Granite Falls, N. C.	8	27	8	130	40	170	2	50	—	—	—
Piney Grove	R	1869	2-4	Clifton A. Tuttle, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	8	4	4	140	47	187	1	41	—	—	—
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	All		7	17	7	100	30	130	2	—	—	—	—
Pisgah	R	1877	All	Gordon Crump, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	19	11	1	100	84	184	2	15	—	—	—
Pooveys Chapel	R	1932	4	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	6	12	5	137	4	141	2	7	—	—	—
Pooveys Grove	R	1898	All	John E. Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	30	13	9	185	54	239	3	—	—	—	—
Rhodhiss	T	1906	All	L. V. Connell, Rhodhiss, N. C.	7	2	12	229	138	367	2	—	—	—	—
Rocky Springs	V	1845	1-3	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	9	—	6	94	36	130	1	—	—	—	—
Rufus	R	1940	3	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	4	69	16	85	1	—	—	—	—
Sardis	T	1831	All	H. S. Benfield, Hudson, N. C.	24	10	22	364	127	491	2	—	—	—	—
Setzer Creek	R	1948	2-4	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	8	12	7	86	6	92	2	10	—	—	—
Temple Missionary	V	1942	All	C. M. Curtis, Hudson, N. C.	11	15	5	167	16	183	1	14	—	—	—
Temple Hill	R	1946	All	John D. Austin, Whitnel, N. C.	7	10	16	127	—	127	2	12	—	—	—
Union	R	1814	1-3	W. O. Johnson, Rt. 2, Taylorsville, N. C.	12	4	11	238	170	408	2	20	—	—	—
Union Grove	R	1898	1-3-5	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	34	24	12	220	63	283	2	—	—	—	—
Whitnel First	T	1910	All	G. A. Hamby, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	27	17	30	177	80	257	2	40	—	—	—
Winklers Grove	R	1886	All	J. R. Holland, Lonview Station, N. C.	65	25	72	275	125	400	2	—	—	—	—
West Lenoir	V	1943	All	C. K. McFelea, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	4	9	13	120	--	120	2	14	—	—	—
Worship Point	R	1946	2-4	J. T. Laws, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	14	15	4	57	—	57	4	5	—	—	—
Yadkin	V	1791	All	Robert A. Frye, Patterson, N. C.	36	10	12	309	93	402	2	71	—	—	—
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	2-4	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	2	—	—	62	—	62	1	—	—	—	—
Zacks Fork	R	1951	All	W. H. Edmisten, Lenoir, N. C.	3	31	1	33	—	33	1	12	—	—	—
				Totals	871	697	711	11507	2741	14248	105	1170	—	—	—

Table B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT													V. B. S.	
		15 Cradle Roll	16 Nursery	17 Beginners	18 Primaries	19 Juniors	20 Intermediates	21 Young People	22 Adults	23 Extension Department	24 Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	25 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	26 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	27 Average Attendance	28 Vacation Bible School Enrolment	29 Average Attendance
Bethany	Hardy Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	4	4	—	11	—	13	15	—	2	—	49	35	30	27
Blairs Fork	John Taylor, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	18	5	6	7	30	38	—	2	—	106	77	48	48
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	—	—	14	11	22	11	9	20	—	2	—	89	56	51	47
Calvary	Howard Shuemake, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	41	44	39	59	35	135	—	2	—	355	225	140	124
Cedar Rock	C. F. Arms, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	14	19	—	—	15	18	11	2	—	77	56	32	27
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	—	10	31	27	34	29	69	20	—	2	—	222	124	105	81
Central	A. J. Parsons, Whitnel, N. C.	35	11	21	20	46	42	60	70	—	10	—	315	208	126	107
Clarks Chapel	S. A. Maynard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	20	25	21	13	16	46	—	2	—	143	80	51	46
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	13	16	6	34	41	32	50	36	—	2	—	226	105	98	89
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	50	108	73	140	175	161	127	415	22	7	—	1278	595	331	260
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.	40	50	30	60	82	76	88	188	25	7	—	646	299	250	197
Conways Chapel	Richard Deal, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	—	—	12	—	10	—	10	8	—	2	—	42	37	33	23
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	—	—	37	22	39	6	59	50	—	2	—	215	150	63	54
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Mortimer, N. C.	10	—	—	—	8	—	7	13	—	2	—	41	30	30	25
Flemings Chapel	Toye Greene, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	20	27	35	40	55	90	—	2	—	270	230	121	102
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, N. C.	—	—	10	—	15	—	18	16	—	2	—	61	50	37	33
Grandview Park	C. E. Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	11	13	32	9	19	37	—	4	—	125	100	78	67
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt.1, Lenoir, N. C.	4	3	8	12	10	13	7	38	6	2	—	103	50	38	32
Granite Falls First	Charles W. Miller, Granite Falls, N. C.	—	34	40	45	79	60	42	178	11	5	—	494	248	146	122
Green Rock	Roy Woodring, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	—	—	4	2	4	—	2	21	—	2	—	35	26	21	20
Green Valley	James T. Philyaw, Collettsville, N. C.	—	—	20	—	12	20	—	20	—	3	—	75	35	25	25
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Hudson, N. C.	6	23	20	25	43	31	37	70	2	3	—	260	170	117	108
Hartland	O. W. Martin, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	—	—	19	10	30	26	29	82	—	2	—	198	125	91	75
High View	H. M. McLean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	—	—	16	10	14	20	—	30	—	2	—	94	67	49	43
Hibriten	Earl Winebarger, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	19	—	25	20	20	25	—	39	2	2	—	152	125	—	—
Johns River	R. G. Estes, Upton, N. C.	—	—	6	—	—	12	15	9	—	2	—	44	35	2	12
Kings Creek	V. W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	18	11	18	27	45	35	26	94	15	2	—	291	161	113	104
Lenoir First	Luther B. Robinson, Hickory Rd., Lenoir	29	75	45	79	89	72	61	420	30	10	—	910	452	195	175
Lonegrd	Grady Sumpter, N. Main St., Lenoir	—	—	8	12	21	29	18	37	—	2	—	127	97	68	63

Lovelady	Walter Turnmyre, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	—	6	12	20	20	19	23	30	—	2	—	130	100	74	60
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	16	22	40	52	59	58	47	205	55	5	—	559	297	226	173
Maple Grove	Hattie Shuemake, Mortimer, N. C.	—	11	4	6	7	6	6	20	—	2	—	52	30	26	22
Miller Hill	William J. Hollar, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	13	33	27	23	15	56	—	2	—	169	112	79	72
Mt. Zion	J. M. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	—	28	29	50	55	46	50	140	—	5	—	403	226	113	106
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	60	50	47	43
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	38	22	35	38	33	40	18	158	15	4	—	401	202	119	105
Mountain View	Douglas Clarke, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	12	12	15	8	8	31	—	2	—	88	72	52	43
Mulvale	Cecil Clarke, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	—	5	11	11	12	16	8	29	—	1	—	93	36	25	22
Nelsons Chapel	Wallace Cozort, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	10	7	9	5	7	22	—	2	—	62	50	34	28
New Hope	G. H. Crotts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	19	13	17	15	21	45	—	2	—	132	70	66	65
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.	—	—	20	15	25	20	20	41	7	2	—	150	98	74	64
Piney Grove	G. W. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	—	20	26	14	39	25	46	41	—	2	—	213	105	50	46
Pleasant Hill	Alfred Rader, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	10	—	10	20	30	30	—	7	—	107	60	54	42
Pisgah	Ambrose Bryant, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	20	—	35	—	45	25	—	5	—	130	99	48	42
Pooveys Chapel	Howard Knight, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	—	8	21	12	27	23	10	47	—	10	—	158	105	39	38
Pooveys Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	12	12	15	25	23	16	13	88	—	2	—	206	121	95	83
Rhodhiss	Guthrie Curtis, Rhodhiss, N. C.	23	3	12	24	66	32	32	53	—	3	—	248	191	109	95
Rocky Springs	J. V. Beane, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	15	15	15	17	12	53	—	2	—	129	75	37	35
Rufus	W. C. Coffey, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	12	—	8	10	—	28	—	2	—	60	38	20	17
Sardis	C. W. Wilkie, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	—	19	35	52	58	59	45	146	38	7	—	449	197	146	133
Setzer Creek	Cecil Watson, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	—	10	—	25	20	—	23	48	—	2	—	128	70	59	55
Temple Missionary	James Summerlin, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	25	12	18	20	15	48	—	3	—	141	106	59	53
Temple Hill	Avery Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	—	—	20	—	18	11	13	44	—	2	—	108	70	55	47
Union	Bill Land, Rt. 2, Taylorsville, N. C.	—	13	20	27	40	32	29	74	—	2	—	237	141	98	95
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	—	18	22	61	43	40	60	98	—	2	—	344	193	114	104
Whitnel First	B. H. Reary, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	29	—	31	20	29	20	14	61	13	6	—	215	145	100	82
Winklers Grove	Millard Benefield, Box 487, Hickory	—	—	28	14	15	25	17	67	—	2	—	168	100	68	58
West Lenoir	Dewey Ward, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	17	24	27	11	8	46	—	2	—	135	74	69	61
Worship Point	Claude B. Suddreth, Rt. 4, Lenoir	—	—	13	13	17	10	5	24	—	3	—	82	62	—	—
Yadkin	Johnny Suddreth, Lenoir, N. C.	17	28	14	38	49	50	23	113	5	6	—	343	201	178	164
Yadkin Valley	P. R. Burse, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	3	—	19	—	11	14	—	32	—	4	—	82	47	40	40
Zacks Fork	Johnny Whistnant, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	7	8	12	14	—	15	—	2	—	58	50	45	39
	Totals	362	570	1178	1330	1842	1533	1580	4211	257	195	—	13083	7641	4914	4263

Table C TRAINING UNION

	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	No. Mission Unions	Total Number Units	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	Mission Enrolment	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
1	Bethany	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	Blairs Fork	No report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	Buffalo Cove	No report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	Calvary	F. L. Pilkinton, Rt. 9, Lenoir	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	4	—	4	—	26	17	13	15	—	2	75	56
5	Cedar Rock	A. Y. Jackson, Rt. 1, Lenoir	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	Center Grove	Lona Bell Bolick, Rt. 1, Hudson	—	1	—	1	1	1	—	—	4	—	8	—	16	23	9	—	—	3	59	25
7	Central	Mrs. C. T. Tedder, Rt. 9, Lenoir	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	45	—	12	—	12	17	—	17	—	2	78	42
8	Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lennoir	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	5	—	16	7	13	14	—	3	58	41
9	Clover	Hughey McManus, Granite Falls	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	13	—	27	13	29	21	—	4	107	45
10	College Avenue	J. O. Stroud, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	4	4	2	3	—	17	5	14	21	74	87	32	97	—	4	334	170
11	Concord	Quincie T. Curtis, Granite Falls	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	—	11	11	5	7	25	21	22	58	—	9	158	75
12	Conways Chapel	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	Dudley Shoals	J. C. Brooks, Rt. 2, G. Falls	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	6	—	11	14	7	20	—	2	60	50
14	Edgemont	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	Flemings Chapel	Cecil Arney, Rt. 7, Lenoir	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75	60
16	Globe	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	Grandview Park	Mrs. Patsy Thomas, Rt. 6, Lenoir	—	1	—	1	2	1	1	—	6	—	8	—	14	16	8	16	—	7	69	40
18	Grandin	Ernest Hayes, Rt. 1, Lenoir	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	10	10	—	14	—	2	43	26
19	Granite Falls First	Rebecca Kirby, Granite Falls	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	8	—	22	24	12	18	—	4	88	68
20	Green Rock	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21	Green Valley	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22	Harris Chapel	Alered Townsend, Rt. 2, G. Falls	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	—	8	7	5	6	16	18	19	10	—	2	83	63
23	Hartland	Jay Hall, Rt. 3, Morganton	1	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	13	—	—	10	20	20	24	—	7	87	39
24	Hibriten	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25	High View	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26	Johns River	No report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27	Kings Creek	Henry Medlock, Rt. 1, Lenoir	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	—	15	27	31	13	21	—	5	107	58
28	Lenoir First	Clarence A. Holden, Lenoir	—	1	1	1	2	4	3	—	9	—	12	13	22	32	15	74	—	3	171	81
29	Long Ford	Fred Bryant, Rt. 5, Lenoir	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	5	11	—	12	18	13	8	23	—	3	77	53

Lovelady	Mrs. Jim Mull, Rt. 1, G. Falls	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	4	—	—	—	16	16	9	14	—	2	57	40
Lower Creek	Clarence Prestwood, Rt.1, Lenoir	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	6	—	8	8	24	20	22	51	—	4	137	82
Maple Grove	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miller Hill	L. H. Nelson, Rt. 6, Lenoir	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	10	—	15	16	9	9	—	1	61	30
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith,Rt1,Hudson	—	1	2	2	2	1	2	—	10	—	16	20	29	26	16	39	—	3	149	94
Mulberry	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountain Grove	Carroll Sullivan, Rt.2, G. Falls	—	1	—	2	2	1	2	—	8	—	8	—	25	25	8	39	—	10	113	72
Mountain View	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mulvale	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nelsons Chapel	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Hope	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oak Grove	Otha Hearne, Rt. 1, Valdese	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	3	—	—	10	—	—	12	18	—	2	42	25
Piney Grove	Mrs. Alta Holder, Rt. 5, Lenoir	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	—	9	7	11	10	8	—	1	45	28
Pleasant Hill	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pisgah	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pooveys Chapel	Parks Haas, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	4	—	—	12	12	13	—	11	—	2	50	31
Pooveys Grove	J. D. Craig, Rt. 2, G. Falls	—	1	1	1	1	1	2	—	7	—	10	12	9	10	6	20	—	2	67	46
Rhodhiss	Fred Carpenter, Rhodhiss, NC	†	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	16	—	—	31	12	11	7	—	5	82	38
Rocky Springs	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rufus	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sardis	Calvin Icard, Rt. 3, Lenoir	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	6	—	9	12	32	33	26	20	—	3	135	54
Setzer Creek	Mrs. Louisa Rich, Rt. 8, Lenoir	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42	20
Temple Missionary	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Temple Hill	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Union	Shirley McGee, Rt. 2, Lenoir	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	4	—	—	7	13	21	—	40	—	3	84	45
Union Grove	Allen Herman, Rt. 3, Lenoir	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—	5	—	8	—	19	12	13	22	—	2	76	50
Whitnel First	Walter Honaker, Rt. 3, Lenoir	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	6	—	11	12	14	20	10	29	—	3	99	66
Winklers Grove	Mrs. C. G. Barnes, Hickory	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	12	18	—	—	—	2	32	30
West Lenoir	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Worship Point	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yadkin	Mrs. R. A. Frye, Patterson	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	—	7	7	8	13	20	29	13	45	—	6	141	79
Yadkin Valley	No report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Zacks Fork	No report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Totals	8	20	19	37	38	29	40	—	185	59	185	198	624	646	385	828	—	123	2141	1822

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION		W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES														
BETHANY	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
BLAIRS FORK	MRS. NED R. TAYLOR, RT. 5, LENOIR	1	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	9	—	18
BUFFALO COVE	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CALVARY	MRS. GORDON KEMP, RT. 6, LENOIR,	1	1	—	1	—	2	22	9	—	—	—	31	23	14
CEDAR ROCK	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CENTER GROVE	MRS. CONNIE MCRARY, RT. 1, HUDSON	1	—	1	—	—	2	7	—	18	—	—	25	—	16
CENTRAL	MRS. J. J. BUCKNER, WHITNEL, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	26	16	6	18	78	150	—
CLARKS CHAPEL	MRS. CLYDE JENKINS, RT. 3, LENOIR	1	—	—	—	—	1	18	—	—	—	—	18	8	6
CLOVER	MRS. FRED CLINE, GRANITE FALLS	1	—	1	1	1	4	30	—	16	13	18	77	58	30
COLLEGE AVENUE	MRS. WILBER HONEYCUTT, LENOIR, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	121	23	25	29	23	221	166	123
CONCORD	MRS. ERNEST W. MOORE, GRANITE FALLS	1	1	2	2	1	7	48	12	25	26	14	125	75	40
CONWAYS CHAPEL	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
DUDLEY SHOALS	MRS. CLUDE BOWMAN, RT. 1, GRANITE FALLS	1	—	—	—	—	1	24	—	—	—	—	24	—	—
EDGEMONT	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	MRS. WILL WARD, RT. 4, LENOIR	1	—	—	—	—	1	22	—	—	—	—	22	12	10
GLOBE	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
GRANDVIEW PARK	MRS. D. L. SNYDER, RT. 6, LENOIR, N. C.	2	1	2	—	—	5	17	7	30	—	—	54	12	—
GRANDIN	MRS. E. F. BENTLEY, RT. 1, LENOIR	1	—	—	—	—	1	14	—	—	—	—	14	11	—
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	MRS. C. R. HINTON, GRANITE FALLS, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	49	12	12	12	12	97	123	50
GREEN ROCK	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
GREEN VALLEY	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
HARRIS CHAPEL	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
HARTLAND	MRS. JACK BARLOW, RT. 3, MORGANTON	1	1	1	—	—	3	28	16	15	—	—	59	105	25
HIBRITEN	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
HIGH VIEW	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
JOHNS RIVER	NO REPORT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
KINGS CREEK	MRS. J. M. LAXTON, KINGS CREEK	1	1	2	2	1	7	23	9	28	18	15	93	62	12
LENOIR FIRST	MRS. LEE W. BODDIE, LENOIR, N. C.	9	1	2	—	1	13	195	8	36	—	12	251	—	—
LONG FORD	MRS. ROY KIRBY, RT. 5, LENOIR	1	—	—	—	—	1	25	—	—	—	—	25	31	—

Loveladi	Mrs. Harold Fox, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	1	—	2	—	—	3	16	—	10	—	—	26	—	—
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir	8	1	3	2	2	16	116	19	39	19	54	247	154	90
Maple Grove	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miller Hill	Mrs. Raylo Smith, Rt. 9, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	18	—	—	—	—	18	—	15
Mt. Zion	Mrs. J. T. Mills, Hudson, N. C.	3	1	—	—	—	4	46	21	—	—	—	67	—	69
Mulberry	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountain Grove	Mrs. LeRoy Thomas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	1	—	1	—	1	3	12	—	16	—	36	64	—	12
Mountain View	Mrs. Cecil Chester, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	14	—	—	—	—	14	22	5
Mulvale	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	8	—	—	—	—	8	—	—
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	15	—	—	—	—	15	—	—
Oak Grove	Mrs. J. W. Myers, Granite Falls,	1	—	—	—	—	1	18	—	—	—	—	18	26	16
Piney Grove	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pleasant Hill	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pisgah	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pooveys Chapel	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Foster Fullbright, Rt. 2, G. Falls	2	1	2	1	1	7	18	6	18	10	12	64	—	—
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. F. Kirby, Rhodhiss	1	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	—	—	—	12	11	6
Rocky Springs	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rufus	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sardis	Mrs. A. T. Simmons, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	2	—	—	4	22	12	24	—	—	58	14	—
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	—	—	—	12	—	5
Temple Missionary	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Temple Hill	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Union	Mrs. A. A. Cooke, Rt. 2, Lenoir	1	—	1	—	—	2	26	—	12	—	—	38	38	20
Union Grove	Mrs. Winnie Shore, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	—	—	—	2	12	12	—	—	—	24	—	—
Whitnel First	Mrs. James Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	1	—	—	3	26	10	20	—	—	56	45	—
Winklers Grove	Mrs. Louise Bowman, Rt. 5, Hickory	1	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	—	—	—	12	—	—
West Lenoir	Mrs. C. R. McFelea, Rt. 7, Lenoir	1	—	—	—	—	1	10	—	—	—	—	10	—	14
Worship Point	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yadkin	Mrs. Ned Austin, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	17	17	17	34	107	120	44
Yadkin Valley	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Zacks Fork	No Report	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Totals	55	16	29	13	12	125	1099	219	377	150	248	2093	1264	640

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	BROTHERHOOD		BUILDING			GOALS	
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Bethany		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Blairs Fork		—	—	—	5,000.00	—	—	—
Buffalo Cove		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Calvary		—	—	—	30,000.00	—	—	—
Cedar Rock		—	—	—	2,500.00	—	—	—
Center Grove		—	—	—	20,000.00	5,582.12	25.00	51.00
Central	A. J. Parsons, Whitnel, N. C.	10	3	5,000.00	49,000.00	9,200.00	—	166.00
Clarks Chapel	Curtis Hendrix, Rt. 3, Lenoir	9	2	—	2,000.00	—	45.00	67.50
Clover	B. M. Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	20	9	—	20,000.00	—	364.00	78.00
College Avenue	Richard Isaacs, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	50	12	12,500.00	240,000.00	12,500.00	—	—
Concord		—	—	5,000.00	100,000.00	24,000.00	—	—
Conways Chapel		—	—	—	1,500.00	—	—	—
Dudley Shoals		—	—	—	50,000.00	3,406.11	—	—
Edgemont		—	—	—	2, 500.00	—	—	—
Flemings Chapel		—	—	—	20,000.00	4,814.00	—	80.00
Globe		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Grandview Park		—	—	—	5,000.00	—	—	—
Grandin		—	—	—	4,000.00	—	72.00	36.00
Granite Falls First	Glen Mackie, Granite Falls, N. C.	42	9	5,000.00	35,000.00	—	1,860.00	291.50
Green Rock		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Green Valley		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Harris Chapel		—	—	—	60,000.00	6,836.00	72.00	48.00
Hartland	R. S. Watson, Rt. 7, Lenoir	20	11	—	50,000.00	11,103.77	—	—
Hibriten		—	—	—	5,000.00	—	25.00	20.00
High View		—	—	—	4,500.00	579.02	—	—
Johns River		—	—	—	2,500.00	—	—	—
Kings Creek	Colen Keller, Rt. 1, Lenoir	18	26	5,000.00	15,000.00	—	900.00	150.00
Lenoir First		—	—	13,000.00	271,000.00	10,000.00	12,000.00	660.00
Long Ford	Carl Borders, Rt. 5, Lenoir	11	48	5,548.00	13,898.00	2,184.72	80.00	75.00

Lovelady		—	—	6,000.00	15,000.00	3,940.00	—	180.00
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	25	12	12,000.00	150,000.00	—	6,700.00	300.00
Maple Grove		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miller Hill		—	—	7,000.00	12,000.00	—	—	—
Mt. Zion		—	—	3,500.00	50,000.00	12,784.61	—	—
Mulberry		—	—	—	9,000.00	—	—	—
Mountain Grove		—	—	8,000.00	15,500.00	—	250.00	60.00
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 8, Lenoir	8	4	—	6,000.00	1,900.00	—	—
Mulvale		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nelsons Chapel		—	—	—	5,000.00	—	—	—
New Hope		—	—	—	3,000.00	—	12.00	12.00
Oak Grove		—	—	5,000.00	6,500.00	—	—	—
Piney Grove		—	—	—	15,000.00	—	—	75.50
Pleasant Hill		—	—	—	6,000.00	450.43	—	—
Pisgah		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pooveys Chapel		—	—	—	10,000.00	—	—	—
Pooveys Grove		—	—	4,000.00	15,000.00	—	—	—
Rhodhiss		—	—	—	10,000.00	—	—	—
Rocky Springs		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rufus		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Sardis		—	—	4,000.00	80,000.00	—	—	—
Setzer Creek		—	—	—	8,000.00	2,910.00	—	—
Temple Missionary		—	—	—	—	—	—½	—
Temple Hill		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Union	L. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir	—	—	—	21,000.00	—	120.00	72.00
Union Grove		—	—	10,000.00	35,000.00	26.00	104.00	104.00
Whitnel First	Blake Roberts, Rt. 9, Lenoir	20	48	8,000.00	30,000.00	—	350.00	60.00
Winklers Grove		—	—	—	25,000.00	5,593.30	—	75.00
West Lenoir		—	—	—	20,000.00	6,541.60	—	—
Worship Point		—	—	—	4,500.00	276.48	—	—
Yadkin		—	—	5,000.00	20,000.00	—	184.00	153.50
Yadkin Valley		—	—	—	1,000.00	—	—	—
Zacks Fork		—	—	—	5,450.00	2,438.57	—	—
	Totals	233	184	123,548.00	906,448.00	127,066.73	23,163.00	2,815.00

Table F CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURES										
		All Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary	Grand Total Local Expense
Bethany	Murray Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	286.46	—	—	—	132.61	—	—	—	—	132.61	153.85	286.46
Blairs Fork	Mrs. Ned R. Taylor, Rt. 5, Lenoir	4537.16	204.00	159.53	—	78.72	33.00	40.52	150.00	164.69	830.46	1240.00	2070.46
Buffalo Cove	Adair Hawkins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	687.17	—	198.10	—	66.23	100.00	27.70	—	—	392.03	280.77	672.80
Calvary	B. H. Watson, Rt. 9, Lenoir	10233.10	500.00	199.63	340.68	353.18	—	360.27	1380.00	983.46	4117.22	3380.00	7497.22
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin S. Holler, Rt. 1, Lenoir	2079.39	—	32.00	1379.30	58.34	—	95.66	127.00	26.27	1718.57	272.62	1991.19
Center Grove	Mrs. Pearl Parsons, Rt. 1, Hudson	6847.93	160.00	89.37	1410.49	228.38	105.09	53.22	637.50	1120.09	3804.14	1655.00	5459.14
Central	J. M. Smith, Whitnel, N. C.	7050.96	260.00	384.64	363.58	296.45	72.50	125.00	1560.00	128.79	3190.96	3860.00	7050.96
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George R. Craig, Rt. 9, Lenoir	1991.87	48.00	—	—	162.42	43.00	35.00	—	86.95	375.37	1300.00	1675.37
Clover	Loy Propst, Granite Falls	8154.11	219.00	9.40	219.57	400.18	240.04	405.00	2445.51	624.12	4562.82	2815.00	7377.82
College Avenue	Hurbert Thomas, Lenoir, N. C.	47503.23	573.51	3913.00	807.46	1822.38	1235.04	265.00	21050.00	2690.64	37357.03	4856.80	42213.83
Concord	Nelson Clay, Granite Falls	26847.32	1292.50	3864.46	4919.48	883.46	179.03	430.00	7616.69	1262.70	20448.32	3880.00	24328.32
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1019.26	120.00	16.54	—	32.00	62.00	80.00	—	—	310.54	680.00	990.54
Dudley Shoals	Shafter Starnes, Rt. 1, G. Falls	7707.14	—	132.09	65.20	158.48	—	144.47	3400.00	429.75	4329.99	1894.00	6223.99
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.	604.50	19.80	—	37.95	62.91	—	179.78	—	14.44	314.88	227.00	541.88
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Richard, Rt. 6, Lenoir	6500.00	—	381.06	3275.36	345.50	217.67	176.00	950.00	1034.58	6380.17	2226.00	8606.17
Globe	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	739.83	—	—	—	48.37	—	141.31	—	86.91	276.59	218.98	495.57
Grandview Park	Mrs. Faye Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir	3191.73	—	32.00	510.15	125.27	214.00	4.50	—	176.75	1062.77	1690.00	2752.77
Grandin	Wm. L. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	2940.00	5.00	516.67	106.29	156.58	250.00	70.00	378.70	127.69	1610.93	900.00	2510.93
Granite Falls First	Dewey Milstead, Granite Falls	22403.66	878.00	658.75	9377.38	691.90	50.00	462.00	—	1682.35	13300.38	4500.00	9800.38
Green Rock	W. E. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir	352.84	—	—	—	—	—	90.00	—	13.60	103.60	217.65	321.25
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.	799.67	19.93	—	-40.92	33.76	—	60.50	—	20.57	175.68	216.64	392.32
Harris Chapel	Ben A. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson	8535.89	—	548.11	1499.51	562.40	512.55	74.00	2150.00	168.00	8514.57	2100.00	7614.57
Hartland	Robert S. Watson, Rt. 7, Lenoir	5255.97	364.00	145.00	—	172.02	211.17	150.00	1920.00	269.03	3231.22	1820.00	5051.22
Hibriten	Calvin C. Smith, Rt. 9, Lenoir	1577.53	—	165.00	—	45.60	191.93	125.00	500.00	225.00	1252.53	325.00	1577.53
High View	W. R. Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson	1666.27	120.00	218.28	—	45.38	119.68	65.63	546.64	30.77	1146.38	461.37	1607.75
Johns River		356.11	—	30.00	—	26.19	20.00	67.91	—	—	144.10	202.79	346.89
Kings Creek	Amon Kirby, Rt. 1, Lenoir	8244.56	260.00	1261.99	—	400.70	86.43	134.55	—	975.79	3119.46	3150.00	6269.46
Lenoir First	Dr. O. L. Moore, Lenoir, N. C.	48877.49	5143.98	6055.35	8000.00	2116.61	3693.61	1490.00	7399.55	4899.66	38798.76	3875.00	42673.76
Long Ford	C. W. Coffey, Lenoir, N. C.	5755.24	—	270.36	—	142.54	121.66	200.00	1480.00	371.98	2586.54	2790.00	5376.54

Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, Rt. 2, Lenoir	21490.76	1120.00	1262.10	410.90	1268.30	156.46	258.37	—	1250.41	5716.54	4330.00	10046.54
Maple Grove	Mrs. Lottie Bean, Mortimer, N. C.	428.37	181.95	—	—	22.23	—	56.47	—	97.80	358.45	66.47	424.92
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Green, Rt. 9, Lenoir	4084.58	104.00	520.40	300.00	266.13	59.79	154.17	630.00	271.31	2305.80	1562.40	3868.20
Mt. Zion	A. J. Barker, Rt. 1, Hudson	15966.54	240.00	383.50	3240.22	824.63	365.52	261.80	4007.88	539.52	9863.07	3120.00	12983.07
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	541.24	—	45.00	—	38.75	—	—	112.00	25.00	220.75	264.28	485.03
Mountain Grove	Midas Bolick, Rt. 2, G. Falls	13573.84	505.00	703.95	3851.33	513.35	331.52	275.00	—	69.87	6250.02	3335.00	9585.02
Mountain View	Elmer Philyaw, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1803.41	—	—	—	58.05	—	160.49	300.00	346.06	864.60	809.25	1673.85
Mulvale	Mrs. Maude Moore, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1846.75	120.00	69.18	140.00	75.52	120.35	60.00	450.00	6.70	1041.75	600.00	1641.75
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Luther Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir	2561.20	—	390.64	—	115.52	218.00	50.43	—	159.94	934.53	548.74	1483.27
New Hope	Mrs. C. P. McGee, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1198.27	—	140.50	—	77.92	20.00	85.00	—	8.50	331.92	800.00	1131.92
Oak Grove	J. S. Richards, Granite Falls, N. C.	6529.87	100.00	—	2597.91	160.54	25.22	206.00	—	590.74	3680.41	2780.00	6460.41
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan, Yadkin Valley	10332.23	233.92	97.35	7187.96	263.02	208.47	108.93	—	—	8099.65	1630.60	9730.25
Pleasant Hill	Jack Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir	2014.88	30.00	32.03	—	75.83	12.00	238.72	230.40	133.28	752.26	1248.46	2000.72
Pisgah	Fred Crisp, Rt. 6, Lenoir	4169.59	—	—	—	115.13	—	269.00	240.00	807.46	1431.59	2601.00	4032.59
Pooveys Chapel	Everett C. Austin, Rt. 1, Hudson	3781.30	—	157.47	640.00	152.78	167.89	119.06	—	340.32	1577.52	1680.00	3257.52
Pooveys Grove	H. J. Starnes, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	6352.71	269.00	171.75	268.74	494.75	20.00	277.00	—	409.08	1910.32	2800.00	4710.32
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss	6815.15	545.00	44.00	105.00	243.67	56.84	220.00	—	460.17	1674.68	3900.00	5574.68
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville	1612.74	130.00	322.23	—	75.56	133.97	82.33	—	252.25	996.34	445.00	1441.34
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1445.19	40.85	51.20	—	82.90	—	43.10	—	—	218.05	480.00	698.05
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	24888.59	960.00	609.40	7500.00	916.98	25.00	490.00	—	747.82	21249.20	2400.00	23649.20
Setzer Creek	Coy Hollar, Rt. 5, Lenoir	6378.54	—	55.60	3883.43	90.18	104.73	232.08	1376.25	65.81	5808.08	446.46	6254.54
Temple Missionary	Mrs. D. O. Green, Lenoir, N. C.	5825.26	55.00	—	2714.52	47.53	63.15	100.00	793.40	9.62	3783.22	1974.90	5758.12
Temple Hill	Keener Keller, Rt. 1, G. Falls	1235.99	—	21.75	—	35.99	—	50.00	120.00	297.57	525.31	640.00	1165.31
Union	Ralph McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir	6040.62	300.00	—	622.20	449.99	116.00	232.76	—	511.62	2232.57	1661.19	3893.76
Union Grove	Thomas P. Gibson, Rt. 2, G. Falls	11138.91	227.00	230.00	7971.36	309.99	52.00	205.87	210.00	382.69	9588.91	1550.00	11138.91
Whitnel First	Ivey W. Craig, Whitnel, N. C.	8776.94	380.00	605.09	814.08	419.59	558.86	505.00	840.00	752.60	4875.22	3620.00	8495.22
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 5, Hickory	15115.84	405.00	50.00	3360.00	150.00	300.00	215.00	978.66	718.25	18176.91	3310.00	21486.91
West Lenoir	G. W. Walker, 209 Hayes St., Lenoir	4855.00	120.00	80.50	0755.03	102.14	—	127.90	458.34	—	11643.91	1341.00	12984.91
Worship Point	Maudie E. Cox, Rt. 4, Lenoir	1674.32	126.48	225.46	48.00	71.19	—	126.48	1123.52	—	1221.13	125.00	1846.13
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir	6575.39	428.00	155.62	—	347.81	470.88	146.14	—	487.25	2035.70	3120.00	5155.70
Yadkin Valley	Don R. Watson, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1818.60	—	40.00	265.05	53.63	34.80	78.00	—	410.56	882.04	898.14	1780.18
Zacks Fork	Johnny Whistnant, Rt. 1, Lenoir	515.84	10.00	28.85	—	28.15	25.00	14.35	161.25	26.00	293.60	190.00	483.60
	Totals	451958.72	21906.92	25374.90	106195.52	17772.43	11392.85	11137.55	65763.29	29792.78	297376.26	107.526.36	396902.62

Table G GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes
Bethany	Earl Duncan, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holtzclaw, Jr., Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	---	155.30	16.50	---	171.80	2242.36
Buffalo Cove	Bernard Hawkins, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	3.56	---	---	---	---	---	---	10.81	---	14.37	687.17
Calvary	Miss Helen Borders, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	149.17	150.00	---	22.59	---	---	103.35	116.00	---	541.11	8906.26
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Ervin S. Hollar, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	3.24	15.00	12.00	---	---	3.14	30.00	7.22	17.50	88.10	2079.39
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	25.60	51.00	60.00	10.00	5.00	---	130.50	27.15	---	309.25	5768.39
Central	Mrs. Wade Livingston, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	70.75	---	26.28	---	69.70	---	148.50	54.57	122.05	491.85	7542.81
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clarke, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	5.00	67.50	15.00	6.00	22.00	---	153.50	47.50	---	316.50	2021.37
Clover	Mrs. Charlie Ingle, Granite Falls, N. C.	260.00	104.00	24.71	24.71	24.71	70.00	41.25	118.00	---	667.38	8045.60
College Avenue	Johnell P. Wise, 110 Erwin Ave., Lenoir	2640.00	243.00	222.82	140.00	418.05	308.00	485.00	810.00	159.06	5426.83	47640.56
Concord	Mrs. Floyd S. Smith, 436 7th St., Hickory	2962.14	260.63	28.32	77.16	94.04	225.00	588.06	422.36	93.31	4761.02	29300.28
Dudley Shoals	Talley S. Reed, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	416.00	100.00	---	---	---	---	208.00	59.10	51.07	834.17	7058.16
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	16.37	---	12.55	---	28.92	570.80
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Richard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	4.65	79.50	150.00	---	---	---	75.00	156.00	---	465.15	9000.00
Globe	Mrs. R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	4.14	---	---	---	---	---	9.00	---	---	13. 14	232.12
Grandview Park	Robert J. Houck, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	196.80	42.00	12.60	---	---	31.38	106.78	49.40	---	438.96	3191.73
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	40.00	25.00	11.80	13.00	11.80	---	57.95	42.85	22.56	224.96	2735.88
Granite Falls First	Willard Hendrix, Granite Falls, N. C.	1452.21	220.19	127.62	175.37	234.57	---	576.29	552.03	185.00	3523.28	21323.74
Green Rock	Miss Ginelle Conley, Yadkin Valley, N. C.	---	6.59	---	---	---	---	---	---	25.00	31.59	352.84
Green Valley	B. B. Greene, Collettsville, N. C.	3.03	12.00	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	15.03	407.35
Harris Chapel	Howard Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	72.00	48.00	---	---	---	---	107.00	146.28	---	373.28	7987.29
Hartland	James T. Sanders, Rt. 3, Morganton	86.13	24.00	12.32	30.00	26.30	50.00	50.00	26.00	---	304.75	5255.97
Hibriten	Arlie Fox, RFD, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
High View	H. M. McLean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Johns River	Cora Lee Andrews, Upton, N. C.	4.22	5.00	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9.22	356.11
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Bragwell, Rt. 6, Lenoir	3.72	---	---	---	---	---	---	25.00	---	28.72	1019.26
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlow, Jr., Kings Creek, N. C.	917.82	174.98	25.35	34.00	44.37	---	323.40	330.38	124.80	1975.10	8244.56
Lenoir First	Ralph Trott, 514 Kentwood St., Lenoir	12319.19	550.00	148.12	183.45	1111.88	1039.23	1039.23	846.13	269.37	16935.70	59609.46
Long Ford	Bruce E. Clark, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	85.37	75.00	2.00	11.00	28.50	---	60.00	116.83	---	378.70	5755.24

Lovelady	Miss Alma Starnes, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	—	—	4.05	4.05	30.48	—	16.44	15.76	—	70.48	7874.07
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	6606.61	300.00	201.25	119.40	731.00	439.15	953.36	1083.64	470.28	10904.69	20936.23
Maple Grove	Mrs. W. C. Ford, Mortimer, N. C.	3.45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.45	428.37
Miller Hill	Miss Dovie Mikeal, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	37.10	40.00	10.00	—	—	—	10.00	25.00	62.40	184.50	4052.70
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Box 4807, G. Falls, N. C.	300.00	79.92	74.63	—	120.00	—	329.60	437.66	387.43	1729.24	14712.31
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	—	25.00	—	—	—	—	—	25.00	485.03
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlet, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	300.00	60.00	50.00	100.00	50.00	—	250.00	50.00	—	860.00	10445.02
Mountain View	Mrs. Elmer Philyaw, Rt. 5, Lenoir	—	—	7.20	2.00	5.00	—	—	—	115.36	129.56	1869.46
Mulvale	Ray Suddreth, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	5.00	50.00	29.00	—	13.00	—	58.00	50.00	—	205.00	1846.75
Nelsons Chapel	Luther Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir	423.30	34.25	47.50	4.75	12.00	—	134.60	51.55	—	707.95	2201.20
New Hope	Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir	3.50	16.85	—	—	—	—	30.00	16.00	—	66.35	1198.27
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mary Ann Burgarner, Granite Falls	7.16	—	—	—	—	—	52.05	10.25	—	69.46	6529.87
Piney Grove	Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	4.77	75.00	46.70	—	—	—	266.76	50.00	—	443.23	10173.48
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lester Hoyle, Rt. 3, Lenoir	9.66	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.50	—	14.16	2014.88
Pisgah	G. T. Greene, Rt. 4, Lenoir	—	—	—	—	—	—	25.00	50.00	62.00	137.00	4169.59
Pooveys Chapel	J. L. Sigmon, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	3.87	25.00	63.71	17.63	17.62	—	345.95	50.00	—	523.78	3781.30
Pooveys Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls	1058.42	108.50	51.36	45.94	48.00	60.00	95.17	175.00	—	1642.39	6352.71
Rhodhiss	Nancy Annas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	545.23	95.24	12.87	16.00	60.00	332.40	79.17	99.56	—	1240.47	6815.15
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville	4.00	45.00	15.00	—	9.40	—	73.00	25.00	—	171.40	1612.74
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	3.94	—	—	18.25	—	8.65	76.00	16.00	60.81	183.65	1578.74
Sardis	C. A. Keller, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	480.00	108.00	35.70	60.70	90.89	—	270.41	193.69	—	1239.39	24888.59
Setzer Creek	Mrs. T. R. Gentry, Rt. 5, Lenoir	25.00	23.00	5.00	9.00	22.00	—	25.00	15.00	—	124.00	6378.54
Temple Missionary	Miss Magdalene Curtis, Box 91, Hudson	2.52	11.52	—	—	—	—	25.00	25.00	—	64.04	5825.26
Temple Hill	Keener Keller, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	7.58	—	25.00	—	—	—	—	38.00	—	70.58	1235.99
Union	W. T. Land, Rt. 2, Lenoir	75.33	72.00	—	157.65	160.00	—	413.70	185.00	—	1063.68	4957.44
Union Grove	Mrs. O. L. Gibson, Rt. 3, Lenoir	10.56	56.80	6.90	15.26	—	—	33.93	75.00	—	198.45	14337.36
Whitnel First	E. N. Braswell, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	196.00	48.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	40.00	170.00	50.00	63.98	717.98	9043.20
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, Rt. 5, Hickory	—	75.00	29.33	—	5.00	50.00	35.00	56.05	300.00	550.38	22037.29
West Lenoir	Bruce Holman, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	5.42	21.11	—	—	—	—	46.82	75.00	—	148.35	13133.26
Worship Point	Bessie Anne Spicer, Rt. 6, Lenoir	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.00	—	10.00	1866.13
Yadkin	Riley Todd, Rt. 8, Lenoir	184.03	153.70	80.60	81.30	504.88	—	175.38	90.20	249.60	1519.69	6675.39
Yadkin Valley	Amie R. Woods, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	8.82	15.00	—	—	—	—	5.00	9.60	—	38.42	1818.60
Zacks Fork	Mrs. C. A. Stokes, Rt. 1, Lenoir	7.24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25.00	32.24	515.84
	Totals	32043.25	3767.28	1724.74	1454.21	4020.19	2673.32	8250.05	6657.32	2867.48	63457.84	466125.46

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The next session will be held Thursday, September 24, 1953, with Sardis Baptist Church, Hudson, and Friday September 25, 1953 with Mountain Grove Baptist Church, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Rev. C. R. Hinton will preach the annual sermon with Rev. J. S. Silver as alternate.

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REV. H. S. BENFIELD

Born near North Catawba Baptist Church on county line between Burke and Caldwell Counties, February 18, 1882.

He attended school at Amherst Academy and Teachers Training School, Morganton.

He was married to Miss Lela Baker, September 3, 1899. Several years were spent on the farm and sawmilling. He taught school in Burke and Caldwell counties for 12 years. Superintendent of Sunday School for 16 years. Began pastorial work in 1919. Served as pastor of the following churches: Mountain Grove, Grandin, North Catawba, Connelly Springs, Abees Grove, Icard, Burkmont, Catawba Valley, Glen Alpine, College Avenue, 21 years, and Sardis for seven and one-half years.

Records show he baptised over 800 people, performed 190 marriage ceremonies and conducted over 250 funerals. He retired from full-time ministry on February 29, 1952.

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Rev. Clifton Tuttle ..... B. B. Byers
Rev. L. V. Connell ..... Nelson Clay

A Calendar of Activities for 1952—1953 was not adopted at the Annual Session.

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION OFFICERS 1952-'53

Director, C. C. Huskins,.....Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Assoc. Director, Henry Medlock.....Kings Creek, N. C.
Sec.-Treas., Miss Betty Jo Turner.....106 Beach Street, Lenoir, N. C.
Chorister, Rev. Lawrence Miller.....Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pianist, Mrs. D. O. Taylor.....Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pastor Adviser, Rev. M. O. Owens.....Lenoir, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Rev. Joe O. Stroud, Associational Superintendent, Maple Dr. Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. C. R. Hinton, Evangelism, First Church,..... Granite Falls, N. C.
Rev. C. B. Babbitt, Rhodhiss Baptist Church, ...Rhodhiss, N. C.
Miss Ellen Daniels, Vacation Bible Schools,..... Granite Falls, N C.
Mr. George Steele, Secretary-Treasurer, Lower Creek Ch. Lenoir, N. C.
Miss Lucy Waters, Associational Sunday School Pianist, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. L. A. Miller, Associational Sunday Sch. Choister, R. 5 Lenoir, N. C.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Rev. Paul Hester, Hudson, N. C. 1953
Rev. J. Edd Crump, Hudson, N. C. 1954
Rev. Grady A. Hamby, Lenoir, N. C. 1955
Rev. M. O. Owens, Lenoir, N. C. 1956
Rev. Ernest W. Moore, Granite Falls, N. C. 1957

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY AT RIDGECREST

G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C. 1953
E. E. Stafford, Chairman, Lenoir, N. C. 1954
H. B. Anderson, Lenoir, N. C. 1955

MESSENGER TO BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Rev. K. E. Seepe, ... Hudson, N. C.

MESSENGER TO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Rev. R. L. Wilson, ... Kings Creek, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Rev. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., State Missions ..... 482 W. Harper, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. C. Bobbit, Home Missions ..... Rhodhiss, N. C.
Rev. Robert Frye, Foreign Missions ..... Patterson, N. C.
Luther B. Robinson, Christian Education ..... Hickory Rd., Lenoir, N. C.
A. J. Parsons, Brotherhood ..... Box 61, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. C. R. Hinton, Relief and Annuity ..... Granite Falls, N. C.
Rev. Luther Snipes, Hospital ..... Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. Lawrence Miller, Religious Literature ..... Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Allied Church League ..... Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. John E. Carter, Stewardship, ... Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION

BETHANY—Mr. Conley Cooke, Mrs. Conley Cooke, Mr. Alvin Bolick, Mrs. Alvin Bolick.

BLAIRS FORK—Mrs. Doris Andrews, Mr. J. F. Puett, Rev. R. L. Davis, Mrs. Ned Taylor

BUFFALO COVE—Mrs. Parolee Miller, Mrs. J. C. Todd, Mrs. W. L. Hawkins, Mrs. Percy Bumgarner, Mrs. Granville Robbins, Mr. Granville Robbins, R. L. Miller.

CALVARY—B. H. Watson, Mrs. Claude Severt, Mrs. Ben Mann, Mrs. Dewey Sumpter, George Kincaid, Rev. J. E. Crump.

CEDAR ROCK—Mrs. Ervin Hollar, Mrs. W. A. Eichelberger, Mrs. A. Y. Jackson.

CENTER GROVE—Rev. C. W. Colvard, J. M. Edwards, P. L. McRary, Lula Lowdermilk, Lucy Mitchem.

CENTRAL—Mrs. J. A. Pearson, Mrs. Katherine Roberts, A. J. Parsons, Claude Smith, Vern Arrington, Rev. J. J. Buckner, Mrs. Wade Livingston.

CLARKS CHAPEL—Mrs. Mary Craig, Mrs. Earl Craig, Mrs. Fannie Triplett, Mrs. S. A. Maynard, Mrs. Clyde Pope

CLOVER—Rev. T. A. Sheppard, Mrs. T. A. Sheppard, Mrs. Fred Cline, Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Mrs. Fred Estes.

COLLEGE AVE—Rev. J. O. Shroud, Richard Isaacs, J. E. Driver, Mrs. E. N. Johnson, Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Rev. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Mrs. T. L. Cashwell.

CONCORD—Rev. Ernest Moore, Mrs. Ernest Moore, Mr. George Hollar, Mrs. Ralph Penley.

CONWAYS CHAPEL—Roy Branch, Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Rev. J. E. Younce.

DUDLEY SHOALS—Mrs. Conley Starns.

EDGEMONT—Mrs. Robert Killian, Archie R. Coffey, Mrs. William P. Vines.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Rev. J. S. Silver, Mrs. J. S. Silver, Mrs. D. S. Reichard,, Mrs. L. A. Hoffman, Mrs. E. E. Holder, Mrs. Kelley Thompson, Mrs. J. H. Reichard.

GLOBE—T. I. Philyaw, Bobby Cook, Mrs. Velma Cook.

GRAND VIEW—Mrs. N. S. Watson, Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. O. L. Benfield, Mrs. Lawrence Sanders, Mrs. Anne Houck.

GRANDIN—Mrs. C. H. Kirby, Mrs. W. L. Lackey, Miss Clara Greer.

GRANITE FALLS 1st—Mrs. L. M. Abernethy, Mrs. C. R. Hinton, O. R. Payne, T. G. Sullivan, Eugene Waters, Rev. C. R. Hinton, J. A. Turnmyre.

GREEN ROCK—Mrs. James Coffey, Laney Price, Mrs. Bessie Coffey, Mrs. George Price.

GREEN VALLEY—W. P. Coffey, Mrs. Annie Dellinger, Mrs. W. P. Coffey.

HARRIS CHAPEL—Mr. L. R. Annas, Mrs. L. R. Annas, Mrs. Robert Sullivan, Mrs. Ralph Hartley, Mrs. Ben Sullivan.

HARTLAND—W. S. McCall, Frank Poarch, Mrs. Ronald Storie, Mrs. Bertie Williams, Mrs. Tom Puett.

HIBRITEN—Rev. Calvin Helton, Earl Winebarger, Leo Setzer, Ernest Harwood.

HIGH VIEW—Mrs. Olin Minton, Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. Fred Angely, Christine Cloninger, Mrs. Billy Cloninger, W. R. Bumgarner.

JOHNS RIVER—C. E. Crump, Ralph Rich, Bela McLean.

JOYCETON—Allen Robbins, Mrs. R. L. Coffey, Mrs. Allen Robbins.

KINGS CREEK—A. G. Beach, J. M. Laxton, Rev. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. A. G. Beach, H. M. Beach, Fred Price, Mrs. Ethel Price, Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, George Ferguson.

LENOIR FIRST—H. B. Anderson, Rev. & Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Miss Anne Reanis, Miss Mary Helen Dobson, Mrs. R. F. Campbell, Mrs. J. F. Barnette,

Mrs. O. L. Grice, J. F. Reece, Dr. & Mrs. O. R. Mangum.

LONG FORD—Rev. Lawrence Miller, Mrs. Lawrence Miller, Mrs. Malcolm Bentley, Mrs. Peggy Ann Spears.

LOVELADY—Walter Turnmyre, Lula V. Kirby.

LOWER CREEK—C. C. Huskins, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Mrs. C. W. Pennell, Greene B. Thompson, Mrs. W. Walter Jones, G. G. Steele, Mrs. G. G. Steele, J. A. Boldin.

MAPLE GROVE—Mrs. W. C. Ford, Mrs. Agnes Coffey, T. H. Coffey.

MILLER HILL—Mrs. W. J. McGalliard, Mrs. Conard Greene, Mrs. C. R. Leonard.

MT. GROVE—Mrs. B. B. Beane, Mrs. LeRoy Thomas, Mrs. Frank Hood, Mrs. J. L. Greene, Rev. LeRoy Thomas, J. E. McLeod.

MT. VIEW—Lucille Baker, Mrs. Leila Nail.

MT. ZION—Mrs. Albert Holden, Mrs. O. D. Minton, Rev. Paul Hester, Rev. A. W. Bumgarner, Floyd Annas, Mrs. F. D. Annas, Mrs. Flowers Woods, Faye Turnmire.

MULBERRY—Fred Greene, Frank Scruggs.

MULVALE—Mrs. R. B. Glass, Mrs. D. Glenn Suddreth, Rev. & Mrs. Paul N. Jarvis.

NELSONS CHAPEL—Mrs. S. M. Coffey, Mrs. Alvin Carlton, Mrs. W. M. Hardin, Mrs. J. H. Craig.

NEW HOPE—Rev. Clifton A. Tuttle, Mrs. C. P. McGee, Mrs. G. D. Greer, Mrs. Wilda Summerlin, Cecil Crump, Mrs. Albert Icenhour.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Charles R. Poovey, Mrs. J. W. Myers.

PINEY GROVE—Mrs. J. W. Sharpe, Mrs. Charlie Winkler, Ellis Frye, Mrs. Ellis Frye, Mrs. Arnold Christenbury.

PISGAH—Rev. Gordon Crump, Mrs. Bennie McDonald, Mrs. Gordon Crump, John Pope, Zeb Crump.

PLEASANT HILL—Mrs. C. P. Setzer, A. L. Underdown.

POOVEY CHAPEL—Mrs. Alice Hartley, Bernice Witherspoon, Jeanette Hart.

POOVEY'S GROVE—Mrs. F. J. Fullbright, Mrs. Garland Keller, Mrs. John E. Carter, Rev. John E. Carter, Mrs. George McCormick.

RHODHISS—Mrs. C. B. Bobbit, Rev. C. B. Bobbit, Mrs. James H. Simmons, Mrs. C. F. Kirby.

ROCKY SPRINGS—Rev. J. H. Crisp, Mrs. J. H. Crisp, M. C. Estes, Miss Vernie Tolbert.

RUFUS—W. C. Coffey, Mrs. W. C. Coffey, L. H. Moore, Mrs. Lawrence Moore.

SARDIS—Rev. K. E. Seepe, Mrs. K. E. Seepe, Mrs. Clyde Wilkie, Mrs. M. F. Roberson, Mrs. Coy Smith, Mrs. M. Clyde Smith.

SETZER CREEK—Mrs. Earl Cheek, Mrs. S. W. Andrews.

TEMPLE—R. L. Laws, Rev. C. J. Mull, Mrs. W. J. Mull, Mr. W. J. Mull, Mrs. W. C. Harless.

TEMPLE HILL—No report.

UNION—Mr. Amos Kirby, Mr. Will Reid, Ralph McRary, Mrs. Amos Kirby, Rufus Estes.

UNION GROVE—Ivey Hall, T. L. Sullivan, J. B. Myers.

WEST LENOIR—Mrs. A. C. Storie, Mrs. C. R. McFelea, Mrs. T. R. Moore, T. R. Moore, Vilas M. Brown.

WHITNEL FIRST—Violet Heffner, Elmore Heffner, Mrs. W. L. Threatt.

WINKLERS GROVE—Gordon Cannup, Mrs. Gordon Cannup, Ezra Miller, Bessie Miller, Mrs. Cora Hossier.

WORSHIP POINT—Mrs. Annie Day, Mrs. J. T. Laws, Ronen Day, Mrs. Hubert Pritchard, Mrs. Kate Hatton.

YADKIN—Mrs. A. E. Pierce, Mrs. Oscar Pierce, Mrs. D. R. Collins, Mrs. Charles Roark, Mrs. Robert Frye, Mrs. Ned Austin, Atwell J. Hamby, Rev. Robert Frye, A. F. Greene.

YADKIN VALLEY—Mrs. R. Don Watson, Mrs. Annie R. Woods.

ZACKS FORK—Mrs. C. A. Stokes, Mrs. Stewart Barlow, W. H. Edmisten.

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. — Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary Letters.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. The annual compensation of the clerk shall be $50.00.
8. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
9. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Thursday Morning Session

1. The sixty-eighth annual session of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association convened with Union Baptist Church, Route 2 (Oak Hill Section) Lenoir, N. C. on Thursday morning, September 18, 1952 at nine thirty o'clock.

2. "How Firm a Foundation" was lead by J. O. Stroud, Minister of Music at West College Avenue Baptist Church. Miss Anne Reams, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church accompanied at the piano. Praise and Prayer service was led by Rev. L. E. Snipes.

3. Rev. W. W. Jones, Moderator called the session to order for business. 269 messengers and 97 visitors representing 57 of the 62 churches were registered for the session. On motion all delegates present and those to attend later sessions were seated for purpose of transacting any business to come before the association.

4. A printed program covering the two days sessions was presented by the clerk. On motion the program was adopted.

5. Rev. W. O. Johnson, host pastor welcomed delegates and visitors to Union church.

6. New pastors coming into the association during the past year and visitors representing Baptist agencies throughout the state were recognized. Among those present were: Rev. C. J. Mull, Temple Missionary Church; Rev. Bernard Tuttle, Grandin; Rev. K. E. Seepe, Sardis; Rev. C. B. Bobbett, Rhodhiss; Rev. T. L. Cashwell, College Avenue.

7. The moderator announced the following committees:
NOMINATING—Dr. J. F. Reece, Chairman, Rev. John Carter, Rev. LeRoy Thomas, B. H. Watson and Fred Cline.

PETITIONARY LETTERS FROM NEW CHURCHES—Rev. C. R. Hinton, Rev. L. E. Snipes, Rev. Paul Hester, Rev. W. R. Moss and Rev. R. L. Wilson.

PLACE AND PREACHER—Rev. J. J. Buckner, Chairman, Rev. D. L. Bumgarner, and Mrs. Ernest Moore.

RESOLUTIONS—Rev. H. S. Benfield, Horace Beach and Mrs. M. O. Owens.

8. Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational missionary delivered a very inspiring address and report on associational activities for the past year. On motion and duly seconded the following report was adopted.

CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY'S REPORT

1951-'52

"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest." —John 4:35b.

1. Bethany—Taught S. S. Class, Spoke to whole group, V.B.S.

2. Blairs Fork—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Attended S. S. and worship, Helped 1 week in V.B.S.

3. Buffalo Cove—Helped V.B.S.

4. Calvary—Annual Associational Meeting, Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Attended V.B.S. Commencement, Furnished V.B.S. worker, Spoke evening service.

5. Cedar Rock—Taught S.S. Class, Attended Worship, Helped V.B.S.

6. Center Grove—Taught "Inca Gold", "Keys to Brazil", "I, Too, Can Be A Missionary", Helped V.B.S. 1 week.

7. Central—Taught "Pilgrimage to Spanish America", "Tangled Threads", "Everywhere Preaching The Word", Taught S. S. Lesson to officers and teachers, Provided a helper for V.B.S.

8. Clarks Chapel—Taught "Pilgrimage to Spanish America", "I, Too Can Be a Missionary", Spoke in interest of G.A.'s, Helped organize G.A., Taught S.S. Class, Spoke a few words on Bldg., Spoke day went into new bldg., Provided V.B.S. helper.

9. Clover—Taught W.M.U. Manual, Helped in G.A. Coronation Service.

10. College Ave.—Taught "Inca Gold", Attended 2 Evening Worship Services, Taught "Beginner V.B.S. Preview Studies" Associational, Spoke G.A. Banquet, Attended Prayer Service.

11. Concord—Attended Revival, Taught 2 nights T.U. Study Course, Taught "Inca Gold", Attended Evening Worship.

12.—Conways Chapel—Helped in V.B.S., Taught adults.

13. Dudley Shoals—Spoke in S.S., Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Helped in V.B.S.

14. Edgemont—Helped in V.B.S.

15. Flemings Chapel—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Helped in V.B.S.

16. Globe—Helped in V.B.S.

17. Grandin—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Spoke for morning worship.

18. Grandview Park—Taught "G.A. Manual", "Inca Gold", Provided helper in V.B.S.

19. Granite Falls First—Spoke W.M.U. General Meeting, Gave Circle Program, Taught Intermediate T.U. Study Course, Conducted Prayer Service.

20. Green Rock—Provided Helper and Planned for V.B.S., Spoke in S.S.

21. Green Valley—Helped in V.B.S.

22. Harris Chapel—Attended Sunday School and Worship Service.

23. Hartland—Taught "Pray Ye", "Inca Gold", "Under the Southern Cross", "Tangled Threads", Spoke for the Easter Sunrise Service.

24. High View—Provided Workers for V.B.S., Taught Adults.

25. Johns River—Provided Workers for V.B.S., Taught Adults, Taught S.S. Class.

26. Kings Creek—Spoke morning worship, Taught "Inca Gold", Attended services all day.

27. Lenoir First—Taught S.S. Class twice, Spoke in Yg. Adult T.U. on "Cooperative Program", Assoc. Bible Teaching Clinic, Assoc. W.M.U. Leadership Conference, Assoc. Young People's Rally—taught "Anthony Becomes Eagle Heart", Conducted Young People's Christmas Party, Gave Readings at another, Attended Dinner for Deacons and Wives, Gave Week of Prayer Program, Spoke in Adult T.U. Yg., Made W.M.U. Year Books.

28. Longford—Taught "O Jerusalem", "Inca Gold", "Tangled Treads", Spoke Evening Worship "Why, I Believe In Missions", Helped in V.B.S.

29. Lovelady—Taught "Inca Gold", "Under The Southern Cross", "Everywhere Preaching the Word", "Tangled Threads", Spoke for Evening Worship, Helped in V.B.S.

30. Lower Creek—Taught "Inca Gold", "Pilgrimage to Spanish America" twice, Had "Week of Prayer Program".

31. Maple Grove—Attended Revival 1 night, Responsible for sending V.B.S. workers.

32. Miller Hill—Taught S.S. Class, Taught "Tangled Threads", Helped in V.B.S.—taught adults.

33. Mt. Zion—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Attended Prayer Service.

34. Mtn. Grove—Taught "Inca Gold", Attended 1 Service of Revival, S.S.

35. Mtn. View—Provided Helpers and Planned for V.B.S.

36. Mulberry—Helped in V.B.S.

37. Mulvane—Provided helper, and helped in V.B.S.

38. Nelsons Chapel—Taught "Pilgrimage to Spanish America", "Tangled Threads", Taught S.S. Class, Helped in V.B.S.

39. New Hope—Helped in V.B.S.

40. Oak Grove—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Attended S.S. and Worship.

41. Piney Grove—Helped in V.B.S.

42. Pisgah—Helped in V.B.S.

43. Pleasant Hill—Spoke in interest of T.U., Helped to organize taught T.U. Study Course, Spoke in evening service, Provided V.B.S. helper.

44. Poovey's Chapel—Provided 2 V.B.S. workers, Taught adults.

45. Poovey's Grove—Gave Readings for Y.P. Party, Typed Census, Attended S.S. and Worship Service day went into new bldg., spoke briefly.

46. Rhodhiss—Helped Teach "Tangled Threads", Provided V.B.S. helper.

47. Rocky Springs—Spoke in S.S. on V.B.S., Helped in V.B.S.

48. Rufus—Taught S.S. Class, Helped in V.B.S.

49. Sardis—Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", Taught S.S. Class, Attended Worship, Spoke for Evening Worship Service, Helped 1 night in Study Course, Went to Ridgecrest with group of Intermediates.

50. Setzer Creek—Taught "Inca Gold", Taught G.A. Manual and Helped to organize G.A.

51. Temple Hill—Responsible for sending V.B.S. Workers.

52. Temple Missionary—Spoke in S.S. about V.B.S., Provided Helpers for V.B.S.

53. Union—Attended S.S. & Worship for "Intermediate Day", Taught "Inca Gold", "Tangled Threads", V.B.S. Faculty Meeting, Helped in V.B.S.

54. Union Grove—Spoke in interest of G.A. & R.A., Brought message and provided some games for Y.W.A. Christmas Party, Taught "Inca Gold", "Pilgrimage to Spanish America", "Tangled Threads", Helped in V.B.S., Instructed Census Takers and Typed Census.

55. West Lenoir—Taught "Inca Gold", Provided a worker for V.B.S.

56. Whitnel—V.B.S. Preparation Day, Provided 3 helpers for V.B.S.

57. Winklers Grove—Worship Service, Annual Associational Meeting, Provided workers for V.B.S. and Helped.

58. Yadkin—Taught "Pilgrimage to Spanish America", Spoke Sunday they went into new building, Spoke in S.S. Class, Had Part on Week of Prayer Program.

59. Yadkin Valley—Helped in V.B.S. Taught Adults, Provided 2 other workers.

Zacks Fork—Help reorganize W.M.S., Helped in V.B.S., Spoke for Evening Worship.

Worship Point—Provided V.B.S. Workers, Attended and helped with Commencement.

MEETINGS ATTENDED OUTSIDE OF THE ASSOCIATION:

Taught Junior Leadership Manual, Raleigh Association, Tabernacle Church.

Wilkesboro Divisional W.M.U. Meeting—Elkin, Gave Stewardship Report.

Attended the Baptist State Convention, Asheville.

Associational B.T.U. Officer's Meeting, High Point.

Sunday School Clinic, Pritchard Memorial Church, Charlotte.

W.M.U. Institute, Greensboro—Spoke on Cooperative Program.

Evangelistic Conference, New Bern.

V.B.S. Clinic, Durham.

T.U. Enlargement Campaign, Yates Assoc., Berea Church.

W.M.U. State Convention, Durham.

Dobson—Beginner Clinic for V.B.S., Surry Assoc.

North Wilkesboro to Brushy Mtn. W.M.U. Meeting—Spoke on W.M.U. Training School.

Regional Training Union Meeting, Mt. Airy.

Spoke at Training Union Social, Concord, N. C.

Helped with V.B.S. Clinics at Franklin, Murphy, Bryson City, New Found, South Mtn.

W.M.U. and S.B.C., Miami, Florida.

First Baptist Church, Taylorsville, Assoc. Training Union Central School.

Ridgecrest for 2 Sunday Services.

Associational Missionaries' Conference, Caswell.

ELIZABETH CAMPBELL,
Caldwell Associational Missionary.

Rev. J. O. Stroud led the assembly in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

9. Miss Grover Triplett, Superintendent, Woman's Missionary Union read the report of Woman's work. On motion the report was adopted.

W. M. U. REPORT

"Lift up your eyes and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest." (John 4:35).

Our report is for nine months from January 1 to September 30, 1951. Always we rejoice in the progress we make in the number of women and young people enrolled, and in the increase in gifts, mission study, community missions and all parts of our work.

Our annual meeting was held at Whitnel First Church with 23 societies represented. Miss Theresa Anderson, Mrs. John Waycaster and Rev. B. W. Jackson were guest speakers. Rev. J. O. Stroud led our singing.

Our leadership conference was held in October at Lenoir First Church, with Mrs. E. C. James, as guest speaker.

We have 59 churches in our association with 38 Woman's Missionary Societies, 92 Young People's Organizations. There are 21 churches with no W.M.U. work at all, which makes us realize there is still so much to do to enlist others for missions at home and abroad.

Our prayer is:

"Christ for the Whole World
His hearalds will proclaim
Salvation for men everywhere
In Jesus Blessed Name
And we who cannot go
To bear his tidings far
Will pray for those who take the word
And witness where we are."

Respectively submitted

MRS. GROVER TRIPLETT, Supt.

10. Reports were read on State, Home and Foreign Missions. These reports were adopted in order as read.

STATE MISSIONS

NO REPORT RECEIVED

HOME MISSIONS

A total of 1,170 missionaries served the Home Mission Board last year. The Board has worked among the Chinese, the deaf, French, Indians, Italians, Japanese, Spanish speaking, and the Service of Good Will Centers, Rescue Homes and the Emergency Home in the field of direct missions.

In other departments the Board has ministered to the Jews, the Negroes, ranchers and migrants. Through the Department of Co-operative Missions the Board serves in mountain missions, the rural church program and city missions. The Chaplains Commission, the Board's radio Ministry and its Church Building Loan Funds all minister to the spiritual needs of the people.

Last year home missionaries reported 36,390 professions of faith and the greatest number of baptisms ever reported in the churches in the area.

In the Department of Direct Missions 344 missionaries serving those who are shut off from the gospel by barriers of distance, racial distinction, language and social and economic differences, won 6767 converts.

Each missionary in the department must serve an average of 27,000 people In the Board's work among migrants one missionary couple distributed 24,040 garments and 1,045 health kits last year.

Work has recently been started among isolated ranchers and oil field workers. Work in the outposts—Alaska, Cuba, Panama and the Canal Zone—has shown gratifying progress during the past year.

Interest in Negro work in our Convention territory has definitely increased. Workers of the Home Mission Board reached a record number of 51,000 Negro leaders in classes, conferences and institutes during the year.

Southern Baptists now have 402 active Chaplains to serve the estimated 355,000 Baptist men and women in the armed forces. The Chaplains reported 10,464 professions of faith in 1951.

The Student Summer Mission Program enlisted 305 students to assist regular missionaries during the summer months. They reported 3,826 professions of faith and 1,030 surrenders for special service.

We recommend full co-operation with the Convention in all these great endeavors and the plans for enlisting unaffiliated Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,

LeROY THOMAS

FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Advance Program goal set in 1948 is 1,750 foreign missionaries and an annual budget of $10,000,000. Southern Baptists had 625 missionaries on the foreign field and a budget of $3,782,800 at the beginning of 1948. At the beginning of 1952 we had 832 foreign missionaries and a budget of $5,180,000.

Since the beginning of 1948 our missionaries have entered sixteen adidtional countries. The newest field is Indonesia. Other countries in the Orient entered since advance began are: Philippine Islands, 24 missionaries in five centers on Luzon and Mindanao islands; Malaya, four, in two centers; Thailand, 13 in the capital city; Formosa, 15 in six centers; Korea, three in the city of Pusan.

Most of this new work in the Orient has been projected among Chinese populations in those countries by China missionaries evacuated from China. For the first time in more than a hundred years we have no missionaries on the China mainland. Most of the new missionaries are in Japan, where 82 are working in 13 centers (five of the centers opened in 1951; six more centers are assigned to missionaries now in language school). Others have gone in Hawaii, where 42 missionaries are located in seven centers.

As many new countries have opened in Latin America as in the Orient. In South America are Venezuela, with three centers, and Ecuador and Peru with one each; in Central America are Costa Rica and Guatemala with one center each, and Honduras, to which missionaries are under appointment; and a China missionary couple are in the Bahama Islands in an advisory capacity.

Meanwhile, older mission areas in Latin America—Argentina, Chile, Colombia, and Brazil—have maintained their work. A great many new centers have been opened in Portuguese Brazil. The mission staff in Latin America has advanced from 237 to 346.

New ventures in the Near East include a co-operative farm in Israel and a hospital in Jordan. Work continues in Spain and Italy under the handicap of Catholic-controlled governments. The missionary staff in the

area advanced from 131 to 195.

During the year 1951 the foreign mission fields reported a mem- with 3,668 outstations, 22 medical units, 405 schools, five publication bership of 189,225 in 1,913 organized churches. Missionaries also worked houses, three orphanages, and seven good will centers. Among the results were 18,372 baptisms, 49,271 enrolled in schools, 6,865,372 pieces of literature published, 99 orphan children cared for, and 1,766 people contacted in the good will centers.

Southern Baptists are keeping up with foreign mission advance through **The Commission,** their foreign mission journal. It is recognized increasingly as an indispensable aid in being well informed about all of our overseas work.

The 1951 foreign mission receipts from the Co-operative Program totaled $6,900,000. The Lottie Moon offering totaled $2,668,051.30.

Respectfully submitted,
T. A. SHEPPARD

11. A report on the Home of the Aging at Winston-Salem, N. C. was read by Rev. J. M. Hayes, Superintendent. On motion to adopt Rev. J. M. Hayes and Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr. discussed the work being accomplished for the aging in the state. The report was adopted.

RESTHAVEN

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGING RESTHAVEN, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Operation of Resthaven was begun March 16, 1951. Soon after the opening, it was filled to capacity, twenty residents. When the news spread of the beginning, applications began to accumulate rapidly. To date, there have been close to 500 inquiries. Had there been rooms available, and all applicants could have made financial arrangement, our Home would have had 200 residents instead of only twenty at present.

There is encouraging prospect of getting the top floor of the present building completed, which will provide space for fifteen additional residents. The cost of this enlargement project has been underwritten by a business man of Winston-Salem, who is not a Baptist. This same friend has already donated a television set, and has concreted the basement of the Home.

Our residents range in age from 64 to 92 years, and come from widely scattered sections of our State—Franklin to Elizabeth City. All rejoice in the opportunity to be in the Home.

In spite of the fact that Resthaven did not receive financial assistance last year from the Baptist State Convention (except a loan which was repaid), it was operated clear of a deficit. How did this happen? By the Lord laying our needs upon the hearts of friends and causing them to respond. Of course, the Home was compelled to charge the cost of keep from the residents who came on the monthly-pay plan. The income from this source, together with that coming from residents giving property or cash for their maintenance, plus donations by churches and auxiliary organizations and friends, enabled the Home to pay its way and to accumulate assets in excess of $100,000.00.

Beginning the year 1952, with the new Nine Year Program, our Home receives three-fourths of 1% of the funds to be divided. From this source has come less than $500.00 per month since January of this year. The Home is estimated to receive a total of approximately $500,000.00 in NINE YEARS. It is apparent, therefore, that slow provision for enlarged facilities will be made to accommodate the hundreds of aging people who want to come to our Home, unless funds come from other sources than our denominational program as it now operates.

Our Home presents a great challenge to North Carolina Baptists to provide adequate facilities. There are probably 100,000 people in our State past 65 years of age, and a large number of these are of Baptist faith. We must make provision as time and finances permit for these aging Baptists. Since Baptists of our State now number more than 700,000 in membership, we are well able to make such provision. If every Baptist would give an average of $1.00 to our Home in one year, we could raise $700,000.00 and not one person would suffer hardship. As soon as a practical and adequate plan of support can be agreed upon, it is reasonable to expect that our Baptist Home will be worthily supported.

Many suggestions have been made as too the best plan of supporting our Home. Among them are: (1) Fifth Sunday offerings through the Sunday schools, as the Virginia Baptist Home plan; (2) special day offering, as the Mother's Day plan for our Baptist Hospital; and (3) putting the Home in the local church budget, and appealing to the churches that have no budget for at least one special offering a year.

Prepared by:
JAMES M. HAYES, Sup't.

12. Rev. W. M. Moss read the report on Baptist Hospital. Speaking to the report were Rev. W. R. Moss and Mr. W. K. McGee, Superintendent. The report was adopted.

OUR HOSPITAL MINISTRY

Teaching and healing, two of the principal precepts of Christ's Ministry, are the main objectives of our Baptist Hospital, which, together with the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College, forms the medical center of North Carolina Baptists. Underlying these objectives is the Christian responsibility of providing medical service for the poor and by ministering to the sick throughout the State.

Last year, the hospital admitted 10,491 persons as bed patients. Caldwell Baptists were included in that number.

The new South Wing is now under construction and should be completed by the middle of 1953. It will increase the capacity of the hospital to 450 beds, including bassinets.

The hospital is the property of North Carolina Baptists and is the concrete expression of their desire to minister to the whole person. A patient's need for pastoral care is increased rather than lessened by his illness. To meet this need, the hospital has a full department of Religion with a director, two chaplains and a student secretary. The chaplains are on call 24 hours a day at the hospital. Sunday School is conducted in the amphitheatre each Sunday for patients and visitors, and hospital personnel. Services are sponsored by the Christian Student Union of the hospital in cooperation with Ardmore Baptist Church. Other religious services are held during the week. The Mother's Day Offerings are used to help pay hospital expenses of patients who can pay only a part of their hospitalization or nothing at all. Mother's Day Offerings in 1951 totaled $157,130.88.

The hospital provided free service in the amount of $456,788.50 to needy persons in 1951. Free hospitalization for regularly-ordained ministers and missionaries who devote their full time to the ministry is provided through the Outpatient Department. Such persons pay 50 per cent of the cost of private accommodations if they elect to enter as private patients. The Outpatient Department is operated for the benefit of persons who are not able to pay the cost of medical services they need. Visits to the outpatient department numbered 48,846 in 1951 and hospital service was extended to thousands of patients who could not be accommodated in the hospital.

Our hospital ministry is one of the outstanding ministries for the Baptist people in our State and should be supported by every Baptist.

Respectfully submitted,
W. R. MOSS

13. Special music was rendered by J. O. Stroud with Miss Anne Reams at the piano.

14. The annual associational sermon was delivered by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr. pastor of First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C. The morning session adjourned for lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION
(Union Baptist Church)

15. The Thursday afternoon session was called to order by moderator W. M. Jones. After singing "I am Thine O Lord", Rev. J. S. Silvers conducted the Praise and Prayer period.

16. The report on Religious Literature was read by Rev. Ernest W. Moore, pastor of Concord Church. Discussing the report were Rev. Moore and Rev. C. W. Bazemoore. The report was adopted.

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

Our need for religious literature is probably greater today than ever before in the history of mankind. There are many reasons for this. First, there are more people reading today than at any time before, due to better educational facilities and shorter working hours. Second, there are more publications, many of which are eating at the very vitals of Christianity like termites, as they spread forth their unhealthy messages, trying to undermine the morals of the youth of America. Third, unless we can stimulate the reading of our youth toward wholesome, religious literature, their minds will become warped by the venom of literature that is detrimental to everything good. Fourth, every time we place in the hands of an individual good religious literature, we are helping that person to understand the better way of life, and at the same time discouraging the reading of that which is unfit.

There is an immense volume of literature produced and published by Southern Baptists today, which very adequately covers the fields of Bible Study, Sunday School, Training, Woman's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Home and Foreign Missions.

One of the best magazines published by our Convention, one that should go into every home is the HOME LIFE. We must certainly encourage the people of our churches to read and study the various types of literature, which offers not only inspiration and guidance in Christian living and service, but also helps to understand and teach the Bible.

Religious Literature not only helps in winning people to Christ, but is one of the best means of training and developing them of all ages into more efficient servants for our Master.

We recognize the fact that nothing can take the place of preaching and teaching, but any church that continues to advocate religious literature throughout its membership, will have more people to which to preach to and teach.

We are fortunate to have in our State the oldest and one of the leading Baptist State papers, THE BIBLICAL RECORDER. This paper promotes and supports all phases of our Baptist work, both at home and abroad. It is carrying its message into more than 50,000 homes today. THE BIBLICAL RECORDER is a wholesome and attractive family paper, which keeps us informed on our denominational work. Thanks to Dr. Carpenter and his staff! A well informed people are easy to lead. So, let us avail ourselves of the great storehouse of literature offered by our State and Southern Baptist Convention; and make every Baptist a well-informed person.

The advance program of the church and the Kingdom of God in our day depends a great deal on the religious literature which informs us of tried and proven plans.

Respectfully submitted,
ERNEST W. MOORE

16. Mr. George Hollar, superintendent of Concord church read and discussed the report on Sunday Schools. Upon motion the report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

As we think of our Sunday School work in the Caldwell Association we see much progress being made in most of the churches. Some have provided more space for extra classes and departments. Others are in a building program. Many churches have started a building fund looking forward to building in the near future.

We are confident that if our Sunday School leaders will follow the five point plan given to us by the late Authur Flake, we will see a mighty forward movement in Sunday School work in the Caldwell Association. The five points are as follows:

1. Know your possibilities (take a census) 2. Enlarge your organization (elect more workers) 3. Provide more space. 4. Train more workers. 5. Go after the people who should be in your Sunday School (Visitation).

During the past year our organization held 4 mass meetings, January 13 at Granite Falls, April 13 at Sardis, July 13 at Lower Creek, and October 4 at Piney Grove church.

A Sunday School team planning meeting was held at Concord Church September 24. Teams went out from this meeting into 32 churches in our Association, helping to set up plans for better Sunday School work.

A very helpful Associational Bible Teaching Clinic was held at the First church of Lenoir October 28—November 2. Many of the workers took advantage of this clinic. Many of our churches also had a January week of Bible Study using the book NEW TESTAMENT DOCTRINES OF THE CHURCH by Dr. J. Clyde Turner.

The Vacation Bible School Guide and Preview Studies were held in two of our districts April 14-17 with a Vacation Bible School Clinic April 18 at Lenoir First church. Thanks to every church in the Association, to Miss Elizabeth Campbell, and those who helped her, in making it possible for us to have a Vacation Bible School in every church in the Association.

Our present enrollment is 13,251.
Our total number of awards this year have been 695.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE W. HOLLAR, Supt.

17. The Associational Training Union report was read by Prof. C. C. Huskins of Lower Creek church. After discussion the report it was adopted.

TRAINING UNION

37 Unions
3240 Enrolled
1173 Awards
560 Present for "M" night.
Goal for coming year: A Training Union in every Church.

Respectfully submitted,
C. C. HUSKINS, Director

18. The congregation sang, "Rescue the Perishing."

19. Mr. A. W. Dodge, associational treasurer read a comprehensive report of monies handled during the associational year. An itemized report was given all delegates including a proposed budget for the year 1952-1953. After discussing and explanation the report was adopted. The Treasurers report and suggestive budget are shown as follows:

TREASURERS REPORT

TREASURER'S CASH REPORT

September 11, 1951 to September 16, 1952

Balance on Hand September 11, 1951			$ 288.22
RECEIPTS (Sheet 3)			
Pledges for Missions		$4,298.18	
Baptist State Convention:			
For Missionary's Salary	$846.00		
For V. B. S. Workers	100.00	946.00	
1951 Minutes		286.55	
Vacation Bible Training School Offerings		657.71	
Central Training School		149.13	
Clinic Book Money		28.46	
Automobile Purchase Money		50.00	
TOTAL RECEIPTS			$6,416.03
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND BALANCE			$6,704.25

DISBURSEMENTS

	Budget for Year	Disbursed to Date
Clerk's Salary	$ 50.00	$ 50.00
Sunday School	125.00	176.54
Training School	125.00	158.42
W. M. U.	50.00	20.00
Bible School	50.00	713.41
Pastor's School	75.00	
Ridgecrest	100.00	90.00
Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendar of Activities	275.00	273.59

Associational Missionary:			
Salary	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Travel	600 00	600.00	
Rent	900.00	900.00	
Convention	150.00	150.00	
Retirement, Social Security and Withholding Tax	150.00	79.91	
1950 Minutes	34.45		
Automobile Purchase Money	—	60.00	
1951 Minutes		317.00	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$5,084.45		5,988.87
BALANCE ON HAND September 16, 1952			$ 715.38

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. DODGE, Treasurer.

BUDGET COMMITTEES REPORT

September 18, 1952

Dear Fellow-Worker:

The Finance and Budget Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association has met and wishes to make the following recommendations for the year 1952-53.

It is again recommended that each church set as its goal for Associational Missions 50 cents per resident member per year. If we will all do this there should be at all times sufficient funds to meet our needs and to help us increase our missionary efforts in His behalf.

The suggested budget for the year 1952-53 is as follows:

1. Clerk's Salary		$ 50.00
2. Sunday School		170.00
3. Training Union		160.00
4. W. M. U.		50.00
5. Bible School		600.00
6. Pastors' School		100.00
7. Ridgecrest		100.00
8. Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendar of Activities		275.00
9. Associational Missionary:		
(a) Salary		2,700.00
(b) Travel		600.00
(c) Rent		900.00
(d) Convention		150.00
(e) Retirement and Social Security		162.00
10. 1952 Minutes		350.00
Total Proposed Budget		6,367.00
Less anticipated receipts from other sources:		
Baptist State Convention	$760.00	
Sale of Minutes	300.00	
V. B. S. Offering	550.00	
Central Training School—Books and Offering	125.00	
Clinic Book Money	25.00	1,760.00
BALANCE TO BE PLEDGED BY CHURCHES		$4,607.00

Respectfully submitted,

FINANCE AND BUDGET COMMITTEE,
A. W. Dodge, Chairman
Rev. Robert Frye
Rev. W. W. Jones (Ex-officio)
Miss Elizabeth Campbell (Ex-officio)
B. B. Byers
Nelson Clay

20. The report on request for membership in the Association was presented by Rev. C. R. Hinton, pastor of First Church, Granite Falls. Hibriten, Worship Point and Zack's Fork Baptist churches under consideration for one year were voted membership. Joyceton church, a mission point for some time under guidance of Central Baptist Church was also voted membership.

21. Rev. R. L. Wilson, pastor of Kings Creek Baptist church read and commented briefly on Associational statistics. The report showed much growth in all fields for the past year. (See Statistical report in back of book).

22. Mr. J. F. Reece, Chairman, read the report of the nomination committee for officers and committees to serve for insuing year. This report is shown in first part of book. See index. Upon motion and duly seconded those recommended by the nominating committee were duly elected.

23. The report of Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers was read by Rev. R. L. Wilson. On motion the report was adopted.

CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

Upon request of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, the committee assisted in the ordination of their pastor, Robert P. Laws.

A request came from the Joyceton Mission for help in organizing into a Church. After consideration and examination, a date was set which was Feb. 2, 1952 and the Joyceton Baptist Church was organized.

On March 22, 1952, in response to a request from the Joyceton Baptist Church, the committee helped in ordaining their their pastor, Rev. Francis Prestwood, and two deacons, Mr. Nelson Prestwood and Mr. Irvin Austin.

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. WILSON, Acting For
G. A. Hamby, Chairman.

24. Mr. Green Thompson, historian read a brief history of Union and Union Grove Baptist Churches. Photographs of these churches are shown in this minute. The report as read was adopted and made a part of the Baptist records.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

Union Baptist Church, co-host to the sixty eighth session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized June 2, 1814, with 16 charter members, and with Elders Wm. Dodson, John Carlton and Moses Sanbury acting as presbytery.

Union Church is unique, in that she has belonged to five different associations. She first joined Brier Creek Ass'n, then in 1827, transferred to the Catawba River Ass'n, in 1836 to the Lewis' Fork Ass'n. Later she transferred to the Brushy Mountain Ass'n., and in 1885 she became a member of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

The following have been pastors of the church, several of them having served more than once: Wm. Dodson, Sr., John Carlton, Benjamin Beach, Wm. Swanson, Wm. Holder, Cornelius Livingston, Smith Ferguson, Wm. Goforth, J. J. Watts, James Reed, Houston Holsclaw, J. H. West, J. B. Powell, Isaac Oxfory, Jacob Crouch, Wm. Pool, J. T. Shell, J. B. Pool, W. A. Pool, J. M. Shaver, J. W. Watts, Levi W. Teague, W. R. Beach, T. E. Payne, W. W. Lynns, Grant R. Miller, and the present, Otto Johnson.

The following members have served as clerks: James Critchlow, Henry Payne, Sion Harrington, Wm. Shell, David Downs, Charles Downs, J. Wilson West, E. P. McRary, Fred Roberts, R. P. Shaver and the present, Woodrow Land.

The first house of worship was a log building which served until 1875, when a frame building was constructed. In 1941 the present beautiful building of grey granite was built. It has 12 S. S. rooms in addition to the auditorium.

Union has a total membership of 417, of which 248 are resident and 169 non-resident. A Sunday School enrollment of 278 and supports a B. T. U., W. M. U., G. A., and R. A.

At present Union has services the 1st. and 3rd. Sundays of each month, but is looking forward to full time services at an early date.

Under the able leadership of Rev. Otto Johnson, this great church, which has weathered the storms of almost a century and a half, marches confidently forward in the service of the King.



UNION BAPTIST CHURCH—1814

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH—1875

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH—1942

Union Grove Baptist Church, co-host to the sixty eigth session of the Caldwell Baptist Assocation, was organized in 1898, with twenty one (21) charter members. The organizing presbytery consisted of the following: J. E. Griffin. W. W. Conway, L. H. Hice, M. S. Spencer, A. P. Lutz, J. A. Turnmire, W. L. Evans, L. J. Smith, and J. M. Smith

A house of worship was built and Rev. D. L. Miller called as first pastor. A complete list of pastors is not available at the present time. The present clerk is Stacy Davis.

In 1939 the house of worship was rebuilt, into the beautiful aduitorium which hey now enjoy. A building program is currently under way and when completed will provide twenty two (22) additional class rooms for the Educational dept.

The Church has a membership of 300 and a Sunday School enrollment of 353. The Church also supports a M.M.U. with fifteen (15) members, a Y.W.A. with 17 members and a Training Union with a membership of 57.

The Church has services each Sunday, With a morning service one Sunday and a night Service the following Sunday.

Under the able and dynamic leadership of Rev. L. E. Snipes, Union Grove ever strives to present Christ as Lord and Savior to a needy world.

The following ministers have served as pastor of Union Grove church: D. L. Miller, William Conway, Logan King, W. N. Cook, John Annis, Will Bumgarner, E. D. Crisp, T. P. Shumaker, W. B. Bryant, Luther Hass, A. A. Branch, E. P. Bennet, Homer Messer, Paul Wilson, Herring Crisp, and the present pastor Luther Snipes.

Union Grove Baptist Church



25. The annual report on Christian Education was read and discussed by Mr. E. C. McCall. Prof. Kindall, Mars Hill College; Prof. Ben Fisher, Gardner-Webb and Prof. B. F. Hasty of Wake Forest College were also recognized and spoke briefly regarding their institutions. The report was adopted.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

There are seven Baptist colleges in North Carolina—Two senior: Meredith and Wake Forest; five junior: Mars Hill, Campbell, Gardner-Webb, Wingate and Chowan; and the Baptist Hospital School of Nursing. There are 5,000 students enrolled in these Baptist institutions.

These colleges have a net worth of more than $15,000,000 and an annual operating expenditure of $3,000,000.

North Carolina Baptists through the Cooperative Program contribute $400,000 annually to their operating costs.

They have a total of $4,500,000 in endowment funds, not including the $11,000,000 provided in the Smith-Reynolds Foundation for Wake Forest College.

These colleges have $220,000 available for making loans to worthy students, a greater part of which is not now being used.

Reasonable progress has been made in collecting and distributing information about our institutions and making a realistic evaluation of the present status of Christian education among Southern Baptists. It is not difficult to give evidence of the tremendous contributions of these institutions to the life of our denomination. Of 827 missionaries under appointment on January 23, 1952, by our Foreign Mission Board, 806 (97.5%) attended a Southern Baptist college. Five in six of our pastors with college training came from our own colleges. According to a survey, more than 70% of our denominational leaders with college training and 72% of our denominational leaders with college training and 72% of members of the boards of most of the various Convention agencies attended a Southern Baptist college. All this is true in spite of the fact that Southern Baptists are by far the lowest of all the major denominations in the percentage of their membership enrolled in their own educational institutions. Fewer than one in six of Southern Baptists in college today are in our own colleges, yet a major share of our Christian leadership must come from that one-sixth. With the surging college enrolments expected before the end of the decade, we shall be hard put to keep the one-sixth from becoming one-tenth if we do not redouble efforts to send our own young people to our own colleges.

Each year there are approximately 15,000 Baptist boys and girls graduating from standard high schools in North Carolina. Of these 15,000 who graduate from high school, not more than 4,000 of them go to any college, and of those who do go not more than one out of four of the Baptist boys and girls will go to a Baptist college. All of this means that, whereas we are now getting 1,000 boys and girls to enroll in our seven Baptist colleges each year, there are 3,000 others enrolling in other colleges; and every year there are at least 11,000 Baptist young people who graduate from high school and attend no college.

Why do we not make full use of our splendid colleges? Why do we invest our monies in them and send our sons and daughters elsewhere? Because we know so little about them that many of us think their only function is the training of Christian professionals. Few of our people

know that our colleges offer degrees in pharmacy, law, medicine, geology, nursing, dentistry, photography, hospital administration and many other specialized fields.

Our colleges have weaknesses—these can be corrected. They have needs—these can be met. They have nothing, though, until we give them our own to minister unto.

Respectfully submitted,
E. C. McCALL

26. Upon motion and duly seconded the assembly adjourned to meet on Friday at 9:45 with Union Grove Baptist Church in North Catawba Township.

SECOND DAY

Friday Morning—Union Grove Baptist Church

27. The second day session was held with the Union Grove Baptist Church in North Catawba Township. After singing a hymn, "Close to Thee" directed by Rev. J. O. Stroud and accompanied at the piano by Miss Anne Reams, the moderator recognized Rev. K. E. Seep, pastor of Sardis Baptist Church who conducted the devotional period.

28. Under miscellaneous business, H. B. Anderson, chairman of a committee to find suitable residence for our Association Missionary made a verbal report and recommended that a lot be secured and a building be erected. After much discussion and on motion the Building Committee consisting of H. B. Anderson, Carter Powell and Glayton Adams were authorized to find a lot and erect a home for our Associational Missionary. Donations in money, materials and labor will be accepted. Cost including all donations were authorized not to exceed $12,000.00.

The finance committee consisting of A. W. Dodge, Chairman, W. W. Jones, Moderator, Malcolm Laxton, Vice-moderator and F. L. Smith, Clerk, were authorized to formulate plans and raise necessary funds through the several churches of the Association.

The Building Committee was authorized to find suitable lot, secure plans and submit same to a called meeting of the Associational Executive Committee for further action if needed.

29. On motion and seconded Miss Elizabeth Campbell, was instructed to write letters to our missionaries keeping them informed of activities, etc. within our association.

30. The report on the Mills and Kennedy Homes (Baptist Orphanage) was read by Mr. G. G. Steele. Upon motion to adopt the subject was discussed by Mr. Steele and Rev. W. C. Reed, Superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage. The report was adopted.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

During the last year our Orphanage cared for a total of 725 children. In addition to these the social service staff of the Orphanage investigated the applications of 684 children and in many instances helped to find them a home where they could be cared for.

North Carolina Baptist have always been in the forefront in ministry to the dependent child. For sixty-seven years this service has been carried on through our great orphanage. This we have financed throught the time-honored plan of the once-a-month offering in our Sunday Schools and Thanksgiving offering. This year there has been very little increase in the once-a-month offering.

As we plan for our Thanksgiving offering of cash and produce please bear in mind that prices everywhere continue to rise. Hence if every Baptist will add a little extra to his Thanksgiving Offering it will enable our splendid institution to continue to meet the increasing demands of the needy children, who look to us for their chance in life.

We are counting on the continued prayers and support from all our churches.

Respectfully,
G. G. STEELE, Orphanage Representative

31. On motion of Rev. C. R. Hinton paragraph 1 of By-Laws was changed to read: 1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September. The motion was carried.

32. Rev. T. L. Cashwell, pastor of College Avenue Baptist Church made a very impressive talk on "Transfer of Church Membership."

33. The report on Evangelism was read by Rev. C. R. Hinton. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Rev. Hinton and Rev. J. C. Canipe, state director of Evangelism.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Evangelism is the theme of the Church. It is through this channel that the life of the Church is replenished. A Church which is having souls saved is the Church which is really accomplishing something for the Lord. When the fires of evangelism cease to burn, then the oil of God's grace is not flowing as it should into the hearts of the unsaved because the Church is failing to do its task.

We know that Christ's coming into the world was to evangelize. Southern Baptist have caught this vision of Christ and are busy seeking to carry out his command to evangelize through its department of Evangelism. This effort is the reason our denomination has grown as it has. The task for us is still big as there are millions right here in our southland who know not Christ. Our convention is looking forward to another great crusade in 1955 throughout our convention, and every preparation is being made to that end.

Here in our Association we are planning for a crusade this spring. Beginning on Easter Sunday, which is April 5, 1953, we are planning a Simultaneous Evangelistic Campaign. It is our wish that every church in the Association shall cooperate in an all out effort to win the lost this spring.

Let us take a look at our own Association this year over the previous year in the number of souls won. There are 50 churches reporting bap-

tisms this year which number 717 with 9 churches reporting no baptisms and 3 churches not sending a report to the Association. The previous year there were 58 churches reporting 871 baptisms with only 4 churches reporting no baptisms which was the year of our crusade in 1951. This is a good evidence that the special effort does pay as there were 154 more baptisms the year of the crusade than the year after.

Respectfully submitted,
C. R. HINTON

34. The annual report of the Trustees of Associational Property at Ridgecrest was made by E. E. Stafford, treasurer. On motion to adopt several people including Mr. Stafford discussed the report. It was pointed out that additional rooms and more facilities were badly needed. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF RIDGECREST PROPERTY
RIDGECREST CABIN FUND

(Caldwell Cottage)

E. E. STAFFORD, Treas.

FINANCIAL REPORT (September 1st, 1951—August 31st, 1952)

Balance in Bank—8-31-51	$ 737.72

DEPOSITS

1951	
Sept. 11th—Received from Mrs. D. Annas, Music	55.10
Nov. 3rd—Received from Caldwell Baptist Assn., Matron	75.00
1952	
June 19th—Received from Mars Hill College, B. S. U.	93.00
June 23rd—Received from Mrs. V. V. Everhart, YWA & S.S.	31.50
July 7th—Received from George Hollar, 2nd S. S.	67.75
Aug. 1st—Received from Mrs. V. V. Everhart, College Ave., & Mrs. D. Annas—3 T.U. Weeks	411.25
Aug. 8th—Received from Mrs. H. Cowserts, F.M. week	33.00
Aug. 18th—Received from Mrs. W. Bogle, W.M.U.	16.50
Aug. 21st—Received from Mrs. Ward Johnson, 1st S.S.	27.00
Aug. 25th—Received from Rev. Wilson, Home Mission	12.00
	$1,561.82

DISBURSEMENTS

Submitted by E. E. STAFFORD, Treas.

Balance on Hand—August 31st 1951	$ 737.72
Deposits—Sept. 1st 1951 to Aug. 31st 1952	824.10
Total	$1,561.82

Sept. 11th—Carolina Power & Light Co. (Power & Lights)	$ 16.93	
Sept. 11th—Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly (Water)	3.07	
Oct. 23rd—Ernest Lawing (Repair to porch and screens)	26.18	
Nov. 15th—Carolina Power & Lights Co. (Power & Lights)	2.47	
Nov. 15th—Black Mountain Ice Co. (½ ton coal)	8.00	
1952		

June 3rd—Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly (Garbage disposal & turn on water)	13.00	
June 6th—D. D. Suddreth Furn Co. (Shades and Percolator)	11.55	
June 10th—Black Mountain Ice Co. (½ ton coal)	8.00	
June 22nd—Mrs. V. V. Everhart (one and one-half matron weeks)	30.00	
June 25th—Black Mountain Fire Dept. (Fire Protection Ins.)	3.00	
July 7th— E. E. Stafford (Gas, Telephone & Misc. Supplies)	16.50	
July 8th—Carolina Power & Light Co. (Lights and Power)	14.46	
July 18th—Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly (Water)	3.11	
Aug. 8th—Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly (Water)	5.56	
Aug. 8th—Carolina Power & Light Co. (Lights and Power)	21.07	
Aug. 21st—Housewares, Inc. (Stainless steel tableware)	35.39	
	$218.29	
BALANCE ON HAND—September 1st, 1952		$1,343.53

246 people signed register (Using cottage 1 to 6 days)

This number includes 36 Mars Hill youth who spent B.S.U. week in Caldwell cottage.

90 person signed register as visitors.

A total of 336 signed register for entire summer of 1952

35. On motion of Rev. Ernest Moore and seconded by Rev. Ed Crump the association unanimously passed the following resolution.

RESOLUTION TO SECURE LOAN FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT RIDGECREST

That the Trustees of Caldwell Cottage at Ridgcrest, be authorized to proceed with the necessary additions to the Cottage as brought before the Association, by the Trustees. That they be authorized to borrow the necessary funds to complete this work, using the Cottage as collateral. That the returns from the rent of the Cottage be used as far as necessary to make the payments on the loan.

36. After singing "Jesus Shall Reign", Rev. Knoland Benfield, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Hickory, N. C. delivered a very inspiring sermon on Missions.

The association adjourned for the noon hour.

AFTERNOON SESSION

37. Those attending the afternoon session sang "He Leadeth Me" which was led by Rev. J. O. Stroud. Miss Anne Reams accompanied at the piano. The devotional was given by Rev. D. L. Bumgarner.

38. Frank L. Smith discussed life-long activities as minister of Rev. H. S. Benfield and made motion that the sixty-eight minute be dedicated to him. The motion carried and picture of Rev. Benfield was authorized placed in the minute.

39. Report on Ministers Retirement was presented by Rev. Robert Frye and discussed by Rev. Frye, Rev. M. O. Owens and Dr. O. R. Mangum.

REPORT OF THE RELIEF AND ANNUITY BOARD OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION 1952

The reports, reviewing the work of the Relief and Annuity Board, presented at the annual meeting of the Board in Dallas, on March 12th showed 1951 to be a year of continued progress and enlarged service to our Southern Baptist constituency.

Officers of the Board were re-elected: Dr. Wallace Bassett, president; Dr. Walter R. Alexander, executive secretary; Dr. Robert S. Jones, associate secretary; Mr. Orville Groner, treasurer-investments.

Total income for 1951 was $5,144,134.29, with total benefits paid amounting to $1,559,438.69. Total assets of the Board as of December 31, 1951 were $23,333,014.10.

In spite of more intensive promotional work on the part of the several states and of the Relief and Annuity Board, there is yet much to be done to broaden the protection of the Ministers Retirement Plan. Far too many pastors are retiring without any source of income and thus adding to the burden of the relief department. In 1951, the relief department spent more in ten states than it received. The deficit in these states could only be met by drawing upon the relief reserves. The relief department cannot continue to meet these deficits by reducing the relief reserve fund. This situation can and must be corrected. Two suggestions are made which should help in overcoming these deficits.

First, more of the churches should follow the recommendation of the Southern Baptist Convention and take a Fellowship Offering for ministerial relief on the first Sunday in June, or at such time as convenient to the church.

Second, each state should consider setting a date after which time no pastor would be eligible for assistance from the relief department who had not been a member of the Ministers Retirement Plan. A pastor who refuses to join the plan has no right to expect the denomination to provide for his needs when he is forced into retirement because of ill health or old age when he refuses to make some effort to provide, with the help of his denomination, something for himself. Unless something like this is done, the relief load will continue to increase when it should decrease from year to year.

The retirement boards of the other major denominations require that a pastor be a member of some contributory retirement plan before he is considered eligible for assistance from relief funds.

A pastor who lacks three to five years of reaching retirement age, can join the Ministers Retirement Plan and enjoy an age annuity on retirement, far beyond what he would receive if he were placed on the relief roll. Every active pastor should take advantage of the opportunity which

his denomination has provided that he may not face a penniless old age.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT FRYE

40. The report on the Problem of Alcohol was presented by Rev. Ed Crump. On motion to adopt same was discussed by Rev. Crump, Rev. M. O. Owens, and Rev. R. M. Hauss, Executive Secretary of State Allied Church League. The report was adopted.

1952 THE ALLIED CHURCH LEAGUE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Allied Church League is leading the fight for the abolition of beverage alcohol in North Carolina through legislation, education, law enforcement and rehabilitation of alcoholics.

ELECTIONS: During the year five county-wide beer and wine elections have been held: Chatham, Brunswick, Caldwell, Davie, and Haywood. All five voted overwhelmingly Dry. Two ABC elections were held: Hyde and Pamlico. Hyde voted Dry by a large majority but Pamlico voted Wet by a small majority. There are no further elections scheduled for this year but plans are under way to hold several the first of next year.

Dry Counties:	Liquor—71.	Wine—50.	Beer—48.
Wet Counties:	Liquor—29.	Wine—50.	Beer—52.
Wet Municipalities:	—5.		

LEGISLATION: The League has worked faithfully and constantly for a state-wide referendum, the repeal of the "Gag-rule", the repeal of the "Gallon Law", and for a supervisor of alcohol education in the State Department of Education. Bills were introduced at the last General Assembly for each of these but were killed by the Committee on Propositions and Grievances. During the year our Committee for Good Government has waged an effective campaign to elect men to the General Assembly who are commited to the program of the Allied Church League. It now looks as if we will have a majority in the Senate and a two-thirds majority in the House. We were fortunate in electing a Lt. Governor on whom we can depend for a fair deal. The Allied Church League has set out to raise approximately $18,000., to double its budget for the year. Quotas have been sent out to each county in the state and the first of October has been set as the deadline to finish the campaign.

We hope our county will do its part to raise this amount, we are also thankful to the Lord for the victory in our own county, let us continue in prayer for others to vote out this awful evil.

Respectfully submitted,
J. E CRUMP

41. A report on Stewardship was read by Rev. John Carter. Upon motion to adopt the subject was discussed by Rev. Carter. Motion adopted.

STEWARDSHIP

Having been led as we believe by the Holy Spirit to accept the Lord Jesus Christ as our personal Savior and being born of the Spirit, we are heirs of God and joint-heirs with the Lord Jesus. Recognizing therefore that God is the owner and giver of all good things, even our very lives "for in Him we live and move and have our being" we belong to

Him. Wherefore, we are stewards of God and should give earnest heed to our stewardship that in all things we may be found faithful and acceptable unto Him.

Christian stewardship involves the whole of life, including such things as our abilities, our time, our witness, our material possessions, etc., the least of which is the material as taught in Luke 16:1ff. Further Jesus says that he who will not be faithful in this would not be faithful in the more vital relationships of life and therefore will not be intrusted with the true.

This year, Sept. 1—Aug. 31 it took on the average 21.7 persons to lead one person to a saving Knowledge of the Lord Jesus. An entire year, are we faithful stewards in our witness? Are we doing as the early Christians, who when "they were scattered abroad, went everywhere preaching the Word"? Our average gift per member was $37.00 which is less than half the tithe. About 60% of our resident Church members attend Sunday morning services more than half the time, 35% less than half and 5% never; Not to mention the pathetic few on Sunday night or the neglect of the week day Prayer Service.

By use of stewardship classes, workers training classes and personal contact lets us urge our people to be faithful stewards in regular church attendance, daily witnessing, Scriptural giving, Daily Bible Study and Prayer, and with a ready spirit to do ones best at any task the Church may call on one to do in the name of Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN E. CARTER

42. Rev. C. R. Hinton discussed Baptist Brotherhood. (A written report was not available for the minutes).

43. Rev. J. J. Buckner made the following report for his committee on Place and Preacher. First day with Sardis church on September 24, 1953. Second day with Mountain Grove church on September 25, 1953. Rev. C. R. Hinton was named to preach the annual sermon and Rev. J. S. Silver, alternate.

44. The clerk read resolutions for the committee. On motion the Association adopted same.

RESOLUTIONS

Your committee on Resolutions wish to submit the following recommendations:
1. That we express our deep gratitude to both the Union and Union Grove Baptist churches for their fine hospitality demonstrated by the excellent way in which they have entertained the Caldwell Association.
2. That we thank the Program Committee for the fine program arranged and presented during the sessions of the association.
3. That we express our appreciation to all those who prepared, read and discussed the splendid reports on various phases of our work.
4. That we heartly thank Rev. M. O. Owens and Rev. Knolan Benfield for the heart-string Gospel messages that they delivered during the association.
5. That we appreciate the visitors from out of the Association and fine messages brought to us by those on the program for the two days sessions

H. S. Benfield for the Committee

45. Report on memory of those having past away since the last annual session was read by Dr. O. R. Mangum.

46. The matter of changing the By-Laws (Section 5) having reference to petitionary letters was discussed by several delegates. On motion and duly seconded it was voted to add the following sentence to section 5: "Any new church applying for membership shall be accepted under the watch care of the association for a period of one year before being admitted into full fellowship."

47. All matters scheduled having been transacted the association adjourned one of its most outstanding annual sessions.

Rev. Walter W. Jones, Moderator
Frank L. Smith, Clerk

IN MEMORIAM

BUFFALO COVE
Joseph D. Cottrell

CALVARY
Mrs. Grady Matheson

CLARK'S CHAPEL
Mr. J. P. Hageman

CLOVER
Mr. Alonzo Harris
Mrs. Mathis Annas

COLLEGE AVE.
Mr. D. H. Moore
Mr. W. J. Benfield

CONCORD
Miss Lura Mae Stames
Mr. Lee Gilbert

DUDLEY SHOALS
Miss Celia Elmore
Mr. Russell Austin
Mrs. George Reed
Miss Annie Sue Johnson
Mrs. Shaver Sigmon

GLOBE
Mr. Walter Sanders
Mrs. Mollie Bolick

GRANITE FALLS FIRST
Mrs. H. V. Russell
Mr. Z. T. Green
Mr. Steele Mitchell
Mr. W. J. Hubbard
Mrs. J. M. Shaver

GREEN ROCK
Mrs. Etta Hawkins

GREEN VALLEY
Deacon J. B. Hayes

HARRIS CHAPEL
Mrs. J. M. Elrod

HIBRITEN
Miss Oleta Secreast
Mrs. Minnie Buff
Mr. Harley Poarch

JOHNS RIVER
Mr. S. C. Coffey
Mr. S. J. Andrews

KINGS CREEK
Mr. George Laxton
Mr. W. D. Icenhour
Mr. T. D. Penneer
Mr. Robert Land
Mr. Amon Kirby
Mrs. J. D. Pennell
Mrs. J. L. Summers
Mrs. Russell Kirby

LENOIR FIRST
Mr. J. B Clay
Mr. R. L. Downs
Mr. Roy Tolbert
Mr. Todd Cook
Miss Bertha Killian

LONG FORD
Mrs. Elbert Greene

LOVELADY
Mrs. S. C. Martin

LOWER CREEK
Rev. J. G. Benfield
Mr. R. L. Steele
Miss Edith Steele
Mr. Douglas McGowan

MAPLE GROVE
Deacon Finley Coffey
Mrs. Cora Coffey
Miss Shirley Tolbert

MILLER HILL
Mr. Robert Staley

MT. ZION
Mrs. Edna Harris
Mr. Cecil Mills
Mr. B. McCoy Miller

NEW HOPE
Mr. John Grubbs

PINEY GROVE
Mrs. Law Goble

PISGAH
Deacon C. F. Crisp

POOVEY'S CHAPEL
Deacon Oron A. Hartley
Mrs. W. A. Haas
Mrs. Martha E. Witherspoon

POOVEY'S GROVE
Mr. George Tucker

RUFUS
Mr. Sherman W. Braswell

SARDIS
Mr. R. Z. Harris
Mr. E. L. McMillan

SETZER CREEK
Mrs. Anna Lee Coffey

UNION
Mr. Bee Anderson
Mr. Jones Haas
Mr. A. H. McRay
Mr. Ira Smith

WHITNEL
Mr. M. C. Braswell
Mr. A. A. Clark
Mrs .L. B. Kirby

WINKLERS GROVE
Mr. H. F. Andrews
Mr. H. F. Andrews
Mr. Joseph Byers

YADKIN
Mr. Roman Bentley

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM

THEME: "THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME"

"LET US WORSHIP" ..... Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.
Hymn: "All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name"
Watchwords (Quoted in Unison):
Devotional Thoughts: "HIS NAME"
Special Music: "How Sweet The Name of Jesus"
Season of Prayer

BUSINESS:

Welcome ..... Whitnel W. M. S.
Response ..... Kings Creek W. M. S.
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees
Roll Call of Churches
Recognition of A-I W. M. S.

"FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE"

Enlistment ..... Mrs. Grover Triplett
Mrs. O. L. Grice
Community Missions ..... Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Mission Study ..... Mrs. J. A. Boldin
Stewardship ..... Mrs. J. H. Craig
MAGAZINE DEMONSTRATION ..... Mrs. Geo. Icenhour
EMPOWERED FOR SERVICE ..... Mrs. John Wacaster
W. M. U. Field Representative
PERIOD OF SILENT PRAYER
HYMN: "Jesus Shall Reign"
ANNOUNCEMENTS
SPECIAL MUSIC
"IN HIS NAME AMONG ALL NATIONS" ..... Miss Theresa Anderson
Missionary to Philippines

LUNCH

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC:
HYMN: "Take The Name Of Jesus With You"
SCRIPTURE:
SPECIAL MUSIC: "Jesus, The Very Thought of Thee"
PRAYER
"ONE SUCH CHILD IN MY NAME"
MISSIONARY EDUCATION OF YOUTH: ..... Mrs. R. L. Wilson
Rev. C. R. Hinton
Young People
ENLISTING THE BOY—FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE:.... Rev. B. W. Jackson,
State R. A. Leader
HONOR TO HIS NAME:
W. M. U. TRAINING SCHOOL ..... Mrs. J. D. Craig
MARGARET FUND ..... Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.
HYMN: "I Love To Tell The Story"
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS:..... Mrs. E. C. James
"ALL IN THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS" .... Miss Theresa Anderson
Missionary to the Philippines
CLOSING PRAYER ..... Rev. Grady Hamby

REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

SUPERINTENDENT ..... Mrs. Grover Triplett, Lenoir, N. C.
ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT ..... Mrs. O. L. Grice, Lenoir, N. C.
SECRETARY AND TREASURER .... Mrs. Ira D. Pritchard, Lenoir, N. C.
YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEADER ..... Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.
MISSION STUDY CHAIRMAN ..... Mrs. J. D. Craig, Rt. 2,

Granite Falls, N. C.
COMMUNITY MISSIONS CHAIRMAN ..... Mrs. L. M. Abernathy, Granite Falls, N. C.
STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN .....Mrs. J. N. Moore, Lenoir, N. C.
LITERATURE CHAIRMAN ..... Mrs. George Icenhour, Kings Creek, N. C.
R. A. LEADER ..... Rev. R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.
LIBRARIAN ..... Miss Eller Dickson, Lenoir, N. C.
MARGARET FUND AND TRAINING SCHOOL ..... Mrs. M. O. Owens, Lenoir, N. C.
Y. W. A. ASSOCIATE LEADER ..... Mrs. Ed Lee Steele, Lenoir, N. C.

Respectively submitted
MRS. CARL THOMPSON
MRS. NED AUSTIN
MRS. D. L. SNYDER
MRS. C. A. BOWMAN

REPORT OF LITERATURE CHAIRMAN

ROYAL SERVICE SUBSCRIPTIONS 233
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14 Churches no report

Respectively submitted
MRS. G. M. ICENHOUR.

APPRECIATION COMMITTEE'S REPORT

To Pastor Grady Hamby, W. M. S. President Mrs. Bolick, and all our other gracious hostesses of this First Baptist Church of Whitnel, who have so warmly welcomed us, obeying the Scriptural injunction, "Use hospitality to all men," we express our heartfelt gratitude for the delicious food for body and uplift for the spirit given us today.

For each musician and speaker—devotional, instructive, missionary—our hearts are thankful! Work in the Philippines evokes our grateful prayers since Miss Anderson brought it more alive for us.

To Mrs. Wacaster, and Mr. Jackson also, go our thanks, as well as to Miss Campbell, Mrs. Triplett, and every other Associational worker and Committee, whose labors through the year have culminated in today's work for God's glory. God hath promised renewed strength to those who wait upon (serve) Him. May He add to the reward of every one whose service to Him has blessed us this day and year.

Appreciation Committee
MRS. WALTER JONES, Chrm.

MISSION STUDY REPORT FOR 1951

(From Jan. 1st to Sept. 30th)

Number Mission Study Classes 108
(W. M. S. 58; Young People 50)
No. Enrolled in Classes 1138
(W. M. S. 643; Young People 495)
No. Reading one or more approved Missionary books 892
(W. M. S. 544; Young People 348)
No. Approved Missionary books read 1050

OFFICE REPORT

No. Letters and postals written 145
No. Personal contacts and telephone calls 95
No. Mission study classes taught 4

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION STUDY GOALS FOR 1952

I. At least one Mission Study Institute.
II. 75% of the organizations of each grade having a mission study class.
III. 25% of the organization of each grade 100% in Missionary reading.
IV. The Associational Mission Study Chairman reading at least six Missionary books besides textbooks.

MRS. J. A. BOLDIN.

COMMUNITY MISSION AIMS FOR 1952

That in 1952 special emphasis be placed on two phases of Community Missions: Soul-Winning Visitation and Alcohol Education.

Enlist every member in Community Mission Activities centered on Soul-Winning, Christian helpfulness and attainment of moral standards.

MRS. L. M. ABERNATHY

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

BALANCE IN BANK MARCH 27, 1952		$ 23.62	
Collected and deposited for Associational Expenses		$137.75	$161.37
Checks Written	$78.81		
BALANCE IN BANK SEPTEMBER 11, 1952		$ 82.56	

MRS. IRA PRITCHARD, Secretary

REPORT OF THE TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Caldwell Association will hold its Annual Meeting in 1953 at the Yadkin Baptist Church, at the appointed time.

MRS. ERNEST MOORE MRS. DEWEY ANNAS MRS. NED AUSTIN

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN

Owing to change in our W. M.U. Year—this report is for 3 Quarters —January 1, 1951 to September 30, 1951.

We also change in reporting Gifts. We only report number giving to Cooperative Program and report amount given to Special Offerings.

Number Tithers—W. M. S.	429
Number Tithers—Young People	148
Total	577

GIFTS TO SPECIAL OFFERINGS

	Annie Armstrong Offering	Heck Jones Offering	State Missions	Total
W. M. U.	690.52	249.68	495.15	1435.35
Y. W. A.	67.95	12.00	47 26	127.21
G. A.'s	48.80	7.70	33.81	90.31
R. A.'s	46.81	5.43	25.00	77 24
Sunbeams	36.78	12.35	22.70	71.83
Totals	890.86	287.16	623.92	1801.94

This is $492.60 increase over same period last year.

Respectively submitted
MRS. J. H. CRAIG.

IN APPRECIATION

To Mrs. J. A. Boldin and Mrs. J. H. Craig, we express our sincere love and gratitude for their many years of service. We will ever be grateful to them for their Christian influence and the high standards they held before us in their work in the Caldwell W. M. U. Association.

Respectfully,
MRS. GROVER TRIPLETT, Supt.
MRS. IRA PRITCHARD, Sec.-Treas.

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885 - 1951

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkins	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M .Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 King's Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove			
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1947 Lenoir First			
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1948 Central			
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1949 Harris Chapel			
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1950 Concord			
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1951 Calvary	W. W, Jones	F, L, Smith	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove			
1952 Union	W. W. Jones	F, L, Smith	M, O, Owens, Jr,
1952 Union Grove	W. W. Jones	F, L, Smith	Knowland Benfield

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP—

CHURCHES	1 Location Rural V-T-C	2 Date Organized	3 Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Total Resident Members	TOTAL 8 Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL 9 Grand Total Present Members	SPECIAL INFORMATION 10 Revival Meetings Held	11 Number Tithers	12 State Paper in Budget	13 Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	14 No. Known Roman Catholics to Join Church in Year
Bethany	R	1902		Albert Tester, Reece, N. C.				50	64	114	1			Yes	
Blair's Fork	V	1891	All	L. R. Davis, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	6	2	11	103	48	151	1	20		Yes	
Buffalo Cove	R	1857	2-4	Will Cooke, Boone, N. C.			2	62	69	131	1			Yes	
Calvary	T	1945	All	J. Ed Crump, Hudson, N. C.	46	51	25	358	22	380	2	26		Yes	
Cedar Rock	R	1942	1-3	W. A. Eichelberger, Wilkesboro, N. C.	4	3		38	20	58	2			Yes	
Center Grove	R	1912	All	Paul Marrow, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	10	1	9	133		133	2	20		Yes	
Central	V	1938	All	J. J. Buckner, Whitnel, N. C.	14	10	44	240	52	292	2	50		Yes	
Clark's Chapel	R	1900	All	L. E. Snipes, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.	29	8	6	165	65	230	1	20		Yes	
Clover	T	1942	All	T. A. Sheppard, Box 4815, Granite Falls, N. C.	33	31	10	175	44	219	1	40		Yes	
College Avenue	C	1910	All	T. L. Cashwell, Jr., 482 W. Harper, Lenoir, NC	24	22	72	1094	269	1363				Yes	
Concord	T	1908	All	Ernest N. Moore, P. O. Box 4914, Granite Falls	35	27	29	470		470	2	150		Yes	
Conways Chapel	R		All	C. J. Younce, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	6	7	2	31	49	80	1	6		Yes	
Dudley Shoals	V	1861		J. Clinard Brooks, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	28	6	13	175	114	289	1			Yes	
Edgemont	R	1915	2-4	T. W. Van Horn, Hickory, N. C.			2	28	9	37	2			Yes	
Fleming Chapel	R	1888	1-3-5	J. S. Silver, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	5	9	7	251	34	285	2			Yes	
Globe	R	1832	2-4	H. R. Harris, Lenoir, N. C.		1	8	51	47	98	1			Yes	
Grandview Park	R	1930	1-3	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. #6, Lenoir, N. C.	9	16	7	98	25	123	1	8		Yes	
Grandin	R	1914	All	Bernard Tuttle, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.			9	65	22	87	2	20		Yes	
Granite Falls First	T		All	C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C.	24	25	32	398	132	530	2	215		Yes	
Green Rock	R	1889	4	Walter M. Dula, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	4	8	3	32	26	58	1			Yes	
Green Valley	R	1888	1-3	L. B. Beane, Mortimer, N. C.			2	32	25	57	1			Yes	
Harris Chapel	R	1912	All	W. R. Moss, Lenoir, N. C.	9	9	11	222	62	284	2	53		Yes	
Hartland	R	1938	All	Paul Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	6	5	8	201		201	1	25		Yes	
Hibriten	R	1951	All	Calvin Helton, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	34	29	6	153		153	2	11		Yes	
High View	R	1950	All	Joe Greer, Granite Falls, N. C.	7	8		94	6	100	1			Yes	
Johns River	R	1890	1	Walter Dula, Lenoir, N. C.		1	6	49	68	117	1	10		Yes	
Joyceton	R	1952	All	Francis L. Prestwood, Rt. #1, Hudson, N. C.	3	10		34	4	38					
Kings Creek	R	1779	All	R. L. Wilson, Kings Creek, N. C.	12	6	15	312	99	411	1	15		Yes	
Lenoir First	C	1889	All	M. O. Owens, Jr., Highland Ave., Lenoir NC	35	28	60	750	190	940	1	50	Yes	Yes	

Longford	R	1934	All	Larence Miller, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	21	11	13	146	111	257	2	14		Yes		
Lovelady	R	1864	All	Alvin Greene, Granite Falls, N. C.	23	5	3	138	40	178	1	14				
Lower Creek	R	1826	All	W. Walter Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	16	21	24	518	75	593	1	100				
Maple Grove	R		1-3	O. C. Dellinger, Rt. #7, Lenoir, N. C.			6	23	82	105	1					
Miller Hill	V	1935	All	D. L. Bumgarner, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.		7	4	185	10	195	1	15				
Mt. Zion	V	1889	All	Paul Hester, Rt. #1, Hudson, N. C.	25	22	23	518		518	2	42	No	No		
Mulberry	R	1853	1-3	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	4		5	77		77	1					
Mountain Grove	R	1884	All	LeRoy A. Thomas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	14	13	4	285	35	320	1	60				
Mountain View	R	1948	All	Ira C. Walker, Rt. #9, Lenoir	6	6	10	58	30	88	2	7				
Mulvale	R	1941	2-4	Paul Jarvis, Rt. #4, Lenoir, N. C.	5	4	1	101	15	116	1					
Nelsons Chapel	R	1905	1-3	J. C. Brooks, Rt. #2, Lenoir	10	3		61	10	71	1					
New Hope	R ✓	1939	1-3	Clifton Tuttle, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.	13	1	1	78	26	104	1	8				
Oak Grove	R	1938	All		4	7	10	120	40	160	1	40				
Piney Grove	R	1869	2-4	Bernard Tuttle, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.	5	5	6	146	47	193	1					
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	All	Robert Laws, Rt. #2, Lenoir, N. C.	9	13		100	47	147	2					
Pisgah	R	1877	All	Gordon Crump, Rt. #7, Lenoir, N. C.	5	6	2	105	91	196	2	18				
Pooveys Chapel	R	1932	All	Will Bolick, Rt. #8, Lenoir, N. C.	16	7	4	160	6	166	2	20				
Pooveys Grove	R	1898	All	John E. Carter, Rt. #2, Granite Falls	4	3	6	168	43	211	1					
Rhodhiss	T	1906	All	C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N. C.	7	6	32	165	200	365	2					
Rocky Springs	V	1845	1-3	J. H. Crisp, Sugar Grove, N. C.	5	2	7	91	38	129	1					
Rufus	R	1940	1-3	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, N. C.		4	2	71	16	87	1					
Sardis	T	1831	All	K. E. Seepe, Hudson, N. C.	3	8	21	314	70	384	2					
Setzer Creek	R	1948	All	R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	16	16	2	109	16	125	2	8				
Temple Missionary	V	1942	All	C. V. Mull, Rt. #3, Morganton, N. C.	2		24	85	30	115	3	8				
Temple Hill	R	1946		Henry Seevers, Box #01, Lenoir, N. C.												
Union	R	1814	1-3	W. A. Johnson, Rt. #2, Taylorsville, N. C.	19	3	13	248	169	417	1	30				
Union Grove	R	1898	All	L. E. Snipes, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.	12	7	2	237	63	300	2					
Whitnel First	T	1910	All	James Holder, Rt. #9, Lenoir, N. C.	5	6	26	123	88	211	1	40				
Winklers Grove	R	1886	All	J. R. Holland, Longview Station, N. C.	37	14	4	325	122	447	2					
West Lenoir	V	1943	All	C. R. McFelea, Rt. #7, Lenoir, N. C.	13	21	4	150		150	2		No	No	None	
Worship Point	R	1946	All	J. T. Laws, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.	35	6		91	6	97	4	5				
Yadkin	V	1791	All	Robert Frye, Rt. #8, Lenoir, N. C.	23	1	13	318	95	413	2	75				
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	All	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. #3, Morganton, N. C.	3	2	4	70		70	1	1				
Zacks Fork	R	1951	All	W. H. Edmisten, 300 S. Mulberry St., Lenoir	5	22		60		60	2	12				
				Totals	731	575	675	11,308	3,182	14,484	91	1,246				

Table B–THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools	Vacation Bible School Enrolment
Bethany	Hardy Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.		9	22		11		20	16		2		80		1	36
Blairs Fork	John Taylor, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			15	5	13	8	40	42		2		125			45
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.			14	11	22	12	10	19		2		90			54
Calvary	George Kincaid, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.			27	35	40	37	21	94		2		256			128
Cedar Rock	C. F. Arms, Rt. #1, Lenoir, N. C.		2	10	12		15	7	18		2		66			23
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, Rt. #1, Hudson, N. C.	29		27	27	23	22	58	23		2		211			94
Central	A. J. Parsons, Box 61, Lenoir, N. C.	29	6	25	24	54	40	70	66		10		324			110
Clarks Chapel	Shea Puett, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.			20	10	30	29	50	45		2		186			53
Clover	Fred Cline, Box 4996, Granite Falls, NC	12	16	17	28	42	39	21	100	8	3		286			90
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, Rt. #6, Lenoir, N. C.	45	116	76	119	162	137	111	366	25	9		1166	Yes	1	236
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls	40	47	41	50	70	66	86	176	28	7		611	Yes	1	202
Conways Chapel	Roy Branch, Rt. #3, Morganton			14		15		15	19		5		68			41
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Rt. #1, Granite Falls			36	30	25	35	30	79		2		237		1	103
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Mortimer, N. C.	12		8		10			20		1		51			15
Fleming Chapel	J. T. Green, Rt. #6, Lenoir, N. C.			25	25	33	32	65	92		4		276			118
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, N. C.			10		7	22	15	8		2		42			44
Grandview	Charles E. Melton, Rt. #6, Lenoir, NC			14	17	31	28	28	33		6		161			100
Grandin	Mrs. Wm. Howell, Rt. #1, Lenoir, N. C.		16	9	6	11	11	9	30	5	2		89			34
Granite Falls First	Charlie Miller, Box 142, Granite Falls		36	40	42	64	66	33	196	10	6		493	Yes	1	151
Green Rock	Roy L. Woodring, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.			11		17			26		2		56			41
Green Valley	James Philyaw, Collettsville, N. C.			20		12	20		20		3		75			25
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Rt. #1, Hudson, N. C.	14	28	23	24	38	29	40	83	6	2		287	Yes		80
Hartland	Oscar McCall, Rt. #6, Lenoir, N. C.			22	7	33	27	18	80		2		189	Yes		105
Hibriten	Cletus Bivins, Hudson, N. C.			24	18	25	47		76		2		192			
High View	R. L. Prestwood, Rt. #1, Hudson			15	11	19	15		29		2		91			66
Johns River	R. G. Estes, Upton, N. C.				6	10		8	10		1		35			21
Joyceton													70			
Kings Creek	Clyde Coffey, Boomer, N. C.	16	15	20	21	46	37	28	101	18	2		304	Yes	1	108
Lenoir First	Luther B. Robinson, Hickory Rd., Lenoir	34	91	58	83	80	73	49	417	38	8		931	Yes	1	203
Totals																

Longford	Grady H. Sumpter, Lenoir, N. C.			12	10	19	35	17	40		2		135		1	64
Lovelady	Walter Turnmyre, Rt. #1, Granite Falls			26	17	31	24	42	50		2		192			79
Lower Creek	G. G. Steel, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	10	24	32	54	57	58	54	204	40	5		538	Yes	1	227
Maple Grove	Hattie Shoemake, Mortimer, N. C.	7	7	2	4	9	4	5	5		2		45			22
Miller Hill	William J. Hollar, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	27	26	33	14	15	14	15	48		2		194			48
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Box 4807, Granite Falls		16	28	50	51	44	19	131		5		344		1	194
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			13	16	15		18	21		2		85			44
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. #2, Granite Falls	19	20	37	32	42	37	37	130	18	5		377	Yes	1	120
Mountain View	Douglas Clarke, Rt. #4, Lenoir, N. C.			10	13	16	12		22		2		75	Yes		64
Mulvale	Jasper Moore, Rt. #4, Lenoir, N. C.	5	6	14	8	11	13	13	21		2		93			37
Nelsons Chapel	Joe Dobbins, Rt. #8, Lenoir, N. C.			13	4	11	4	13	21		3		69			33
New Hope	George Crottz, Rt. #1, Lenoir, N. C.			18	15	20	12	12	32		2		111			68
Oak Grove	Joe Richards, Rt. #2, Granite Falls, NC		6	15	12	26	20	10	54	19	7		169	Yes		101
Piney Grove	Walter J. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	18		22	16	34	25	48	36		2		201			63
Pleasant Hill	Tom Land, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.			20		25		35	45		8		133			46
Pisgah	Ambrose Bryant, Rt. #7, Lenoir, N. C.			22		38		48	27		5		140			40
Pooveys Chapel	Howard Knight, Rt. #1, Hudson, NC		15	28	15	26	15	20	60		10		189		1	43
Pooveys Grove	Harvey Sherrill, Rt. #2, Lenoir, N. C.	15	11	21	20	32	25	13	73	12	2		224	Yes	1	87
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.	2	20	13	22	56	39	20	56		6		240			91
Rocky Springs	Mack Annas, Collettsville, N. C.			14	12	15	11	11	46		2		111			60
Rufus	W. C. Coffey, Lenoir, N. C.			20		6	10		32		2		70			25
Sardis	C. W. Wilkie, Rt. #1, Hudson, N. C.	13	23	30	35	54	46	32	136	41	6		416	Yes	1	139
Setzer Creek	Cecil Watson, Rt. #5, Lenoir, N. C.	19		22	18	17	12	20	50		6		164	Yes	1	68
Temple Missionary	R. L. Laws, 122 Warren Lane, Lenoir		6	16	9	7	7	7	21		2		75			39
Temple Hill	James Reece, Rt. #1, Granite Falls			20		18	11	13	44		2		108		1	28
Union	Bill Land, Rt. 5, Taylorsville, N. C.	10	13	20	27	40	35	31	75	25	2		278			108
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.		23	20	37	52	36	46	136		2		352	Yes	1	130
Whitnel First	B. H. Reary, Rt. #3, Lenoir, N. C.	39		15	22	35	18	15	63	10	4		221			43
Winklers Grove	Millard Benefield, Hickory, N. C.			21	28	40	44	23	96		4		256	Yes		85
West Lenoir	Fidel Whittington, Bradford Ave, Lenoir			29	25	30	22	24	44		2		176	Yes	No	114
Worship Point	Cluade B. Suddreth, Rt #4, Lenoir			42	15	15	35		45		3		155	Yes	1	49
Yadkin	Johnny Suddreth, Virginia St., Lenoir	17	35	19	34	60	52	47	91	5	3		363	Yes	1	193
Yadkin Valley	Atwell Hamby, Rt. #5, Lenoir		3	18	5	8		7	30		2		73	Yes		47
Zacks Fork	Johny Whisnant, Rt. #1, Lenoir			9		8	5	9	7		2		40	Yes		44
	Totals	432	526	1,337	1,200	1,882	1,544	1,556	4,286	314	213		13,390			4,966

Table C TRAINING UNION—Use for Printers Copy

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	No. Mission Unions	Total Number Units	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	Mission Enrolment	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
BETHANY	NONE																				
BLAIRS FORK	NONE																				
BUFFALO COVE	NONE																				
CALVARY	MISS LOUISE LAMBERT, BOX 51, VALDESE			1	1	1		1		4			8	15	9		15		5	47	46
CEDAR ROCK		1	1	1		1	1	1		6	2	10	12		15	7	18		2	66	49
CENTER GROVE	MISS LONEBELL BOLICK, RT.1, G. F.	1			1	2	1			5	9			16					2	67	46
CENTRAL	EARL CLINE, RT. #9, LENOIR		1	1	1	1		2		6		17	11	16	15		42		2	103	55
CLARKS CHAPEL	BERNARD STONE, RT. #3, LENOIR			1	1	1	1	1		5	8	5	8	16	14	16	16		2	72	58
CLOVER	H. H. MCMANUS, RT. #2, G. FALLS	1	1	1	2	2	1	3		10	6	15	10	26	25	14	23		16	135	77
COLLEGE AVENUE	J. O. STROUD, MAPLE DRIVE, LENOIR	1	1	1	4	4	3	3		17	10	19	31	78	66	42	83		4	333	171
CONCORD	FRANK KELLER, BOX 4932, G. FALLS	2	1	1	2	2	2	3		13	27	22	22	36	41	37	70		4	259	128
CONWAYS CHAPEL	NONE																				
DUDLEY SHOALS	CARL AUSTIN, R 1, GRANITE FALLS		1	1	1	1		1		5		20	15	18	17		25		2	97	70
EDGEMONT	NONE																				
FLEMING CHAPEL	BOBBY GOBLE, R 7, LENOIR				1	1	1	1		4	8	20	20	8	20	20	12		2	62	50
GLOBE				1	1			1					7	15			10		3	35	36
GRANDVIEW PARK	LEONARD MILLER, RT 6, LENOIR			1	1			1					7	15			10		3	35	30
GRANDIN	HILL C. LACKEY, R 1, LENOIR		1		1	1		1		4		8		10	11		16		1	46	32
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	MARIE BENTLY, GRANITE FALLS		1		1	2	1	1		6		10		22	27	12	25		4	100	52
GREEN ROCK	NONE																				
GREEN VALLEY	NONE																				
HARRIS CHAPEL	LINDSAY ANNAS, R1, HUDSON			1	2	1	1	1		6			12	20	19	19	9		2	81	55
HARTLAND	CARL CLONTZ, R.3, MORGANTON		1		1	1	1	1		5		10		8	8	12	16		7	61	25
HIBRITEN	NONE																				
HIGHVIEW	NONE																				
JOHNS RIVER	NONE																				
KINGS CREEK	HENRY POARCH, R1, LENOIR			1	1	1	1	1		5			12	27	25	13	22			99	49
LENOIR FIRST	CLARENCE HOLDEN, LENOIR, N. C.	1	1	2	2	2	1	3		10		16	17	40	39	18	59		3	192	99
LONGFORD	JUANITA CAMPBELL, R4, LENOIR		1		1	1	1	1		5		11		14	18	17	25		3	88	60

Lovelady	Bill Green, R1, G. Falls				1	1	1	1		4				16	11	11	16		2	56	25
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, R9, Lenoir		1	1	1	1	1	1		6		10	10	16	21	19	39		4	119	81
Maple Grove	None																				
Miller Hill	Charlie M. Triplett, R9, Lenoir			1	1	1	1	1		5			17	18	20	10	18		10	93	45
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Smith, R1, Hudson	1	1	2	2	2	1	3		12	9	14	22	26	45	25	47		4	192	112
Mulberry	None																				
Mountain Grove	Hazel Bean, R2, Granite Falls			1	1	1	1	2		6			17	10	25	15	32		2	101	68
Mountain View	None																				
Mulvale	None																				
Nelsons Chapel	None																				
New Hope	None																				
Oak Frove	Wayne Mitchem, Circle, G. Falls			1	1		1	2		5			7	12		9	20		2	50	38
Piney Grove	Mrs. Alta Holder, R5, Lenoir		1		1	1	1	1		5		10		12	16	14	10		2	64	47
Pleasant Hill	None																				
Pisgah	None																				
Pooveys Chapel	None																				
Pooveys Grove	J. D. Craig, R2, Lenoir		1	1	1	1	1	1		6		4	3	11	7	11	10		12	58	42
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss		1		1	1	1	1		5		18		17	12	6	11		5	69	49
Rocky Springs	None																				
Rufus	None																				
Sardis			1	1	1	1	1	1		6		6	7	28	22	19	21		5	108	51
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, R5, Lenoir				1		1	1	1	4				6		18	12		2	38	25
Temple Missionary	None																				
Temple Hill	None																				
Union	Charlie Shaver, R2, Lenoir	1			1	1		1		4	7			13	21		40		3	84	38
Union Grove	C. V. Harmon, R3, Lenoir			1	1	1	1	1		5			9	22	9	11	14		2	67	50
Whitnel First	Mildred Pennell, R3, Lenoir			1	1	1	1	1		5			12	10	12	11	15		2	62	29
Winklers Grove	Mrs. C. B. Barnes, 531-24st, Hickory			1	2	1				4			12	30	28				6	76	62
West Lenoir	None																				
Worship Point	None																				
Yadkin	Mrs. Robert A. Frye, Patterson	1	1	1	2	2	1	2		10	8	6	7	23	38	13	40		6	141	88
Yadkin Valley	None																				
Zacks Fork	None																				
	Totals	10	18	25	43	39	32	43		203	24	244	286	645	656	419	831		133	3,321	2,002

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Bethany	No Report														
Blairs Fork	Mrs. Faye Holtsclaw, R 4, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	16					16	11	16
Buffalo Cove	No Report														
Calvary	Mrs. Gordon Kemp, Box 246, Lenoir	1					1	18					18	11	-
Cedar Rock	No Report														
Center Grove	Mrs. Bertha Lail, R1, Hudson, N. C.	1		1	1	1	4	20		23	10	20	73	40	20
Central	Mrs. J. J. Buckner, Whitnel	1	1	2	2	1	7	28	12	15	11	20	86		16
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Clyde Jenkins, R 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1		2	1		4	15		27	10		42	20	10
Clover	Mrs. Fred Cline, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	43	6	27	20	19	115	130	61
College Avenue	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, R6, Lenoir	1	1	2	2	1	7	131	15	30	30	18	224	109	61
Concord	Mrs. Ernest W. Moore, Box 4914, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	1	7	55	17	32	18	28	150	85	58
Conways Chapel	No Report														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Clyde Bowman, R1, Granite Falls	1					1	26					26	167	6
Edgemont	No Report														
Fleming Chapel	Mrs. D. S. Reichard, R 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	22					22		
Globe	No Report														
Grandview Park	Mrs. D. L. Snyder, R 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1				26	26	30			56		
Grandin	Mrs. E. F. Bentley, R1, Lenoir, N. C.	1					13						13	41	41
Granite Falls First	Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls	6	1	2	1	1	11	55	11	24	12	18	118	70	75
Green Rock	No Report														
Green Valley	No Report														
Harris Chapel	No Report														
Hartland	Mrs. Oscar McCall, R6, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1			3	29	11	16			56	22	21
Hibriten	No Report														
High View	No Report														
Johns River	No Report														
Kings Creek	Mrs. J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	27	6	31	24	15	103	79	15
Lenoir First	Mrs. L. W. Boddie, Highland Ave., Lenoir, N. C.	9	1	2	1	1	14	212	15	37	6	12	282		
Longfork	Mrs. Roy Kirby, R 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1											

Lovelady	Mrs. Shafter Kirkby, R1, Granite Falls	1		1			2	14		11			25		
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, R1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	3	2	2	9	112	22	27	25	47	233	130	89
Maple Grove	No Report														
Miller Hill	Mrs. Raylo Smith, R9, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	24					24	13	20
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Albert Holden, R1, Hudson, N. C.	3	1	1	1		6	44	26	6	12		88		42
Mulberry	No Report														
Mountain Grove	Mrs. B. B. Bean, R2, Granite Falls	1	1	1		1	4	12	7	16		23	58		20
Mountain View	Mrs. Cecil Chester, R4, Lenoir, N. C.	1					1	15					15	12	8
Mulvale	No Report														
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, R8, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1	1	1	4	11		8	7	10	36		
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour, R1, Lenoir	1					1	22					22		
Oak Grove	Mrs. Joe Richards, R2, Granite Falls	1					1	14					14	12	10
Piney Grove	No Report														
Pleasant Hill	No Report														
Pisgah	No Report														
Pooveys Chapel	No Report														
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Foster Fullbright, R2, Granite Falls	2		2	1	1	6	19		20	10	6	55	21	7
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. F. Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1					1	16					16	22	8
Rocky Springs	No Report														
Rufus	No Report														
Sardis	Mrs. K. E. Seepe, Hudson, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	22	8	23		19	64	28	36
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, R5, Lenoir, N. C.	1			1		2	12			12		24		
Temple Missionary	No Report														
Temple Hill															
Union	Mrs. Harold Reid, R2, Lenoir, N. C.	1		1	1		3	24		17	19		60	60	30
Union Grove	Mrs. John Bean, R3, Lenoir	1	1				2	15	17				32	10	11
Whitnel First	Mrs. James Bolick, R3, Lenoir	1					1	20					20	10	12
Winklers Grove		1					1	12					12	12	
West Lenoir	Mrs. C. R. McFelea, Rt 7. Lenoir														
Worship Point	No Report														
Yadkin	Mrs. Rhonda Teague, R8, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	23	12	31	15	17	98	87	64
Yadkin Valley	No Report														
Zacks Fork	Mrs. T. A. Walsh, R1, Lenoir, N. C.	1						17					17		
	Totals	652	15	33	21	15	147	1,182	199	470	241	282	2,347	1,194	746

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS—

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	BROTHERHOOD 49 Enrolment of Brotherhood	BROTHERHOOD 50 Meetings Held During Year	BUILDING 51 Number Class Rooms	BUILDING 52 Value Pastor's Home	BUILDING 52A Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	BUILDING 53 Total Church Debt at End of Year	GOALS 54 Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	GOALS 55 Missions Coming Year Goal Association
Bethany	None			1		10,000.			51.50
Blairs Fork	None			6		15,000.			51.50
Buffalo Cove	None			1		1,000.			-
Calvary	None			12		35,000.			-
Cedar Rock	None			4		4,000.	610.14		17.50
Center Grove	Tom Calloway, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	12	4	10		20,000.	4,677.74	25.60	51.00
Central	W. V. Covington, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	18	16	17	5,000.	50,500.	8,000.00	-	-
Clarks Chapel	Carter Hendrix, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			14		25,000.	10,000.00	45.00	67.50
Clover				10	4,000.00	20,000.	4,000.00		76.00
College Avenue	Richard Isaacs, Lenoir, N. C.	52	12	72	1,200.00	250,000.00	18,000.00	9,100.00	432.00
Concord	None			41	5,000.00	100,000.	21,000.00		218.50
Conways Chapel	No Report					1,500.			
Dudley Shoals	None			13		5,000.		416.00	100.00
Edgemont						2,500.			
Fleming Chapel				12		20,000.	4,004.05		115.00
Globe						1,000.			
Grandview Park	Carl Anderson, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	12	4	7		5,000.		72.00	42.00
Grandin	None			4		6,000.		75.00	40.00
Granite Falls 1st	Wade Kincaid, Granite Falls, N. C.	36	12	17	5,000.00	100,000.	40,000.00		
Green Rock						1,000.			
Green Valley	None					1,000.		16.00	
Harris Chapel	None			16		60,000.	4,736.81	96.00	48.00
Hartland	Robert Watson, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	20	12			10,406.41			
Hibriten	None			5		5,000.00	1,711.40		
High View	None					4,500.00	227.01		
Johns River	None			4		2,500.00			
Kings Creek	Clyde Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	16	24	14	5,000.00	15,000.00		900.00	155.00
Lenoir 1st	None			35	50,000.00	480,000.00	29,000.00	1,300.00	660.00

Lovelady	James Mull, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	21	6	10	6,000.	15,000.	5,230.		25.00
Lower Creek	P. O. Frye, Lenoir, N. C.	25	12	42	12,000.	150,000.		7,000.	300.00
Maple Grove	None								
Miller Hill	None						15,000.	60.	36.00
Mt. Zion	None			18	3,500.	53,500.	11,400		247.00
Mulberry	None			5		3,000.		36.	24.00
Mountain Grove	None			26	8,000.	88,000.	29,000.	150.	60.00
Mountain View	None			6		6,000	1,580.57		
Mulvale	None								
Nelsons Chapel				5		5,000.			
New Hope	None					3,000.			
Oak Grove	None			18	5,000.	50,000.	10,834.94		
Piney Grove	None			8		25,000.	2,000.		
Pleasant Hill	None			5		7,000.	350.		
Pisgah	None				4,500.	8,000.	1,100.		
Pooveys Chapel	None			7		10,000.		25.00	25.00
Pooveys Grove	None			29	4,000	44,000.			
Rhodhiss	None			12		10,000.			
Rocky Springs	None			6					
Rufus	None					2,000.			
Sardis	None			27	5,000.	125,000.	16,000.		
Setzer Creek	None			7		8,000.	1,162.28.		
Temple Missionary	None			6			1,056.12.		
Temple Hill	None								
Union	R. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.			12		21,000.		120.00	72.00
Union Grove	None			10	7,500.	40,000.			
Whitnel 1st	Blake Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	12	12		8,000.	30,000.			25.00
Winklers Grove	None			12		50,000.			134.50
West Lenoir	None			9		20,000.	6,239.97		
Worship Point	None			7		6,500.			50.00
Yadkin	None			31	5,000.	50,000.	15,525.33		154.50
Yadkin Valley	None					1,000.			
Zacks Fork	None					5,450.	1,937.11		
	Totals	234	114	638	116,350.	952,556.41	266,883.47	19,526.60	3,341.00.

Table F – GIETS GIVEN THROUGH THE CHURCH

CHURCHES	Treasurers and Addresses	Local Gifts (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans' Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, Etc.	Total Mission Gifts	Grand Total Gifts for All Causes
BETHANY	MURRY GREENE, R8, LENOIR		335.39	3.61								84.56	88.17	423.56
BLAIRS FORK	MRS. NED TAYLOR, R5, LENOIR	3345.67	1280.00	10.00	102.50	15.89	10.69	21.15	44.15	178.56	33.90		416.84	5042.51
BUFFALO COVE	MRS. FRED HAWKINS, R5, LENOIR	34.00	459.09	5.06	9.47	5.94				8.69	10.06		39.22	532.31
CALVARY	B. H. WATSON, R9, LENOIR, N. C.	6360.89	3380.00	10.60	100.00	13.17	25.00	25.00		68.00	100.00		341.77	10082.66
CEDAR ROCK	MRS. E. S. HOLLAR, R1, LENOIR	529.72	301.92	2.04	17.00	12.00				30.00	9.68	402.79	473.51	1305.15
CENTER GROVE	MRS. PEARL PARSONS, RT 1, HUDSON	3092.42	2120.00	25.60	51.00	60.00	10.00	18.00	52.00	157.52	29.00	75.48	478.60	5691.02
CENTRAL	JAKE ROBERTS, WHITNEL, N. C.	8573.00	3975.00	190.80	24.00		290.77	13.00		102.00	21.68	135.00	777.25	13325.25
CLARKS CHAPEL	MRS. GEORGE CRAIG, R6, LENOIR	10805.55	1911.38	73.46	62.60	15.00	47.00	33.00	10.00	40.00	43.00	80.56	404.62	13121.55
CLOVER	LOY PROPST, GRANITE FALLS	6607.45	3270.00	405.51	52.84	21.24		65.48		64.56	68.70	136.96	815.29	10693.35
COLLEGE AVENUE	HERBERT THOMAS, LENOIR	33298.11	3607.20	6966.80	470.25	156.47	35.00	801.89	505.01	300.00	660.00	193.26	10088.68	46993.99
CONCORD	NELSON CLAY, GRANITE FALLS	14801.50	4860.00	3547.77	302.52	96.52	187.98	283.43	300.00	627.12	93.41	159.96	5553.71	25215.21
CONWAYS CHAPEL	MRS. D. D. BRASWELL, RT 6, LENOIR	956.22	770.00		8.73								8.73	1734.95
DUDLEY SHOALS	SHAFTER STARNES, R1, GRANITE FALLS	8021.91	2340.00	416.00	100.00					208.00	47.00		771.00	11132.91
EDGEMONT	ARCHIE R. COFFEY, EDGEMONT, N. C.	246.28	370.50	3.85	12.00		3.50		1.00		20.00		40.35	657.13
FLEMING CHAPEL	D. S. REICHARD, RT 6, LENOIR	2454.70	2642.00	9.62	95.00	15.10	25.00	9.50		75.00	75.00	234.20	538.42	5635.12
GLOBE	R. C. COOKE, R8, LENOIR, N. C.	239.39	270.79	3.99			17.52			9.00			30.51	540.69
GRANDVIEW PARK	MRS. POOVEY WATSON, R6, LENOIR	655.89	2065.00	72.00	42.00	8.00	16.00	15.00	36.50	158.00	26.00	124.80	498.30	3219.10
GRANDIN	W. L. LACKEY, R1, LENOIR	788.63	963.89	45.83	40.20	50.93	25.00	60.00		84.00	24.42	17.28	347.66	2090.18
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	DEWEY MILSTEAD, GRANITE FALLS	21643.53	4752.70	1861.50	341.43	223.07	232.20	388.41	6.00	600.00	107.00	160.00	3919.66	30315.89
GREEN ROCK	HARLEY H. CONLEY, R5, LENOIR	163.24	229.99		4.19						10.00	22.00	36.19	429.42
GREEN VALLEY	B. B. GREEN, COLLETTSVILLE, N. C.		191.68	5.22	18.00						6.00	68.80	98.02	289.70
HARRIS CHAPEL		5854.18	2419.00	72.00	48.00	45.00	18.97	12.54		169.95	160.00		526.46	8799.64
HARTLAND	ROBERT WATSON, R7, LENOIR, N. C.	118.66	1999.99	87.00	33.34	10.00	103.69	27.00	9.40	22.00	52.57	15.00	360.00	2478.65
HIBRITEN	EARL WINEBARGER, R9, LENOIR	3893.52	664.04		25.00					25.00	15.00	71.98	136.98	4694.54
HIGH VIEW	W. R. BUMGARNER, RT. 1, HUDSON	1026.72	512.29	8.07			6.40	13.60		37.76	24.00	21.85	111.68	1650.69
JOHNS RIVER	R. C. ESTES, R8, LENOIR, N. C.	60.20	200.72	5.56	16.00					15.00			36.56	297.48
JOYCETON														
KINGS CREEK	LEWIS LAND, KINGS CREEK, N. C.	3553.01	3150.00	923.08	151.50	44.78	67.85	125.10		333.64	201.18		1847.13	8550.14
LENOIR 1ST	DR. O. L. MOORE, LENOIR, N. C.	52401.40	6000.00	13186.70	1037.68	173.37	163.15	447.94	250.00	751.00	1721.68	985.19	23716.71	82118.11

LONGFORD	C. H. COFFEY, R5, LENOIR	2517.70	2820.00	80.00	80.00	25.00	121.00	10.10		60.00	102.00		478.10	5815.80
LOVELADY	GLAYDS STARNES, R1, GRANITE FALLS	4709.51	2060.00	20.25	56.00	58.18	63.18	62.18		26.00	33.85	36.95	356.59	7126.10
LOWER CREEK	POWELL HARTLEY, R9, LENOIR	6613.49	4420.00	7064.11	305.00	122.70	103.67	666.05	685.66	933.75	323.28	652.54	10856.76	21890.25
MAPLE GROVE	MRS. LOTTIE BEAN, MORTIMER, N. C.	31.79	89.91	2.20	1.25						45.17	24.59	73.21	194.91
MILLER HILL	MRS. R. A. GREEN, R9, LENOIR	4625.21	1714.90	45.00	35.00			8.52		15.20	14.80	62.40	180.92	6521.03
MT. ZION	A. J. BARKER, R1, HUDSON, N. C.	10670.02	3485.00	985.07	138.32	27.60		20.00		300.67	98.08	100.00	1669.74	15824.76
MULBERRY	J. J. GREEN, R8, LENOIR, N. C.	1150.00	430.07	31.00			18.00			39.18	9.00	116.28	213.46	1793.53
MT. GROVE	MIDAS BOLICK, R2, GRANITE FALLS	31149.43	3473.70	158.14	60.00		50.00	50.00	69.55	165.00	40.95	75.00	668.64	35291.77
MOUNTAIN VIEW	LESTER BAKER, R4, LENOIR, N. C.		780.00	3.42				7.00			25.00		35.42	815.42
MULVALE	MRS. MAUDE MOORE, R4, LENOIR	2183.69	1383.11	5.13	59.83	10.00		18.00		22.00	29.00	18.55	162.51	3729.31
NELSONS CHAPEL	MRS. LUTHER SUDDRETH, R8		617.32	420.40	25.50	49.00	27.00	22.00		127.15	69.51	621.40	1361.96	1979.28
NEW HOPE	MRS. C. P. McGEE, R1, LENOIR	110.00	815.00	25.00	12.00					55.00	15.00		107.00	1032.00
OAK GROVE	CHARLES POOVEY, R1, GRANITE FALLS	5252.88	2850.00	12.00	33.66	13.09	2.00	41.02			52.97		154.74	8257.62
PINEY GROVE	MRS. M. G. SULLIVAN, R5, LENOIR	1208.44	1494.99	9.26	75.00		183.45		25.30	175.04	72.00	555.58	1095.63	3799.06
PLEASANT HILL	JACK SMITH, R3, LENOIR		1511.00	50.00						25.00	22.50	155.50	253.00	1764.00
PISGAH	JOHN POPE, R7, LENOIR	4192.01	2600.00	2.09				35.85		25.00	31.00		93.94	6885.95
POOVEYS CHAPEL	E. C. AUSTIN, R1, LENOIR	2869.79	1680.00	25.00	25.00	40.00	20.00	20.00		348.00	49.22	198.49	725.71	5275.50
POOVEYS GROVE	H. J. STARNES, R2, GRANITE FALLS	7430.46	3180.00	842.34		23.10	18.00	38.00	53.00	88.90	54.17		1117.51	11727.97
RHODHISS	M. C. SMITH, RHODHISS, N. C.	2926.70	2987.50	599.90	32.00	23.50	26.00	41.11	332.40	80.32	99.82		1235.05	7129.25
ROCKY SPRINGS	LOIS TOLBERT, COLLETTSVILLE, N. C.	552.64	520.00	5.47	45.98		15.00	10.00		66.13	25.00	485.35	652.93	1725.57
RUFUS	MRS. W. B. GREEN, R8, LENOIR	1074.92	480.00	6.65		16.00			17.54	82.00	20.00		142.19	1697.11
SARDIS	CADE SHAVER, HUDSON, N. C.	18257.92	3050.00	667.35	152.96	36.10	90.84	81.50		287.50	303.60	17.00	1636.85	22944.77
SETZER CREEK	T. R. GENTRY, R5, LENOIR	3246.25	678.50	825.10	263.65		10.00	15.00		25.00	12.00		1150.75	5075.50
TEMPLE MISSIONARY	N. L. KINCAID, R9, LENOIR	636.41	1225.52	1.54							25.00	128.05	154.59	2016.53
TEMPLE HILL				2.86									2.86	2.86
UNION	RALPH McCRARY, R2, LENOIR	3339.99	1418.00	60.00	111.06	84.00	106.00	143.15		403.10	106.02	143.60	1156.93	5914.92
UNION GROVE	ROY A. HARMON, R3, LENOIR	4638.72	2065.00	10.70		15.00	20.00	50.00		109.15	120.02	33.47	358.34	7062.06
WHITNEL 1ST	IVEY W. CRAIG, WHITNEL, N. C.	6656.99	3060.00	176.30	25.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	30.00	100.00	50.00		531.30	10248.79
WINKLERS GROVE	A. J. HILDERBRAND, R5, HICKORY	6442.57	3900.00	7.56	134.50		612.57	10.00		52.00	54.00	610.00	1480.63	11823.20
WEST LENOIR	G. W. WALKER, HAYES AVE., LENOIR	2030.20	1310.25	11.60	36.25					82.50	78.00	102.33	310.68	3651.13
WORSHIP POINT	MAUDIE COX R4, LENOIR, N. C.	216.95	113.37	10.00	10.00						15.00		35.00	365.32
YADKIN	DOUGLAS GREEN, R5, LENOIR	27342.12	3220.00	196.67	176.37	59.23	66.25	111.36		58.35	75.00	249.60	992.83	31554.95
YADKIN VALLEY	DON WATSON, R5, LENOIR		806.94	9.04	15.00			7.83		12.00	8.52		52.39	859.33
ZACKS FORK	JOHNY WHISNANT, R1, LENOIR	2010.13	720.00	4.50		17.98	24.12	10.25		21.80	15.25	44.00	137.90	2868.03
	Totals	354509.63	116847.65	30371.28	5266.00	1704.17	3003.17	3962.40	7427.51	7855.69	6967.78	7713.95	82206.83	553567.22

CHURCHES	Film Strip Projector	Motion Picture Projector	Choir Director				Organist Salary	Choir Enrolments								Music Budget	No. Music Training Course Books	Number Copies Church Musician	Musical Instrument		
			Full-time	Part-time	Salary	Volunteer		Church	Young People	Intermediate	Junior	Primary	Beginner	Others	Total				Pipe Organ	Electronic Organ	Piano
Bethany				Yes		Yes		10		6	4				27						
Blairs Fork	No	No	Yes			Yes															Yes
Buffalo				Yes																	Yes
Calvary			Yes		$ 300.																Yes
Cedar Rock						Yes															Yes
Center Grove	No	No				Yes															Yes
Centbal	No	No	Yes			Yes		26												Yes	Yes
Clarks Chapel	No	No				Yes		15			12				27						Yes
Clover	No	No				Yes												2			Yes
College Avenue	No	No	Yes		$4000.	No	501.25	35		20	20	20			95	$180.		3		Yes	Yes
Concord	No	No				Yes		25	18						43			1			Yes
Conways Chapel	No	No	Yes			Yes															Yes
Dudley Shoals						Yes															
Edgemont	No	No				Yes															Yes
Fleming Chapel	No	Yes																			Yes
Globe						Yes															Yes
Grandview Park						Yes.															Yes
Grandin	No	No				Yes															Yes
Granite Falls 1st	Yes	No		Yes																	Yes
Green Rock	No	No				Yes															Yes
Green Valley						Yes															Yes
Harris Chapel	No	No	Yes			Yes												1			Yes
Hartland	No	No	Yes			Yes															Yes
Hibriten	No	No	Yes			Yes															Yes
High View	No	No				Yes		18			15				33		1				Yes
Johns River	No	No				Yes															Yes
Kings Creek	No	No	Yes			Yes															Yes
Lenoir 1st	No	No	Yes		$2700			26		15	25	25			91	$200.		15	Yes		Yes
Longford	No	No		Yes																	Yes

Lovelady	No	No				Yes														Yes
Lower Creek	No	No	Yes		$300			30							30	$50.00			Yes	
Maple Grove	No	No				Yes														
Miller Hill	No	No	Yes			Yes														Yes
Mt. Zion	No	No				Yes													Yes	Yes
Mulberry	No	No				Yes														
Mountain Grove	No	No				Yes														Yes
Mountain View	No	No.				Yes														Yes
Mulvale	No	No				Yes														Yes
Nelsons Chapel	No	No				Yes														Yes
New Hope	No	No				Yes														Yes
Oak Grove	No	No	Yes			Yes		12	12						24					Yes
Piney Grove	No	No				Yes														Yes
Pleasant Hill	No	No.				Yes														Yes
Pisgah	No	No				Yes														
Pooveys Chapel	No	No				Yes														Yes
Pooveys Grove						Yes														
Rhodhiss	No	No	Yes			Yes														Yes
Rocky Springs						Yes														
Rufus	No	No				Yes														
Sardis	No	No				Yes												20		Yes
Setzer Creek	No	No				Yes														
Temple Missionary	No	No	Yes			Yes														Yes
Temple Hill	No					Yes														
Union						Yes														Yes
Union Grove						Yes														
Whitnel First						Yes														Yes
Winklers Grove	No	No				Yes														Yes
West Lenoir	No	No																		Yes
Worship Point	No	No				Yes		10	10						20			2		Yes
Yadkin	No	No				Yes														Yes
Yadkin Valley						Yes														
Zacks Fork	No	No				Yes														Yes
							Totals													

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The next session will be held Thursday, September 16, 1954, with College Avenue Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C., and Friday, September 17, 1954 with Granite Falls First, Granite Falls, N. C.

Rev. K. E. Seepe will preach the annual sermon with Rev. T. A. Shepherd as alternate.

DEDICATED TO



DR. O. R. MANGUM

Dr. Mangum, author of several books, a world-traveller, is pastor emeritus of the First Baptist Church which he served as pastor for a number of years prior to his retirement.

He is a native of Caldwell County. He was born near Dudley Shoals, the son of the late William Otis Mangum and Hattie Lindsey Mangum.

Mrs. Mangum is a native of Athens, Ga., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John T. Griffeth. Her maiden name was Miss Lila Lee Griffeth.

Dr. Mangum attended school at the old Penelope Academy, near Hickory, and is a graduate of Mars Hill College, Wake Forest College and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky.

In addition to his pastorate here Dr. Mangum has held pastorates at Selma, Paris, Ky., Henderson, Ky., Liberty, Mo., Kansas City, Mo., where he was pastor of the Worrell Road Baptist Church.

Dr. and Mrs. Mangum have made a number of trips to Europe, Egypt, Palestine and other countries. He has been an active Rotarian for many years and is past president of the Henderson, Ky., Rotary Club.

The beloved Lenoir couple make their home on Hospital Avenue in the Woodsway Lane section and in recent years have spent their winters in Florida.

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ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

Miss Elizabeth Campbell ---------- S. Main St., Lenoir, N. C.

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As provided in the constitution, each active pastor in the association and one lay member from each church in addition to the above named officers, comprise this committee.

COMMITTEE TO MAKE REPORTS 1954

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J. Edd Crump, Hudson, N. C. ---------- 1954
K. E. Seepe, Hudson, N. C. ---------- 1955
M. O. Owens, Jr., Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1956
Ernest Moore, Granite Falls, N. C. ---------- 1957
Luther Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1958

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY

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H. B. Anderson, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1955
B. F. Williams, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1956
Walter Sullivan, Route 5, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1957
J. F. Reece, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1958

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BATON — Niles Compton, Carl Greene.

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BLAIRS FORK — Mrs. L. R. Davis, Mrs. Fred Mathis, Mrs. Jack Walker, Rev. L. R. Davis, E. N. Bradshaw.

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CLARKS CHAPEL — Mrs. Will Stone, Mr. Will Stone, Elsie Dean Stone.

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GREEN VALLEY — Johnny Franklin, Ruby Coffey, Mrs. Allie Coffey, O. C. Dellinger.

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POOVEYS GROVE — Rev. John E. Carter, Mrs. John Carter.

RHODHISS — Rev. C. B. Bobbit, L. A. Elmore, R. C. Hendries, Mrs. Dewey Annas, Gail Annas.

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ZACKS FORK — Mrs. Clarence St. John, Mrs. C. A. Stokes, Mrs. Dexter Reid, Rev. Francis Prestwood.

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. — Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary Letters.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. The annual compensation of the clerk shall be $50.00.
8. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
9. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH

Hudson, N. C.

Thursday Morning Session

September 24, 1953

1. W. Walter Jones, pastor of Lower Creek Baptist Church and presiding for his third year as moderator called this the sixty-ninth annual session to order. The first day session was held in Sardis Church, Hudson, N. C. On four previous occasions the Association has held its annual meeting with this church. The years 1888, 1901, 1915 and 1931.

2. "O Worship the King" was led by J. O. Stroud, Minister of music, College Avenue, Mrs. W. C. Harless accompanied at the piano. Lawrence Miller, pastor of Long Ford Church conducted the devotional.

3. On motion all delegates present and to attend later sessions were officially seated for purpose of transacting its business. Registers reported 378 delegates enrolled and representing some 60 churches.

4. A printed program for the two days session was presented by the clerk and upon motion was adopted as a program for the two days session.

5. New pastors recognized: J. E. Pearson, Kings Creek; Tommy Swinson, Harris Chapel; Bennie McDonald, Pisgah; James Holder, Whitnel; Claude B. Suddreth, Worship Point; N. R. Black, Pleasant Hill; A. C. Moody, Setzer Creek; J. Lewis Price, Dudley Shoals; Gwyn Sullivan, New Hope; Thomas B. Flowe, Oak Grove.

There were a number of visitors in attendance.

6. K. E. Seepe, pastor of host church welcomed visitors and delegates.

7. Moderator Jones appointed the following delegates to committees:

Committee on Petitionary Letters: M. O. Jones, Jr., Chairman, Lenoir; Robert Frye, Yadkin; J. R. Holland, Winklers Grove; Luther Snipes, Clarks Chapel and Ed. Crump, Calvary.

Committee on Place and Preacher: W. R. Moss, Harris Chapel; G. G. Steel, Lower Creek; J. O. Stroud, College Ave.

Committee on Resolutions: Tommy Swinson, Harris Chapel; Bernard Tuttle, Grandin; Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls First.

Nominating Committee for 1954: T. L. Cashwell, Jr., College Ave.; Lawrence Miller, Long Ford; Lank Estes, Lenoir First; T. A. Sheppard, Clover; and George Hollar, Concord.

8. Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Missionary, read her report of activities for the year ending August 31. On motion to adopt the report Miss Campbell in her usual manner delivered a very fine address. The report was adopted.

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"But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Spirit is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and Unto the Uttermost Part of the Earth." Acts 1:8.

"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields." John 4:35b

1. Bethany — Attended S. S. — Spoke to group.

2. Blairs Fork — Taught Rainbow South, Adventuring With God, spoke Morning Worship, when they went into their new bldg.; attended Prayer Service — spoke; helped in V. B. S.; attended Circle Meeting.

3. Buffalo Cove — Helped in V. B. S.; took Miss Stella Austin up to speak on Africa.

4. Calvary — Taught Rainbow South, Adventuring With God; provided some V. B. S. workers; spoke at V. B. S. commencement; attended W. M. S. Christmas party.

5. Cedar Rock — Helped in V. B. S.

6. Center Grove — Taught Rainbow South, Adventuring With God; attended T. U. and Worship Service.

7. Central — Taught Rainbow South; spoke for S. S. Opening Assembly; spoke in afternoon on Cooperative Program.

8. Clarks Chapel — Taught Rainbow South, the West Is Big, Sacrifice and Song; attended home coming in afternoon and spoke few words; typed census.

9. Clover — W. M. U. Installation Service; attended revival service; spoke for evening worship Missions Is My Business; took Miss Stella Austin to speak for W. M. U. and introduced her to group.

10. College Avenue — Attended Prayer Service, Morning Worship, T. U. and Evening Worship twice; gave adult T. U. program; attended special service in honor of H. S. Benfield; gave W. M. S. Devotional for installation service; attended Revival Service; taught part of the Y. W. A. Mission Study Adventuring With God; associational meetings — T. U. M night; District S. S. training course — taught Teaching Primaries in the S. S.; W. M. U. Leadership Conference.

11. Concord — Planned games for juniors during Parent-Teacher night; taught T. U. study course A Faith To Live By; taught Adventuring With God! conducted Prayer Service.

12. Conways Chapel — S. S. Planning Meeting; taught S. S. class; taught Sudies In Philippians.

13. Dudley Shoals — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God; attended Evening Worship.

14. Edgemont — No service in person rendered.

15. Flemings Chapel — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God.

16. Globe — S. S. Planning Meeting; taught S. S. class 3 times; attended Worship, church conference; helped with V. B. S.

17. Grandin — Taught Rainbow South, Adventuring With God; spoke at close of T.U. for worship; helped in V. B. S.

18. Grandview Park — No service in person rendered.

19. Granite Falls First — Attended S. S. and Worship; gave general W. M. S. program; spoke for Evening Worship on Faith.

20. Green Rock — No service in person rendered.

21. Green Valley — Helped in V. B. S.

22. Harris Chapel — Attended T. U. and Worship twice; taught S. S. class, Worship; organized W. M. S. — 3 Circles; taught Adventuring With God; W. M. U. Manual; spoke in interest of G. A.'s.

23. Harland — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God.

24. Hibriten — Taught S. S. class 3 times; Worship; organized W. M. S.; taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God.

25. High View — Helped with V. B. S.; taught adults.

26. Joyceton — Attended S. S., taught class of adults.

27. John River — Taught S. S. class; helped with V. B. S.; taught class for adults.

28. Kings Creek — Taught Scattered Abroad; spoke for Morning Worship twice; attended S. S., Worship, twice; Assoc. Y. W. A. Rally.

29. Lenoir First — Training Union (2) Worship (5); gave Adult Union Program twice; spoke — Primary Teachers' meeting; helped with S. S. class party; attended Prayer Service (5); attended Watch Night Prayer Service; Deacons and wives dinner; taught S. S. class twice; T. U. Study Course Growing In Bible Knowledge; attended Revival 4 mornings; gave Circle program twice; general W. M. S. program once; Associational meetings — V. B. S. preview studies (5); Music Week; Central Training Union training course.

30. Longford — G. A. meeting; Homecoming; attended Prayer Service; taught Rainbow South to Y. W. A. (1) W. M. S. (1); Adventuring With God to Y. W. A. (1), W. M. S. (1).

31. Lovelady — Spoke Evening Worship Why I Believe In Missions; delivered Calendars one Sunday Evening.

32. Lower Creek — Attended fish fry for Deacons and wives; helped teach Rainbow South; provided games for Christmas party; spoke S. S. class meetings — Youth Rally; G. A. Rally.

33. Maple Grove — No service in person rendered.

34. Miller Hill — Helped in 1952 V. B. S.; provided V. B. S. workers '53; attended S. S. and church; spoke briefly when they went into new building; Associational meeting; S. S. mass meeting, spoke.

35. Mt. Zion — Taught Adventuring With God to Y. W. A.; Associational meeting; conducted Int. Conf. for District T. U. meeting.

36. Mt. Grove — Attended T. U. and Worship; taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God.

37. Mtn. View — Taught W. M. S. Adventuring With God; delivered Calendars and Bulletins on Sunday morning.

38. Mulberry — Helped in V. B. S.; taught S. S. class; spoke in

interest of T. U.; visited new T. U.

39. Mulvale — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God; organized W. M. S.; attended regular meeting of W. M. S.; Associational meeting S. S. mass meeting.

40. Nelsons Chapel — Helped in V. B. S.; taught Rainbow South; The West Is Big.

41. New Hope — Taught Scattered Abroad; spoke for Worship; helped in V. B. S.

42. Oak Grove — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God; attended Worship; instructed Census Takers; typed Census.

43. Piney Grove — Helped in V. B. S.

44. Pisgah — Taught S. S. class; Worship; helped in V. B. S.

45. Pleasant Hill — Helped in Church Conference (3); Worship (3); taught S. S. class twice.

46. Pooveys Chapel — Helped to organize W. M. S.; spoke for W. M. S. meeting; taught W. M. U. Manual.

47. Pooveys Grove — No service in person rendered. Delivered calendars and Bulletins.

48. Rhodhiss — Attended T. U. and Worship; spoke in T. U. on Cooperative Program; taught The Best Is Big.

49. Rocky Springs — Prayer Service; spoke; helped in V. B. S.; taught S. S. class; Moderator for Church Conference.

50. Rufus — Taught S. S. class; attended Worship.

51. Sardis — Gave T. U. Assembly program; spoke S. S. Mass meeting.

52. Setzers Creek — Taught Adventuring With God; provided V. B. S. Workers.

53. Temple Hill — Started V. B. S.—cancelled due to Polio; spoke for Morning Worship; attended S. S. and Worship.

54. Temple Missionary — Taught S. S. class, Worship; conducted Prayer Service; taught T. U. Study Course; organized T. U.

55. Union — Taught Sacrifice and Song; Adventuring With God; Rainbow South; T. U. Study Course; New Testament Doctrines; helped in V. B. S.; spoke a few words at Easter Sunrise Service; helped organize Y. W. A. and reorganize G. A.; attended annual Assoc. Mtng.

56. Union Grove — Taught Rainbow South; Adventuring With God; T. U. Study Course A Winning Witness; attended annual Associational meeting.

57. West Lenoir — No service in person rendered.

58. Whitnel First — Attended S. S., Worship; taught Adventuring With God.

59. Winklers Grove — Helped in V. B. S. 2 weeks.

60. Yadkin — T. U. Study Course Jr.-Int. Leadership Mannual, taught Sunbeams A Lei For Malcolm; G. A.'s and R. A.'s Lo, I Am With You; attended Worship.

61. Yadkin Valley — Spoke Morning Worship—Homecoming; helped

in teaching Study of Philippians; met women in interest of W. M. S.

62. Zacks Fork — No service in person rednered. Calendars and Bulletins delivered.

63. Worship Point — Taught S. S. class.

Baton — Taught Rainbow South.

Spoke Gamewell School chapel program.

MEETINGS ATTENDED OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION

Spoke for Intermediate S. S. banquet, First Baptist Church, Valdese.

Attended W. M. U. Divisional meeting, North Wilkesboro.

T. U. Enlargement Campaign, Sandy Run Assoc., Bostic-Concord Church.

State S. S. Clinic, Shelby.

State V. B. S. Clinic, Fruitland.

State W. M. U. convention, Wilmington.

S. S. meeting, North Wilkesboro.

Helped in V. B. S. clinics, South Mountain Assoc., Albemarle, Shelby, Morganton. Helped in Preview Studies V. B. S., Morganton.

T. U. Regional meeting, Taylorsville.

Southeastern Religious Education Conference, Ridgecrest.

Associational Missionaries Conference, Caswell.

Spoke for Ashe Assoc. G. A. banquet, West Jefferson.

SUMMARY IN PART OF WORK

Helped in 20 V. B. S. — Association had 36.

Taught 49 Mission Study classes; 6 T. U. Study Courses; 4 Sunday School Study Courses; spoke for 12 Worship Services; conducted 4 Prayer Services.

Connerism: "Our main need is not the power to speak in tongues but the grace of the Lord to use the tongue that we have." W. T. Conner

9. Brief reports were given by representatives of Boiling Springs and Mars Hill Colleges. Dr. Phil Elliott representing Boiling Springs and N. H. Kindall, Mars Hill College.

10. H. B. Anderson, Chairman of the committee for the erection of a home for the Associational Missionary gave a report of progress being made. The association voted at the 1952 annual session to build a home at some suitable location not to exceed $12,000. The committee consisting of H. B. Anderson, Carter Powell, Glayton Adams, Robert Frye, M. O. Owens and Wade Kincaid at the direction of the Executive committee selected and purchased a lot at Main Street, Lenoir, N. C. H. B. Anderson was selected by the committee to oversee the work. Mr. Anderson reported that the house was being completed at a rapid rate and would be ready for use within a few weeks.

The Association in Executive Committee meeting had previously voted at Lower Creek Church to recommend that the several churches set as a goal to raise $1.00 per member and that same be used toward paying the cost of erecting the home.

11. After singing, "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us," the reports on State, Home and Foreign Missions were presented by T. L. Cashwell, Jr., C. B. Bobbitt and Robert Frye. On motion these reports were adopted.

STATE MISSION

The program of State Missions for North Carolina Baptists is ever expanding and actively moving forward today. The efficiency and comprehensiveness of this program is better understood when it is realized that all of the work of our State Convention, except that which is committed to the educational and beneficient institutions, is carried on through this agency which we call State Missions.

The sixteen departments which comprise our State Mission program are so correlated as to give the casual observer the impression that there is a oneness in our efforts. Virtually this is true. Nevertheless, it must be remembered that each department has its own personnel which is responsible for the faithful execution of those activities that come within the scope of the particular department. Every department in turn is responsible to the State Convention. Even though there is a diversity of activity, there is a oneness of purpose and spirit.

Such a progressive program is necessarily a great financial obligation for the Baptists of North Carolina. It was estimated at the State Convention last November that $400,000 would be needed this present year to carry on the program. $227,500 was expected to be received through the Co-operative Program, and $125,000 from the Woman's Missionary Union and the special State Mission offering in the Sunday Schools in October. This is a total of $352,500. Of the total amount expended for State Missions, 40 per cent is devoted to the teaching and training of the vast multitude of our people in the churches, and about one-third is used for the aiding of churches in the support of pastors, securing lots, and providing adequate plants for those churches located in the areas of our educational institutions.

It is imperative, therefore, that the Baptists of North Carolina exceed in October any previous effort made for State Missions. Let us in the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association express our confidence in our State Missions' personnel and our approval of the State Missions' expanding program by giving generously to this cause on Sunday, October 25. Let us endeavor to exceed the $1700 which was designated by our 63 churches for State Missions last year.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

HOME MISSIONS

Home Missions has but one message, "The message of the Cross." This message is for all nationalities who live within the confines of our Home Mission Board. None are excluded because of race, creed or color. The Home Missionaries have a compassion for all who are without the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Last year a total of 1,274 Missionaries served the people through The Home Mission Board. Also, there were 425 Chaplains who served faithfully. The total number of professions of faith was 41,849. Also an inestimable number of conversions resulting from the mission radio programs.

Home Missionaries serve the following people: the Chinese, French, Indians, Italians, Japanese, Russians, Jews, Spanish-speaking people, Negroes, and the Deaf.

The Home Mission Board supports sixteen Good Will Centers, and other agencies in the Convention are supporting about twenty-five others.

In the Direct Missions Department we have the following Missionaries including their wives: to the Chinees 9, the Deaf 8, the French 24, the Good Will Centers 34, the Indians 96, the Italians 10, the Japanese 9, the Russians 2, the Spanish-speaking 187, which gives a total of 379 Home Missionaries.

Other Ministries include: Alaska, Cuba, Panama and Canal Zone, Migrants, Pioneer Ranch Ministry, Student Summer Mission Program, Conferences, City Missions, Mountain Missions, Rural Church Program, and Western Missions.

The Home Mission Board has 18 employees working in the Baptist Rescue Mission, the Woman's Emergency Home, and the Baby Placement Center in New Orleans, not counting Rev. C. K. Rand, who serves as superintendent of the Rescue Mission in addition to his duties as a field worker with the Catholics.

The Baptist Rescue Mission in New Orleans celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary on February 11, 1952. This Mission has sheltered and cared for more than three-quarters of a million men. It is a landmark in the French quarter where the Gospel has been preached every night since the mission was established. Last year there were 365 sermons preached with a total attendance of 19,469, with 277 professions of faith, and 38,568 being given free meals, soup and coffee.

Truly we can say with our Lord "The fields are white unto the harvest." Let us go forward with th eMessage of the Cross, and with helping hands to do more this coming year than ever before.

Respectfully submitted,
Clarence Bobbitt

WHAT IS A FOREIGN MISSIONARY?

In the words of the Foreign Mission Board's executive secretary, Dr. M. Theron Rankin, the objective of our foreign missionaries is to "lead people to a personal faith in Christ Jesus as Lord and Saviour, to bring them together in churches for worship of God and service in his kingdom, to teach and train them in stewardship and in co-operative service, and to aid them in developing their own schools and institutions

for training their pastors and other church workers."

Southern Baptists have 911 foreign missionaries (June 1, 1953) distributed in 32 countries: Argentina 44, Brazil 180, Chile 32, China (Hong Kong and Macao) 48, Colombia 30, Costa Rica 4, Ecuador 6, Formosa 26, Gold Coast 6, Guatemala 10, Hawaii 47, Honduras 4, Indonesia 16, Israel 13, Italy 10, Japan 98, Jordan 5, Korea 13, Lebanon 6, Malaya 9, Mexico 30, Nigeria 159, Paraguay 16, Peru 4, Philippines 25, Southern Rhodesia 12, Spain 6, Switzerland (seminary) 9, Thailand 15, Uruguay 12, Venezuela 8, Spanish Publishing House 8.

To maintain these missionaries and the institutions in which they serve, Southern Baptists gave in 1952 — through the Co-operative Program, Lottie Moon Offering, and special designated gifts—$7,785,699.64.

About 29 per cent of the missionaries are ordained ministers, of whom about a third serve as pastors of churches. Most of the ministers serve as field missionaries, extending the gospel message far beyond the cities in which they live. Along with the ordained ministers go the missionaries trained for work in religious education. All missionaries are active in churches on the field in which they serve. They teach Sunday school classes, lead young people's and women's groups, serve on church committees, and take an active part in other church activities. They join with 195,067 national Baptists, including 1,276 national pastors, in making the almost 2,000 churches on the mission fields dynamic Christian forces in their neighborhoods. Those churches reach 205,901 people through their Sunday schools, 96,099 young people through their Training Unions and missionary groups, and 47,292 women through their woman's missionary societies. During 1952 the churches baptized 18,154 new converts.

About 10 per cent of the missionaries are members of the medical profession — doctors, dentists, nurses, technicians. They work in eight hospitals, seven clinics, and eleven dispensaries maintained abroad by Southern Baptists or in buildings and institutions maintained by national Christians.

About 48 per cent of the missionaries are engaged in some form of educational work. Southern Baptists maintain 460 schools, including 17 theological seminaries and six women's training schools. Enrollment in them totals 61,705. Also classified as teachers are missionaries working in five orphanages and nine Good Will centers. In the orphanages are 186 children, and enrolled in the Good Will centers are 398 children and 116 adults.

What is a foreign missionary? He is a Christian doctor, minister, teacher, editor, using his earthly profession for Jesus' sake in a country not his own. She is a Christian homemaker, schoolteacher, W. M. U. leader, social worker, nurse, trans-planted in a foreign land to spread the seed of the Christian gospel. Foreign missionaries are living witnesses of Christ's love in lands where Christian witnesses are fewer than in their own.

Respectfully Submitted,
Robert A. Frye

12. "Ministering to the Sick" was the subject of L. E. Snipes in making report on our Hospital. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Mr. Snipes and Everett Bernard, representative of the Baptist Hospital, Winston Salem, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL — 1953

"If Thou wilt, Thou canst make me clean," was the leper's plea that touched the heart of Jesus. A like plea fro mthe sick multitudes who need help has touched the heart of North Carolina Baptists. Our ministry through our Baptist Hospital is our answer to this call.

More than ten thousand patients were cared for in our Hospital last year, while thousands of others were seen in the Clinics. Almost half of these were service patients, unable to pay the full cost of the care they received. These included old people at the sunset of life and little children at the dawn of life, mothers, fathers and young people. They included persons who had to have help if they were to carry on as mothers and wives in their homes, if they were to work as fathers and husbands to support their families, if as young people they were to be set free from handicaps for life, if as old people they were to be spared for additional years and from much of the suffering which often attends old age. With all the advance of medical science, there is still much that it cannot do; but our Baptist Hospital is making a large contribution toward the saving of life, the relieving of suffering, and the bringing of good health for those who need it most.

From all over North Carolina there is a constant stream of afflicted people coming seeking our help. Our hospital provides skilled specialists for them in the various fields of medical care. The demand is so great that it is never safe to go without an appointment in advance. The schedules of the Clinics and doctors are almost always completely filled by appointments made days and weeks and often months ahead. If it is an emergency case the family doctor should call the Hospital and talk with a doctor there who will arrange for the patient to come as soon as possible.

One of the most important parts of the program of the Hospital is the spiritual ministry it provides. This is necessary if the full needs of a sick person are to be met. Our Hospital has trained chaplains who render an effective ministry for the sick, guidance for the nursing and medical students, and training for pastors and Christian workers.

Three floors of the new Hospital Wing are nearing completion and should be ready for use this year. This will provide urgently needed space and facilities. If any church in the association has not contributed its part toward the building of the New Wing, we hope this will be done at once.

"If Thou wilt, Thou canst make me clean." Jesus replied, "I will." You and I answer, "I will," if we give as we should in our Mother's Day Offering. This determines how much help we provide for those who are sick and have little or no money. Let all of us answer with a generous, "I will," next Mother's Day.

L. E. Snipes
Hospital Representative

13. After singing "He Leadeth Me" directed by J. O. Stroud and accompanied at the piano by Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., C. R. Hinton, pastor of Granite Falls First Church delivered the annual sermon. Recess was taken for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

14. The afternoon session was called to order at 1:00 P.M. by Moderator W. Walter Jones. The congregation sang "I Am Thine O Lord" and Rev. H. S. Benfield led in prayer.

15. The report on Religious Literature was read by Lawrence Miller. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Mr. Miller and C. W. Bazemore representing the Biblical Recorder. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON BAPTIST LITERATURE

Please permit me to begin this report by asking a very important question.

What is the purpose in the printing of all our Baptist literature? The primary purpose of all our literature is to set forward the cause of Bible study and Bible teaching, to point lost people to Christ, to guide and inspire Christian leaders, and to train Christians in faith and good works and to inform our people in all our denominational work at home and abroad. When our people are informed we believe they will be encouraged to put on renewed strength for the great task that challenges us in evangelizing the world.

Our literature is printed in the form of magazines, booklets, papers and other periodicals to help promote every phase of our work. Just to mention a few of these: BIBLICAN RECORDER, North Carolina State paper, HOME LIFE, COMMISSION, HOME MISSIONS, QUARTERLY REVIEW, BAPTIST STUDENT, CHURCH MUSICIAN, TRAINING UNION MAGAZINE, SUNDAY SCHOOL BUILDER, THE TEACHER, THE BAPTIST PROGRAM, CHARITY AND CHILDREN, BROTHERHOOD JOURNAL.

By keeping ourselves informed through our own denominational literature, we can become stronger christians and better Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,
Lawrence A. Miller

Religious Literature

16. Dr. M. A. Huggins, secretary of the State Baptist Convention delivered a very inspiring address on Growth of Baptist in the South, and especially in North Carolina. He outlined a proposed nine-year program for North Carolina Baptist.

17. In the absence of report on Christian Education the moderator postponed taking up this item.

18. Committee report on Petitionary Letters for membership was presented by M. O. Owens, Jr. On motion to adopt the report was spoken to by Mr. Owens. The report was adopted.

PETITIONARY LETTERS

The Petitionary Letters Committee submits following recommendations:

1. That Baton, having met requirements set by association, be accepted as a member church in full fellowship.

2. That Hartley Hill Church be asked to work with Associational Committee on Constitution of Churches for one year, and that following suggestions be carried out.

(1) The church to locate not less than one mile from any other Baptist church; and in most advantageous location possible;

(2) The church to continue to support Coop. Program, and associational program with 10% of gifts as goal.

(3) The church to refrain from any practices or beliefs which are unbaptistic; and give evidence of orthodoxy in belief and practice;

(4) The church to show evidence of Christian Spirit, and fellowship with and toward other Baptist churches.

That if the church shows evidence of willingness to cooperate, they be asked to submit petition for membership a year hence; and that in this action the association express no prejudice for or against the Hartley Hill Church.

M. O. Owens, Jr.
L. E. Snipes
Robert Frye
Ed Crump
J. R. Holland

19. On motion of Robert Frye and seconded by Lawrence Miller the following resolution was unanimously made a part of the minute record.

RESOLUTION

That the Trustees of the Associational Baptist Property be and is hereby authorized to borrow necessary funds through a local Building and Loan Association a sum not exceeding $8,000.00. Said fund to be used in financing any balance due in the erecting of a home for the Caldwell Baptist Missionary, located on South Main Street, Lenoir, N. C. The Trustees are authorized to use the above described property as collateral.

20. T. A. Sheppard presented a resolution asking that a special committee be appointed with authority to investigate reports regarding certain practices among churches. On motion the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION

Resolve that the moderator appoint a special committee to investigate any report of church in our Association which may be

(a) Carrying on any unbaptistic practice or belief.

(b) Anti-missionary in spirit or practice.

and that said committee report its finding back to the Association next year.

21. At the direction of the Association the moderator appointed the following special committee authorized as per paragraph 20.

Robert Frye, T. A. Sheppard, J. F. Reece, John Carter and J. E. Pearson.

22. On motion and duly passed it was authorized to pay moving expenses of Miss Elizabeth Campbell when she moves into the new home now being errected.

23. The Statistical Report was present by Edward Beach. On motion to adopt it was discussed by Mr. Beach. The report was adopted.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Your attention is invited to the complete statistical tables found in the minutes. Some of the most important facts revealed in these tables as tabulated on this date are as follows:

	1952	1953	Gain or (Loss)
Baptisms	731	558	(173)
Church Membership	14,484	15,073	594
Sunday School Enrollment	13,390	13,418	28
V. B. S. Enrollment	4,966	3,029	(1,937)
B. T. U. Enrollment	3,321	3,178	(143)
W. M. U. Enrollment	2,347	2,273	(74)
Brotherhood Enrollment	234	362	128
Total Gifts	$553,567.00	$581,548.00	$27,981.00
Total Mission Gifts	82,206.00	84,836.00	2,630.00

The average per capita contribution for the year was approximately $38.57 and of this amount approximately $5.63 went for missions. It will also be noted that using the average Church Membership during the year, 26 members were required to win one new member by baptism.

Respectfully submitted,

E. D. Beach, Statistician

24. Treasurer A. W. Dodge submitted his report and same was adopted.

TREASURERS REPORT

GENERAL FUND

Balance on Hand September 17, 1952		$715.38
RECEIPTS (Sheet 4)		
Pledges for Missions	$4,652.59	
Baptist State Convention:		
For Missionary's Salary	$ 633.00	
For V. B. S. Workers	100.00	733.00

1952 Minutes	366.35	
Vacation Bible School Offerings	494.23	
Central Training School	137.21	
V. B. S. Clinic	10.30	
Music Week	106.46	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		6,500.46
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND BALANCE		7,216.02

DISBURSEMENTS	Budget For Year	Actual Disbursements	
Clerk's Salary	$ 50.00	$ 50.00	
Sunday School	170.00	75.02	
Training Union	160.00	161.94	
Women's Missionary Union	50.00	5.75	
Vacation Bible School	600.00	775.91	
Pastor's School	100.00	—	
Music School	—	260.09	
Ridgecrest	100.00	115.00	
Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendar of Activities	275.00	259.26	
Associational Missionary:			
Salary	2,700.00	2,700.00	
Travel	600.00	600.00	
Rent	900.00	900.00	
Convention Expense	150.00	140.00	
Retirement and Social Security	162.00	147.90	
1952 Minutes	350.00	317.00	
Other Items		11.00	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$6,367.00		6,518.87
BALANCE ON HAND September 20, 1953			$ 697.15

BUILDING FUND

Individuals and Churches (From Sheet 4)	$1,050.12	
Borrowed from Individual	1,700.00	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$2,750.12
DISBURSEMENTS		
Purchase of Lot	1,700.00	
Payments on Materials to Date	684.97	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		$2,384.97
BALANCE ON HAND September 20, 1953		$ 365.15

The suggested goal for our churches for the Missionary's Home has been set at $1.00 per resident member. This will give a total fund of approximately $11,500.00. Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. DODGE, Treasurer.

25. The Finance Committee submitted a suggestive budget for the ensuing year and on motion it was adopted.

The Finance and Budget Committee of the Association has met and wishes to make the following recommendations for the year 1953-'54:

It is recommended that each church set as its goal for Associational Missions 60 cents per resident member for the ensuing year. If we will all accept this goal there should be at all times sufficient funds to meet our needs and to help us to maintain and perhaps even increase our missionary efforts in Christ's behalf.

The suggested budget for the year 1953-'54 is as follows:

1.	Clerk's Salary	$ 50.00
2.	Sunday School	170.00
3.	Training Union	160.00
4.	Women's Missionary Union	50.00
5.	Vacation Bible School	750.00
6.	Pastor's School	100.00
7.	Music School	200.00
8.	Ridgecrest	100.00
9.	Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendar	275.00
10.	Minutes	350.00
11.	Debt Retirement on Missionary's Home	1,000.00
12.	Insurance and Upkeep on Missionary's Home	250.00
13.	Other Items	50.00
14.	Associational Missionary: Salary	3,000.00
	Travel Expense	720.00
	Convention Expense	150.00
	Retirement and Social Security	180.00
	TOTAL SUGGESTED BUDGET	$7,555.00
	Less Anticipated Receipts from Other Sources:	
	Baptist State Convention $615.00	
	Sale of Minutes 375.00	
	V. B. S. Offerings 550.00	
	Training School Books, Etc. 250.00	1,790.00
	BALANCE TO BE PROVIDED BY CHURCHES	$5,765.00

Respectfully submitted,
FINANCE AND BUDGET COMMITTEE
A. W. Dodge, Chairman
B. B. Byers
Nelson Clay
C. B. Bobbitt
Bernard Tuttle
W. W. Jones (Ex-Officio)
Miss Elizabeth Campbell (Ex-Officio)
Frank L. Smith (Ex-Officio)

26. On motion the Association adjourned until 9:45 A.M. Friday when they meet with Mountain Grove Church. Prayer is made by M. O. Owens, Jr.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

Mountain Grove Baptist Church

27. The second day session was held with Mountain Grove Church. J .O. Stroup led the singing of "My Jesus I Love Thee," Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., at the piano. Paul Wilson conducted the devotional.

28. LeRoy Thomas, host pastor welcomed delegates and visitors.

29. On motion of T. A. Sheppard and seconded by LeRoy Thomas, the 1953 Minute was dedicated to Dr. O. R. Mangum, pastor emeritus of First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C.

30. Training Union.

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION

We look back upon the year's work in Training Union with some misgivings because we feel that we have not undertaken all that we should have in training for service to our Master, and yet we rejoice that some good has been accomplished.

Our records show that during the Associational year ending September, 1952, we had 32 churches reporting a Training Union enrollment of 3141. This year we have 32 reporting an enrollment of 3178.

This year's work was officially launched with our annual "M" Night program at College Avenue Baptist Church on December 8, 1952. At this meeting we had an attendance of 473, with 35 churches represented. 26 Pastors and 31 Training Union Directors were present. Brother Knolan Benfield, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Hickory brought a great inspirational message.

Our Central Training School was held at the First Baptist Church in Lenoir during March. During the week we had an enrollment of 545, with an average attendance of 458. This was a great week together, and with the leadership of the Spirit much good was done.

Last year we had 32 churches requesting 584 awards. We do not have the figures on this year's awards, but we will have considerably more requests for awards than last year.

During the year new Training Unions were organized at Mulberry and Temple Missionary, and others were in the process of being organized at Rocky Springs and Mulvale.

It is our sincere belief that the time has arrived for a great forward movement in Training Union work in our Association. Let us pray that God will bless our efforts to train His people in Christian service.

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. Huskins, Director
Associational Training Union

31. The report on Sunday Schools was read by J. O. Stroud. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Mr. Stroud. The report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday school is being recognized more this year than ever before as the chief agency of the churches in evangelism, teaching and enlistment. The major emphasis for Baptist churches for 1953-1954 is the effort to enroll a million more people in Sunday school in one year. Right of way has been granted for this, the greatest Sunday school enlargement program in the history of the world. As a result of this program, it is confidently expected that there will be substantial increases in baptisms, offerings and Christian homes.

Our State Sunday School Secretary, L. L. Morgan, reports gains this year in enrollment, and in training awards. It is expected that the number of Vacation Bible Schools will reach a new high. In the 3,055 churches in the state, we now have more than 620,000 enrolled in Sunday School.

We are reporting in our association this year 63 Sunday schools with an enrollment of 13,418.

Your committee makes the following recommendations: (1) That the association approve the effort of Baptists to enroll "A Million More in '54," and commend to the churches the practical plans for accomplishing this worthy objective. (2) That September 20-27 be observed as Preparation Week in the churches. It is recommended that the new book, "The Pull of the People," by Dr. J N. Barnette, be taught in the churches. Some other date should be observed if this week is not convenient. (3) That regular Sunday school meetings be held this year for the purpose of helping and inspiring the churches to greater zeal in reaching the multitudes for Bible study. (4) That the association seek to do its full share in enrolling "A Million More in '54," by trying to enroll at least twenty percent more people in their Sunday Schools in the year October 1953—October 1954. (5) Encourage class Sunday schools to "move up" to department schools wherever possible. (6) That the churches call on the Baptist Sunday School Department, Raleigh, for any help with reference to remodeling old church buildings or building new structures.

(Signed) J. O. Stroud,
Associational Sunday School Supt.

32. The Baptist Orphanage report was read by George Steele. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Mr. Steele and W. C. Reed, Superintendent Mills Home, Thomasville. The report was adopted.

ORPHANAGE

Again our Orphanage has moved forward in its ministry of child care. During the year it served a total of 728 children. In addition to this the Social Service Department helped to adjust 214 children with relatives, and thus prevented them from having to be cared for by the Institution. The program includes Mills Home of Thomasville, Kennedy

Home of Kinston, Mother's Aid, and Boarding Homes. We Baptists of North Carolina probably provide more services for children than any other similar group in the nation.

There was very little sickness and none of a serious nature. In the schools of Thomasville and La Grange the children were well adjusted. Twenty four were graduated from high school in June.

The personnel was particularily pleased with the spiritual development in our two homes. During the year fifty professed faith in Christ and were baptized. Another thirty accepted Christ as their Saviour, but were not baptized until early this year.

A new cottage, a new print shop and a new infirmary were completed in 1952. The I. G. Greer Recreational Building was finished early in 1953, and a beautiful new church that will seat 580 people will be completed this year. This great building program was made possible by the money left to Mills Home in the will of the late Robert M. Idol.

The income for the year was good. It was slightly above the income for the previous year. If every Baptist in North Carolina will do his duty toward the Orphanage, it will be able to care for the children better, and care for many more in the early future. Will we do our best?

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Representative

33. C. R. Hinton, submitted the report on Evangelism. On motion to adopted the report was discussed by Mr. Hinton. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Someone has said that the heart of our Baptist work is Evangelism. This is the channel through which people are brought to Christ, and our churches secure additions to their membership. Christ has no other way to reach people except through the medium of Evangelism.

In April of this year, we had a special effort on Evangelism in our Association. There was a great interest shown, as 35 of our churches participated in this effort.

This new Associational year we are putting out an all effort to enroll "A Million More in '54" in our Sunday schools. With this special emphasis in our Sunday schools, there will be additional groups of unsaved people with whom we can work, winning them to Christ. The Evangelistic Department of our Home Mission Board, along with our State organization on Evangelism, is spending their efforts in helping to enroll this number in Sunday school, because they realize as we do that the Sunday school is our greatest evangelistic agency. With this all out effort in '54 to win a million more in Sunday school will be preparing us for the great crusade in Evangelism in 1955. Since this effort is being projected in our Sunday schools in '54, let's not get so busy in enrolling them that we forgetthat souls are to be saved. And so your Superintendent of Evangelism recommends that we have an all out Simultaneous Evangelistic effort during next April with every church of our Association participating.

Respectfully submitted,
C. R. Hinton

34. After singing "I Need Thee Every Hour," Miss Stella Austin Missionary to Nigeria, Africa, rendered a very favorable report of her activity as a missionary.

AFTERNOON SESSION

35. The final session of the 69th annual meeting was called to order at 1:00 P.M. LeRoy Thomas conducted the devotional after the singing of "Amazing Grace."

36. The annual report of the trustees of Ridgecrest property was read by Chairman E. E. Stafford. On motion to adopt the report it was discussed by Mr. Stafford. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF RIDGECREST PROPERTY COMMITTEE

We, the Trustees, authorized by the Association in 1952 meeting, report that the addition to the Association's cottage at Ridgecrest was completed and in use the past summer. It was decided to let Coffey and Olson draw the floor plans.

The plans were approved by the Trustees, and bids were asked for. The bids that were accepted were as follows:

Pennell and Haigler — (General Contract)	$2,683.90
Parlier and Tomlinson — (Plumbing)	1,300.00
Gibbons and Smith — (Wiring)	46.07
TOTAL	$4,02$.97

With Cash on Hand of $1,343.53, it was necessary to secure a loan of $3,000.00. This was secured on a Promissory note signed by the Trustees and or their successors in office. This note to bear interest at the rate of 5% per annum, payable on demand.

CONDENSED COPY

Ridgecrest Cabin Fund

Submitted by E. E. Stafford, Treasurer

Balance on Hand, August 31st, 1953	$1,343.53
Deposits	865.50
Note Payable	3,000.00
Matron Fees	$ 90.00
Water, Lights and Fuel	95.70
Telephone Calls and Traveling Expense	33.43
Garbage Disposal	10.00
Fire Protection	3.00
Misc. Supplies and Repairs to Equipment	33.08
New Bunk Beds and Pillows	182.04
New Addition and Repairs to Old Building	4,060.72
	$4,507.97

Cash in Bank, August 31st, 1953 — $701.06.

196 people signed register — (Using cottage 1 to 6 days)

32 people signed register as VISITORS.

E. E. Stafford, Chairman

37. The Committee on Constitution of Churches and Ordination was read by Ed. Crump. The report was adopted.

CONSTITUTION OF CHURCH AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

Upon request of the Union Grove Baptist Church the committee assisted in ordination of one of their young men, Gwyn Sullivan, who is pastor of Nelson Chapel and New Hope.

At the request of Worship Point Baptist Church the committee examined and ordained Claude Suddreth, Jr. He is their pastor.

Upon request of the Grand View Park Baptist Church Lennard Miller was ordained. He is pastor of Jonas Ridge Baptist Church.

Upon request of the Concord Baptist Church the committee assisted in the examination and ordanation of Q. T. Curtis who is now pastoring in Alabama.

One minister was recommended for ordination. This minister was Benney McDonal, who is now pastor of the Pisgah Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Hester (Chairman)

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38. The report of the Nominating Committee was read by LeRoy Thomas. On motion and duly seconded the report was adopted and officers and committees was unanimously elected.

NOTE: See Associational Director Page 4 and 5.

39. Activities of the Women's Missionary Union was presented by Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt. (See other reports and minutes of Women's Missionary Union following minutes. On motion the report was adopted.

W. M. U. REPORT

1913 - 1953

"Declare His Glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples." (Ps. 9b:3)

Forty years our Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union shows steady growth. We are grateful for the ones who have been loyal and faithful through the years, to make the way for greater opportunities for us today.

Our Leadership Conference at College Avenue October 1952 was well attended.

Twenty-nine societies were represented at our Annual Meeting at Yadkin April 1953 — Miss Ruth Providence, Raleigh, Miss Francis Talley, Japan, and Mrs. Robert Franklin, Wilkesboro, were guest speakers. Thanks to Rev. J. O. Stroud for special music.

Five new societies this year — Mulvale, Hibriten, Harris Chapel, Poovey's Chapel and Cedar Rock.

20 Churches without a W. M. S.

1913 — 3 W. M. S. Gifts $ 53.90
1952 — 38 W. M. S. Gifts 4,429.87
1953 — 42 W. M. S. Report 3 Quarters 5,368.97
1953 — 31 Societies report giving to cooperative program.
14 Societies report 100% members giving to cooperative program.

Wish I could call each officer by name — telling how faithful they have been in His Service.

We are thankful for our County Missionary, Miss Elizabeth Campbell for her work promoting a well-rounded program in our County.

Thanks and appreciation to Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. O. L. Grice, Mrs. L. M. Abernathy, Mrs. J. D. Craig, our prayers go with them as they enter new fields of service.

Let's pray as we work to carry out the aim of our W. M. U. to enlist women in prayer, to study the Bible and world missions — regular gifts to missions — Community Missions and Missionary Education of Young People.

"We have heard the joyful sound — Jesus Saves!
Spread the tidings all around — Jesus Saves!
Bear the news to every land —
Climb the steeps and cross the waves —
Onward! Tis our Lord's command;
Jesus Saves! Jesus Saves!"

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Grover Triplett

40. R. E. Seepe read the report on Ministers Retirement. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Mr. Seepe.

MINISTERS RETIREMENT

The purpose of these plans, promoted by the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the State Convention, is (1) to provide annuities for ministers and church employees who participate in the plans when they reach retirement age, sixty-five, or at any period they may retire after reaching that age, and an annuity to the widows; (2) to provide a disability annuity if such disability occurs at a time prior to age sixty-five; (3) to provide an annuity for the widow in the event of the death of the member before reaching age sixty-five.

It is so designed that each church a pastor serves during his participation in the plan has a share in providing something for his old age. In this way the burden of caring for a minister does not fall on the last church served. Surely this is right.

Dues are payable monthly or quarterly, in the middle of the period and are as follows:

The pastor pays 4% of his salary.

The church, or churches, pay 4% of his salary, or an amount equal to that paid by the pastor.

The Convention adds to that amount

This means that while about 9% of the salary a pastor receives is laid aside for payment of annuities, he pays only 4%, if his churches join with him in this plan.

Funds are handled by our own Relief and Annuity Board and nobody makes a cent of profit out of it; and all amounts earn interest.

When a minister, or full time church employee, reaches the age of sixty-five he may retire. If he does not retire he continues to pay into the plan. The amount of the benefit is in direct proportion not to the salary received, but to the salary upon which he has paid 4% and his church 4% during his participation. For example, those men who retired in 1950 were entitled to receive 38½% of the salary upon which they and the churches had made payments. Those who retired in 1951 received 40%. This percentage increases each year until in 1956 it reaches 50% of the average salary upon which a man and his churches have made payments during the years of participation.

Those ministers who have had little opportunity to enter the Ministers' Retirement Plan may receive a small monthly check through the relief department of the Board if they are needy but if they have sufficient income to enable them to live in modest comfort they are not eligible. This relief fund is small and must be used to help those in real need.

Respectfully submitted,
K. E. Seepe

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41. "Progress Against Alcohol" was presented by M. O. Owens, Jr. His report was oral therefore no written report. W. P. Biggerstaff of the State Allied Church League delivered a short address stating progress throughout the state being made by the organization.

42. The report on "Stewardship" was read by John E. Carter. Mr. Carter discussed the report and same was adopted.

STEWARDSHIP

(Luke 14:25-35)

Brother Moderator, Fellow Messengers, and Visitors:

"Give an account of thy stewardship" is the challenging call to every Christian today. Many preachers think of stewardship only in terms of money, and they have led their people to think in those terms. Stewardship does have everything to do with money and with man's whole relationship to all mankind and to all things.

To the question: "What subjects do you teach?" One public school teacher replied, "I don't teach subjects, I teach boys and girls." In like manner it is not our business to teach stewardship but rather we shall train stewards. Trained stewards is the answer to our every problem,

the secret of success in every undertaking. In the matters of winning the lost, financing the Church and the Kingdom program, ministering to the sick, caring for the orphan, in race relationships, and in national or international problems we must have trained stewards.

You can no more train a pagan into a steward than you can train a donkey into a race horse, for a steward is a house-manager of God. So may we urge every Church to plan a steward training class — call it a school of stewardship if you like — either October 18-25 or another date if there is conflict at that time, that we may train our people as stewards of the Living God.

A comparison:	1952	1953
To win one person to Christ it took _____	19.7 Members	27 Members
We gave per member _____	$38.21	$38.56
To Missions per member _____	6.73	5.69

This year one net gain in Sunday School per 538 members

Therefore, "Give account of thy stewardship."

Respectfully submitted,
John E. Carter

REPORT OF CALDWELL ASSOCIATION BROTHERHOOD

A Brotherhood in a local Baptist Church is a group of men, preferably all of the men in a Baptist Church, seventeen years old and above, banded together for the purpose of promoting the Kingdom of Christ through the Church and Denomination.

The headquarters for the Baptist Brotherhood Commission, Southern Baptist Convention, is located in Memphis, Tennessee. The Brotherhood Commission now occupies a special building which is owned by the Southern Baptist Convention and located at 1548 Poplar Avenue, which houses all of the offices of this Denominational Agency. Our Executive Secretary is George W. Schroeder, who has two Associates, Messrs. James M. Sapp and David Mashburn, and a full time staff of workers. The Brotherhood is growing rapidly in the Southern Baptist Convention and has at present more than six thousand Brotherhoods. Seventeen of the twenty-two States in the Southern Baptist Convention now have State Secretaries and two of the other six states are soon to have Secretaries. Our Secretary for North Carolina is Mr. Horace Easom, and the office is located at Shelby, N. C.

We have in North Carolina seven hundred and fifty Brotherhoods at present. These Brotherhoods will represent over forty five thousand men. Forty-two of the seventy-two Associations and two of the ten Regions have been organized thus far. During 1953 Brother Easom has given one-half time to the Brotherhood work and the other half of his time to the Baptist Foundation. The Associational Brotherhood meets quarterly and the Regional and State Brotherhood organizations meet annually. Brotherhood Retreats were held this summer at Caswell Baptist Assembly, Fruitland Baptist Assembly, and Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly.

A Brotherhood must do five things in order to be healthful, effective and successful:

1. A Brotherhood must be organized
2. The Executive Committee must meet once each month.
3. The Brotherhood must have a definite time for meetings.
4. The Brotherhood must have good programs.
5. The Brotherhood must carry on purposeful activities.

The full enlistment and utilization of the men for Christ is the greatest challenge facing Southern Baptists. One might be so bold as to say that the work of our churches and denomination will progress in direct proportion to the number of men who are reached, challenged and utilized for the Master.

The most vital and fruitful periods in the history of the Christian Church have been those in which Laymen have most vividly realized and most earnestly sought to discharge their responsibility to propagate the Christian faith.

A. J. Parsons,
Chairman.

44. The report of the Historian was read by the Moderator.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH

Sardis Baptist Church, co-host to the sixty-ninth session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized as Gunpowder Baptist Church on September 17, 1831 with an organizing presbytery consisting of Benjamin Beach and Thomas Craig, and thirteen charter members as follows: Reddick Freeman, Hiram Clark, John Taylor, William Freeman, Jacob Grider, Elijah Craig, Polly Craig, Nellie Angely, Elizabeth Hayes, Catherine Fincannon, Rebecca Freeman, Kizzie Howell, and Nancy Cloer.

In 1835 the name was changed from Gunpowder Baptist Church to Sardis Baptist Church.

From its organization it met in a community church — a log building — until this burned in 1865. In 1867 a frame building was completed which was used until 1914. In this year another frame building was erected which was used until the present, beautiful sanctuary was occupied in 1949.

Sardis has been a member of the following associations: Catawba River, Lower Creek, Lewis' Fork, Taylorsville, United Baptist, Brushy Mountain, and Caldwell. The following have served her as pastor: Benjamin J. Beach, Thomas Craig, C. Livingston, Joseph Harrison, Phillip

Powell, J. B. Powell, Jacob Crouch, H. Holclaw, D. W. Conway, Isaac Smith, J. W. West, J. T. Shell, George Livingston, Bedford Brown, Hiram West, C. C. Poole, R. T. Flemming, J. S. Gwaltney, A. S. Church, John Crisp, J. R. Annas, Isaac Oxford, J. M. Harris, W. N. Cook, J. O. Fulbright, S .A. Rhyne, J. M. Shaver, Frank Austin, T. E. Payne, S. A. Stroup, R. D. Carroll, R. B. Burnett, H. S. Benfield, and the present pastor, K. E. Seepe.

The church has a total membership of 505, a full-time schedule, with an active Sunday School, Training Union, W. M. U. and Brotherhood.

Occupying as she does a central position in a heavily populated industrial area, Sardis faces confidently forward in the service of the King.

MOUNTAIN GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Mountain Grove Baptist Church, co-host to the 69th Session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized in April, 1884 with Elder D. W. Conway and E. A. Poe, and Deacon J. M. Harris as organizing presbytery, and 13 charter members: John Z. Griffin, Julia B. Griffin, James P. Hood, W. D. L. Goble, M. L. Goble, Martha Griffin, Suzanna Griffin, M. L. Griffin, Salina Tolbert, Nancy Beach, Jane Beach, W. W. Beach and Mary Hood.

About 1900 the original building became inadequate and a new frame building was erected which was u ed until 1936, when a brick veneer building was constructed to which Sunday School rooms were later added. In 1952 the present sanctuary was occupied, being one of the most beautiful rural church buildings to be found.

The following have served her as pastor: D. W. Conway, J. F. Crisp, J. Z. Griffin, J. S. Gualtney, J. R. J. Annas, D. L. Miller, J. G. Benfield, J. A. Rector, J. J. L. Sherwood, W. N. Cook, Ed Crisp, H. S. Benfield, P. S. Barber, R. A. Branch, L. A. Powell, G. Curtis, Sam Silver , Carl Devine, Grady A. Hamby, J. C. Brooks, L. E. Snipes, W. D. Oliver, and the present pastor, LeRoy Thomas.

The Caldwell Baptist Association last met with Mountain Grove in 1905.

Mountain Grove has a membership of 323, and is a full-time church. She has a Sunday School, Training Union, and W. M. U.

With a far-sighted pastor and a loyal membership, this church stands four square for Christ and the program of His church.





MT. GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH BUILDINGS:
PRESENT BUILDING ERECTED 1951-1952

45. The Committee on Place and Preacher made the following report.

Your Committee on Place and Preacher desires to recommend that the first day sessions be held with College Avenue Church and the second day with the Granite Falls First Church. We also recommend that K. E. Seepe preach the annual sermon and T. A. Shephard his alternate. The recommendations were accepted by a unanimous vote.

46. Mrs. C. R. Hinton, member of the resolution committee read their report and same was made a part of the records.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We the committee on resolutions for the Caldwell Baptist Association meeting in its 69th session wish to express our deep apperciation to Sardis Church of Hudson and to Mt. Grove Church for their generous hospitality evident through a bountiful meal, lovely flowers for both sessions, and kind assistance in every way.

We are grateful to the program committee for a splendid and inspiring as well as informing program. We especially wish to express appreciation to two of our own, Miss Stella Austin, one of our representatives in Africa and to Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our Associational Missionary and to all others who participated in the program. We wish also to thank Rev. C. R. Hinton for the inspiring sermon on the subject, "Are You A Great Christian."

We as your committee recommend that the resolution which Brother W. W. Jones read the first day in session regarding the use of funds from the tidelands oil fields by Congress to be used for educational needs be earmarked "Public Education." We further request that a copy of this resolution be sent to each Senator and Congressman of our State requesting them to suport and so vote on this issue.

We further resolve that we go on record as requesting that all books and literature being sold by agents in our association be carefully examined and have a written indorsement by the pastor before being purchased by any of our people.

We wish to go on record as deploring the prevalent use of alcoholic beverages in our country and particularly by those who have to do with the making and enforcement of the laws.

Respectfully submitted,

Tommy Swinson
Mrs. C. R. Hinton
Vernon Tuttle

47. A resolution regarding certain funds on the part of the United States Government was read by the Moderator. Upon motion the resolution was adopted and the clerk was authorized to prepare and mail as per direction.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

Resthaven, with space for twenty residents, has been filled to capacity. The number of inquiries for rooms has increased into the hundreds.

The Home received its best financial support. The share received from the Nine Year Program (1952) was $11,062.80; our first Special Day offering, February 15, exceeded $52,000; and from individuals, churches, and auxiliary organizations we have received $12,380.33, as of August 1st.

The response to the first Special Day offering for the Home was most encouraging. More than half of our 3055 Baptist churches responded. About seventy-five per cent of the amount came from the smaller churches.

Considering the short time our Home has been operating (2 years), and the fact that this was the first opportunity to appeal to our churches for a special offering, all of us should be encouraged by the response. Our next Special Day offering, February 21, 1954, should amount to $100.000.

On June 18, this year, property was purchased for a Branch Home at Albemarle. This property, consisting of a vacated hospital building and a nurses' home building and nearly three acres of land, was purchased for $25,000. It will cost an equal amount to renovate the property. Even so, it is well worth twice the amount invested. Thus, we can care for 60 residents — 20 at Resthaven, Winston-Salem; and 40 at the Albemarle Home.

The general health of the residents has been exceptionally good, considering the range of their ages, 66 to 93. There has been only one death this year. The spirit and the general attitude of the residents have been most satisfactory.

48. Moderator W. Walter Jones installed the new officers of the Association after which he thanked the membership for their past cooperation and assistance in promoting a great cause. The two days sessions were perhaps the greatest held and the attendance exceeded 450 delegates. Reports and speeches were very informative and spiritual.

48. The Association adjourned by singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," after which the closing prayer was made by T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

W. Walter Jones, Moderator

Frank L. Smith, Clerk

HISTORICAL TABLE
CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1885 - 1953

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir First	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	M. O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	C. R. Hinton
1953 Mt. Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	

IN MEMORIAM

BUFFALO COVE
Mr. Luther Adams
CENTER GROVE
Rev. C. W. Colvard
CLARK'S CHAPEL
Mr. Avery Watson
Mr. John W. Triplett
DUDLEY SHOALS
Mr. D. W. Presnell, Deacon
Mr. A. C. Teague
Mr. Talley Blair
GRANDVIEW PARK
Mrs. John E. Watson
GREEN ROCK
Mrs. Ella Conley
GRANITE FALLS FIRST
Mrs. C. R. Evans
Miss Cornelia Tilley
Mrs. Mack Sharpe
CONCORD
Mr. P. L. Phillips
Mr. E. J. Oxford
Mrs. J. A. Wallace
CONWAY CHAPEL
Mrs. Maggie Roberts
HARTLAND
Mrs. Mattie Greene,
Miss Joanne Campbell
Mrs. Emma McCall
HIBRITEN
Mr. Harley Pennell
KINGS CREEK
Mrs. Joe Kirby
Mr. T. J. Laxton
Mr. D. Boone Oxford
Mrs. D. Boone Oxford
CALVARY
Master Wallace Crump
Master Gary Crump
Master Allan Benfield
Mr. Jesse Walker
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mrs. Gerald Robbins
Mrs. R. W. Greene
Mrs. Isaac Piercy
Mrs. Ruth Austin
Mr. W. E. Brown
MAPLE GROVE
Mr. John Rich
MILLER HILL
Mrs. Pearl Earnest
Mrs. Vance Walsh
MT. ZION
Mrs. Henrietta Garnes
Mrs. Dora Ogles
Mr. Norman R. Walters
Miss Barbara Holeman
MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mr. Clyde Kaylor
MULBERRY
Gracie Hollar
MULVALE
Mr. Fray Clark
NELSONS CHAPEL
Mr. L. B. Storie, Jr.
OAK GROVE
Mrs. Julia Richards
Mr. Scott Willis
PINEY GROVE
Mr. J. R. Turner, Deacon
Mr. Dwight Hinson
PISGAH
Mr. John Melton, Jr.
PLEASANT HILL
Mr. Joe Crisp, Deacon
Mrs. Albert Walsh
POOVEYS CHAPEL
Mr. Ralph Helton
Mrs. Mary Pearson
RHODHISS
Mr. J. C. Compton, Sr.
ROCKY SPRINGS
Mr. Jim Teague
RUFUS
Mrs. Arnold Greene
SARDIS
Miss Lillian McLean
Mr. Charlie Prestwood
Mrs. J. P. Roberts
SETZER CREEK
Jones T. Curtis, Deacon
TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mr. Vance St. John
UNION
Miss Vertie Triplett

IN MEMORIAM (Cont.)

Mr. A. E. Quillen

LENOIR FIRST
Mrs. L. W. Anderson
Mrs. Garland L. Cook
Robert Craig
Dr. O. L. Moore, Deacon, Treas.
Anita Robinson, Church Sec.

LOWER CREEK
Mrs. Stewart Lutz
Mrs. Florence Bryson
Mrs. Julia Stubbs
Mr. John Laxton, Deacon
Mr. Boone Beach

LONG FORD
Mr. George Taylor

LOVELADY
Mrs. C. M. Harrison
Mr. Levi Reid

UNION GROVE
Mrs. Bessie Shook

CENTRAL
Mr. H. A. Craig
Mrs. H. A. Craig
Margaret Whittington
Mr. Charlie Eller
Mr. Joe N. Smith

WHITNEL
Mr. L. B. Kirby

WINKLERS GROVE
Mrs. John Maynard

YADKIN
Mr. W. A. Suddreth
Mr. J. G. Greer
Mr. N. M. Harrison

CALDWELL W. M. U. ASSOCIATION REPORT FOR 1952 - 1953

PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL MEETING

April 22, 1953

MORNING SESSION

HYMN: "Come, Women, Wide Proclaim"
PRAISE AND ADORE ---------- Mrs. Wilber Honeycutt
SPECIAL MUSIC ---------- Rev. J. O. Stroud
SEASON OF PRAYER
BUSINESS:
Welcome ---------- Mrs. Rhonda Teague, Yadkin
Response ---------- Mrs. James Bolick, Whitnel 1st
Recognition of Visitors
Appointment of Committees
Roll Call of Churches
"YOUR LOVE OUTPOURS"
Because of Knowledge —
Mission Study ---------- Mrs. J. D. Craig
Literature ---------- Mrs. George Icenhour
Librarian ---------- Miss Eller Dickson
In Community Missions ---------- Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Through Gifts ---------- Mrs. J. N. Moore
To Reach Others ---------- Mrs. Grover Triplett, Mrs. O. L. Grice
W. M. U. Conference Fruitland ---------- Mrs. Robert Frye
40th Anniversary ---------- Miss Elizabeth Campbell
"PRAY, WORK, YET MORE" ---------- Miss Ruth Provence, Raleigh
PERIOD OF SILENT PRAYER
HYMN: "O Zion Haste"
ANNOUNCEMENTS
SPECIAL MUSIC ---------- Rev. J. O. Stroud
"CHRIST, WHOM ALL EARTH SHALL SEEK" -- Miss Frances Talley, Japan
PRAYER

LUNCH

1954 NOMINATING COMMITTEE
Mrs. L. M. Abernathy
Mrs. George Icenhour
Mrs. Powell Hartley

APPRECIATION COMMITTEE
Mrs. L. W. Boddie
Mrs. D. L. Snyder
Mrs. E. W. Smith

TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE
Mrs. K. E. Seepe
Mrs. Frances Herman
Mrs. Leroy Thomas

AFTERNOON SESSION

HYMN: "We've A Story To Tell To the Nations"
SCRIPTURE AND SONG ---------- Our Young People
Mrs. W. W. Jones, Leading
PRAYER
"COME, CLASPING CHILDREN'S HANDS" ---------- Mrs. Robert L. Franklin, Wilkesboro
"TEACH TO ADORE" ---------- Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.
Margaret Fund and Training School
BUSINESS WOMAN'S CIRCLES ---------- Miss Ruth Provence
MISCELLANEOUS
HYMN: "The Kingdom Is Coming"
REPORT OF COMMITTEES
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
DEDICATORY PRAYER
"BY HIS LOVE UPBORNE" ---------- Miss Frances Talley, Japan
CLOSING PRAYER

OFFICERS ELECTED

Superintendent ---- Mrs. Grove Triplett, 216 W. Ashe Ave. Lenoir, N. C.
Assoc. Supt. ---- Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, 101 Linden Ave., Lenoir, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer ---- Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Rt. 6, Box 323, Lenoir
Young People's Director ---- Miss Faye Turnmyer, Rt. 2, Granite Falls
Mission Study ---------- Mrs. Albert Holden, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Community Missions ---------- Mrs. C. L. Wilson, 212 N. Main, Lenoir
Stewardship ---------- Mrs. J. N. Moore, Taylorsville Rd., Lenoir
Librarian ---------- Miss Eller Dickson, S. Main St., Lenoir
Margaret Fund—Training School ---------- Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr., 219 Highland Ave., Lenoir
R. A. Leader ---------- Mr. D. O. Taylor, Patterson, N. C.
G. A. Leader ---------- Mrs. Elihu Miller, Patterson, N. C.
Y. W. A. Leader ---------- Mrs. Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.
Sunbeam Leader ---------- Mrs. Carr Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.

REPORT OF THE APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the W. M. U. of this Church for the previlege of holding our meeting in this beautiful and worshipful building, and for every courtesy they have shown us today; such as providing a nursery and this beautiful church to meet in.

We are thankful to our Father for Miss Ruth Provence, North

Carolina W. M. U. Executive Secretary; Miss Frances Talley, Missionary to Japan; and Mrs. Robert Franklin from Wilkesboro; for their urgent and challenging messages; to Elizabeth Campbell, our Associational Missionary; to Mrs. Grover Triplett, our Superintendent; to Mrs. R. L. Wilson, our Young Peoples' Leader, and all other officers and committees serving so well and to each one on program today we owe a debt of gratitude.

To these and all others for all you have done and are doing through your prayers, your gifts and your personality, as you are "Looking on the Field" in our Association and to the end of the earth; we wish to say, thank you.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. E. W. Smith
Mrs. D. L. Snyder
Mrs. L. W. Boddie

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN

October 1, 1951 to September 30, 1952

	Number of Tithers	Number Contributing regularly through Cooperative Program
W. M. S.	459	856
Young People	161	257
Total	620	1113

GIFTS TO SPECIAL OFFERINGS

	Lottie Moon	Annie Armstrong	Heck Jones
W. M. U.	$2,480.41	$787.31	$280.12
Young People	253.59	139.18	24.24
Total	$2,734.00	$926.49	$304.36

	State Missions	Total Gifts
W. M. U.	$491.80	$4,038.64
Young People	130.08	547.09
Total	$621.88	$4,585.73

This is an increase of $50.79 over same period last year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. N. Moore

MISSION STUDY REPORT

"See a few big things," said a Doctor in a book. "You will like to remember when you are bothering about pouring water in and out of the tea cups that Niagara is still flowing." And she who would see the big world and its needs for a Saviour, must also see in the heart of the child of the most despised race the personal need of God. Me must study to see and to know!

If the statement is true that "She who does not read is little better than she who cannot read," then we are still in the first grades of Mission Study. We must study to feel and to go! If "all of the past is pro-

logue," then truly "there's all of the future that ain't been touched" in mission study. Take a look at the prologue — last year's record:

No. Classes in W. M. S. ---------- 100
No. Enrolled in Classes ---------- 1152
No. Reading Books ---------- 1056
No. Books Read ---------- 1173
No. Missionary Round Tables ---------- 4
No. Classes in Y. People's Organizations ---------- 90
No. Enrolled in Classes ---------- 712
No. Reading Books ---------- 452
No. Books Read ---------- 543
No. Y. W. A. Book Clubs ---------- 1

The Prologue is encouraging! But look at the vast untouched future! Let's open some more books and study — to know and to give and to live and to go!

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. D. Craig

REPORT OF THE LITERATURE CHAIRMAN

Royal Service Subscriptions ---------- 315
Window of Y. W. A. Subscriptions ---------- 73
Tell Subscriptions ----------
World Comrades Subscriptions ---------- 112
Ambassador Life Subscriptions ---------- 66
Biblical Recorder Subscriptions ---------- 374

No Report from some of the Churches.

Mrs. G. M. Icenhour

COMMUNITY MISSIONS REPORT

I. No organizations participated monthly in Community Missions under direction of a Community Mission Committee this year.

W. M. S.	Y. W. A.	G. A.	R. A.	Sunbeams
38	19	26	12	9

II. No. individual members engaged in directed Community Missions during past year.

1000	200	210	100	106

III. No. individuals, members in W.M.S. and Y. W. A.'s making definite efforts in Soul winning.

504	51

IV. No. organizations studied Guide for Community Missions.

5

V. No. organizations making a Survey.

16

VI. No. organizations studied book on Soul-winning.

4

VII. No. organizations engaged in definite activities promoting Soul-winning.

35	5	18	9	5

VIII. No. organizations engaged in definite atcivities manifesting
IX. No. organizations engaged in definite activities emphasizing Moral

36	10	21	14	8

Christian Fellowship.
Standards that pertain to Community Life.

36	3	18	13	8

May this year in our W. M. U. work be the best year yet in the quality of Community Missions done by our women and our Young People. Let us remember that we need Divine guidance and that we may look to the Lord in confidence. In Psalm 32:8 "I will guide thee with my eye" — Let us take up our tasks with renewed energy and zeal.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. L. M. Abernethy

RUTH KELLER SCHOLARSHIP REPORT

1950 Balance $1,062.19.
March, 1952 — Deposited _____$20.00
March, 1952 — Deposited _____ 12.22

$1,094.41

April 17, 1952, check written to Miss Anne Curtis — $68.00
Balance on hand October 16, 1952 — $1,026.41
May 1953 — Deposited _____$ 7.00

Balance _____$1,033.41
August 10, 1953, check written to Miss Mary Helen Dobson — $600.00
BALANCE ON HAND AUGUST 30, 1953 $433.41

W. M. U. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Balance reported April 22. 1953 at Yadkin	$44.04	
Checks written April 22, 1953 _____$30.00		
Balance _____	$14.04	
Collected and Deposited for Associational Expenses	114.15	128.19
Checks written _____$10.00		
Divisional Expense Fund _____ 25.00		
	$35.00	35.00

Balance on Hand August 30, 1953 _____$93.19
Deposited $15.50 for Ridgecrest.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ira Pritchard

REPORT OF THE TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

The Woman's Missionary Union of Caldwell Association will convene at Mt. Zion Baptist Church for the 1954 Annual meeting at the appointed time.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Leroy Thomas
Mrs. Allen Herman
Mrs. K. E. Seepe

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Address	College
Jack Coffey	Granite Falls (1st Ch.)	Wake Forest College
Bruce Creeson	Lenoir (College Ave.)	Wake Forest College
Billie Kimberlin	Lenoir (Mt. Grove)	Gardner-Webb
Joe Richards	G. Falls (Oak Grove)	Gardner-Webb
Dale Ira Hart	Hudson (Pooveys Chapel)	Gardner-Webb
Robert Chester	Lenoir (Union)	
Gwyn Sullivan	Rt. 3, Lenoir (U. Grove)	Gardner-Webb
Wayne Pennell	Whitnel (Whitnel 1st)	Wake Forest College

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Quincy T. Curtis	Mexia, Ala	Concord
Dewey Sumpter	Rt. 9, Lenoir	Calvary
Dale Ora Hart	Rt. 1, Hudson	Pooveys Chapel
Robert Chester	Rt. 2, Lenoir	Union
Gwyn Sullivan	Rt. 3, Lenoir	Union Grove
Claude B. Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir	Worship Point
Marshall Hamby	Rt. 5, Lenoir	Worship Point
Claude Huffman	Hickory	Winklers Grove
Ray Paige	Hickory	Winklers Grove

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Leonard B. Miller	Rt. 6, Lenoir	Grandview Park
Benney McDonald	Lenoir	Pisgah
Gwyn Sullivan	Rt. 3 Lenoir	Union Grove
Claude B. Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir	Worship Point

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Ordained Minister	Address	Church Membership	Present Work
Jesse Adams	Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	Inactive
Albert J. Barker	Rt. 1, Lenoir		Mt. Zion
L. B. Beane	Mortimer, N. C.	Maple Grove	Green Rock
			Green Valley
H. S. Benfield	Lenoir, N. C.	Sardis	Retired
N. R. Black	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Pleasant Hill	High View
L. H. Black	Box 262, Lenoir	High View	Active Pastor
C. B. Bobbitt	Rhodhiss, N. C.	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Will Bolick	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Mulberry	Mulberry
Ira Bristol	Collettsville, N. C.	Green Valley	Inactive
J. J. Buckner	Whitnel, N. C.	Central	Central
Alfred Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Mt. Zion	Inactive
D. L. Bumgarner	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Miller Hill	Grandview Park
			Miller Hill
George Cannon	Icard, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
John E. Carter	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	College Avenue
W. W. Cloer	Hudson, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Inactive
H. C. Coffey	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Temple Hill	Temple Hill
Charlie Cook	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Union Grove	Inactive
Will Cooke	Lenoir, N. C.	Mt. Vernon	Buffalo Cove
R. C. Cooke	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Globe	Inactive
J. H. Crisp	Lenoir, N. C.		Rufus
J. E. Crump	Hudson, N. C.		Calvary
L. R. Davis	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Blair's Fork	Blair's Fork
O. C. Dellinger	Collettsville, N. C.	Green Valley	Inactive
J. E. Driver	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	Inactive
Walter Dula	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Inactive
W. A. Eichelberger	Wilkesboro, N. C.	Cedar Rock	Cedar Rock
Thomas B. Flowe	Granite Falls, N. C.	Oak Grove	Oak Grove
W. H. Flowers	Granite Falls, N. C.	Pleasant Hill	Active Pastor
Robert A. Frye	Patterson, N. C.	Yadkin	Yadkin
Alvin Green	Granite Falls, N. C.	Lovelady	Lovelady
W. B. Green	Collettsville, N. C.	Green Valley	Inactive
W. C. Harless	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Temple Missionary	Inactive
Harris, Horace	Lenoir, N. C.		Globe
			Pooveys Chapel
Calvin Helton	Rt. 2, Lenoir	Hibriten	Hibriten
Paul Hester	Rt. 1, Hudson	Mt. Zion	Active Pastor
Wade Hice	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Union Grove	Inactive
C. R. Hinton	Granite Falls, N. C.	Granite Falls First	Granite Falls First
James Holder	Box 113, Whitnel	Whitnel First	Whitnel First
Jack Holland	Rt. 5, Hickory		Winklers Grove
Paul Jarvis	Rt. 4, Lenoir	Mulvale	Mulvale
W. Walter Jones	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Lower Creek	Lower Creek
Frank Knight	Rt. 1, Hudson	Pooveys Chapel	Inactive

Robert Laws	Rt. 2, Lenoir	Pleasant Hill	Edgemont
D. S. Lee	Rt. 8, Lenoir	Nelsons Chapel	Retired
Oscar R. Mangum	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Retired
Homer Messer	Rt. 5, Lenoir		Rocky Springs
Brodus Miller	Rt. 1, Hudson	Mt. Zion	Inactive
L. A. Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir	Long Ford	Long Ford
Leonard B. Miller	Rt. 6, Lenoir	Grandview Park	Inactive
Paul L. Morrow	Rt. 1, Hudson	Center Grove	Center Grove
A. C. Moody	Rt. 8, Lenoir	Setzer Creek	Setzer Creek
Ernest Moore	Granite Falls	Concord	Concord
W. R. Moss	Lenoir, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Retired
Carl Mull	Rt. 3, Morganton	Temple Missionary	Temple Missionary
Bennie McDonald	Lenoir, N. C.	Pisgah	Pisgah
C. R. McFelea	Rt. 7, Lenoir	West Lenoir	West Lenoir
M. O. Owens, Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Lenoir First
J. H. Nelson	Rt. 5, Lenoir	Setzer Creek	Inactive
J. Carl Pearson	Kings Creek, N. C.	Kings Creek	Kings Creek
J. Roy Philyaw	Mortimer, N. C.	Maple Grove	Inactive
M. S. Phillips	Rt. 1, Lenoir	New Hope	Inactive
F. L. Prestwood	Rt. 1, Hudson	Joyceton	Joyceton
			Zacks Fork
R. L. Prestwood	Lenoir, N. C.	Joyceton	Clover
J. Lewis Price	Rt. 1, Granite Falls	Dudley Shoals	Sardis
J. W. Ramsey	Rt. 2, Morganton	Yadkin Valley	Inactive
J. A. Revelt	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Yadkin Valley
K. E. Seepe	Hudson, N. C.	Sardis	Dudley Shoals
T. A. Sheppard	Granite Falls, N. C.	Clover	Retired
T. P. Shumaker	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Inactive
J. S. Silver	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Flemings Chapel
L. E. Snipes	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove	Union Grove
			Clarks Chapel
J. O. Stroud	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	College Avenue
Claude Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Worship Point
Gwyn Sullivan	Boiling Springs	Nelson Chapel	New Hope
			Nelson Chapel
Lewis Swanson	Rt. 4, Lenoir	Hartland	Retired
Tommie Swinson	Hudson, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Harris Chapel
Albert Tester	Blowing Rock	Cool Springs	Johns River
			Bethany
LeRoy Thomas	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Mountain Grove	Mountain Grove
Bernard Tuttle	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandin	Piney Grove
			Grandin
Ira Walker	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Mt. View	Mt. View
Thomas Watson	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Long Ford	Inactive
Paul N. Wilson	Rt. 3, Morganton		Hartland
J. E. Younse	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		Conways Chapel

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Church	Choir Director	Post Office
Bethany	Bettie Joe Greene	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Blairs Fork	Joe E. Pritchard	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins	Ferguson, N. C.
Center Grove	L. W. Bumgardner	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Clarks Chapel	Parks Underdown	R.F.D., Lenoir, N. C.
Dudley Shoals		
Globe	Bobby Cook	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandview Park	C. R. Lampkin	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandin	Ernest Hayes	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Granite Falls 1st	Shelton Kline	Hickory, N. C.
Clover		
Concord	W. P. Richards	Granite Falls, N. C.
Green Valley	W. B. Greene	Collettsville, N. C.
Harris Chapel	Bill Duncan	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Hartland	O. W. Martin	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.
Hibriten	Mack Winebarger	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
High View	James Smith	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Joyceton	Dan Coffey	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Kings Creek	Louis Land	Kings Creek, N. C.
College Ave.	J. O. Stroud	Lenoir, N. C.
Lower Creek	George Kirsten	Lenoir, N. C.
Long Ford	Bill Borders	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Lovelady	James Mull	Granite Falls, N. C.
Miller Hill	Bill Triplett	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Mt. Zion	Maynard Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mt. Grove	W. W. Sturgill	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mt. View	Doug Clark	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Mulberry	Pansy Ida Greene	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Mulvale	Glen Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Nelson Chapel	Hugh Curtis	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
New Hope	Mrs. Walda Summerlin	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Oak Grove	J. B. Myers	Granite Falls, N. C.
Piney Grove	Mrs. A. Christenberry	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pisgah	Shirley Greene	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Pleasant Hill	Dick Smith	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Pooveys Chapel	Mrs. Bonnie Austin	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Pooveys Grove	M. L. Christopher	Rt. 2, Granite Falls N. C.
Rhodhiss	Mrs. Cora Annas	Rhodhiss, N. C.
Setzer Creek	Earl Cheek	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Temple Hill	James Reece	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Union Grove	C. V. Harmon	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel Central	Carl Swanson	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel First	Stewart Johnson	Whitnel, N. C.
Worship Point	Hubert Pritchard	Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin	Isaac Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack Clark	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Margaret Reid	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.

PIANISTS

Church	Pianist	Post Office
Bethany	Mary Agnes Bolick	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Blair's Fork	Mrs. Joe Pritchard	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Sadie T. Woods	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Center Grove	Jean Bumgardner	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Clark's Chapel	Miss Betty Hendrix	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Fred G. Bowman	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Edgemont	Mrs. A. E. Miller	Edgemont, N. C.
Fleming Chapel	Mrs. D. S. Reichard	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Globe	Mrs. R. E. Coffey	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandview Park	Greta Marie Houck	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Grandin	Mrs. Bell Howell	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Granite Falls 1st	Mrs. Shelton Kline	Hickory, N. C.
Clover	Charles Haas	Granite Falls, N. C.
Concord	Mrs. Laurence Triplett	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Green Valley	Mrs. Coye Clark	Collettsville, N. C.
Harris Chapel	Martha Annas	Hudson, N. C.
Hartland	Mrs. Gean Austin	Lenoir, N. C.
Hibriten	Linda Duncan	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
High View	Mrs. Ruth Angley	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Joyceton	Billy Walker	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Kings Creek	Mrs. W. R. Parsons	Rt. 1, Boomer, N. C.
Calvary	Mary Frances Crump	Hudson, N. C.
College Ave.	Mrs. Mast Dickson, Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.
Lenoir First	Miss Patrica Roberts	Lenoir, N. C.
Lower Creek	Mrs. Ed Perdue	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
West Lenoir	Dorothy Moore	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Long Ford	Shirley Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Lovelady	Mrs. James Mull	Granite Falls, N. C.
Miller Hill	Joan Triplett	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Boyd Benfield	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mt. Grove	Miss Margaret Smith	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mt. View	Mrs. Bob Philyaw	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Mulberry	Mollie Greene	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Mulvale	Mrs. Roy Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Nelson Chapel	Mrs. Raymond Craig	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Oak Grove	David Richards	Granite Falls, N. C.
Piney Grove	Miss Betty Sue Sharpe	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Pisgah	Mrs. James Crump	Whitnel, N. C.
Pleasant Hill	Loretta Campbell	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Pooveys Chapel	Miss Ethel Haas	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Sam Anderson	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. T. Kirby	Rhodhiss, N. C.
Rufus	Miss Ruth Mast	Lenoir, N. C.
Sardis	Mrs. Cade Shaver	Hudson, N. C.
Setzer Creek	Mrs. Francis Crisp	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.

Temple Missionary	Mrs. W. C. Harless	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Temple Hill	Jeanette Hollar	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Union Grove	Mrs. O. L. Gibson	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel Central	Melvin Hines	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.
Whitnel First	Mrs. B. H. Reary	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Worship Point	Alma Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Yadkin	Mrs. Bill Story	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Joanne Vannoy	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.

CALDWELL SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOC. OFFICERS 1953-1954

Superintendent _____ Rev. J. O. Stroud, College Avenue, Lenoir, N. C.
Supt. in Charge of Training _____ George Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.
Supt. in Charge of Enlargement __ Rev. Louis Price, Rt. 1, Granite Falls
Supt. in Charge of Evangelism __ Rev. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C.
Supt. in Charge of V. B. S. ____ Rev. Earl Pearson, Kings Creek, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer _____ Mr. George Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Pianist _____ Miss Lucy Walters, Hudson, N. C.
Choirister _____ Rev. Lawrence Miller, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.

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Nursery _____ Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, N. C.
Beginner _____ Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway, Lenoir, N. C.
Primary —
Junior —
Intermediate _____ Mrs. W. W. Jones, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. Bown Whisnant, West Harper, Lenoir, N. C.
Young People _____ Miss Faye Turnmire, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Adult _____ Mr. M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. John Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
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Collettsville ____ Rev. Claude Suddreth, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.
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Lenoir —
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Mr. C. A. Keller, Hudson, N. C.
Granite Falls ____ Rev. Thomas Shepherd, Granite Falls, N. C.

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Associational Director ____ Mr. Clarence Prestwood, R.F.D., Lenoir, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer ____ Miss Patricia Roberts Lenoir, N. C.
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Mrs. C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N. C.
Young People ____ Miss Hazel Bean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
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Mrs. Nora Annas, Rhodhiss, N. C.
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Collettsville ____ Mrs. Arlo Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N .C.
Patterson ____ Mrs. Alta Holder, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Mr. Walter L. Sullivan, Lenoir, N. C.
Lenoir ____ Mr. C. C. Huskins, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Hudson ____ Miss Carrie Mae Smith, Hudson, N. C.
Granite Falls ____ Mr. Charles Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP–

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS: Baptisms	GAINS: Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL: Total Resident Members	TOTAL: Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL: Grand Total Present Members	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Revival Meetings Held	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Number Tithers	SPECIAL INFORMATION: State Paper in Budget	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Baton	R 1950	All		Niles E. Compton,Granite Falls,NC		6	6	38		38		36	No	No	1430.00
Bethany	R 1902	1-3		Albert Tester,Blowing Rock, NC				48		48	2		No	No	338.50
Blairs Fork	R 1891	All		L.R. Davis, R6, Lenoir, NC	8	8	7	112	42	154	1	18	No	No	2180.00
Buffalo Cove	R 1857			Will Cooke, Boone, NC			33	54	44	98					
Cedar Rock	R 1942	1-3		W.A. Fichleberger,Wilkesboro, NC	2	2		41	28	69	1		No	Yes	334.00
Center Grove	R 1912	All		Paul Marrow, R1, Hudson, NC	10	11	8	146		146	2	28	No	No	2290.00
Clark's Chapel	R 1900	2-4		L.E. Shipes, R3, Lenoir, NC	8	6	4	175	65	240	2	20	No		1820.00
Conway's Chapel	R	2-4		J.E. Younce, R4, Lenoir, NC	6	1	1	25	61	86	1				728.50
Dudley Shoals	V 1861	All		J. Lewis Price, R1, Granite Falls,NC	2	15	11	235	75	310		15	No	No	3380.00
Edgemont	R 1915	1-3		Robert Laws, R2, Lenoir, NC			2	24	9	33	2		No	No	
Flemings Chapel	R 1888	1-3		J. S. Silver, R6, Lenoir, NC	1	1	4	233	27	260	2		No	No	2600.00
Globe	R 1832	1-3		H.R. Harris,211 N Prospect, Lenoir, NC	9		5	55	45	100	1		No	No	207.00
Grandview Park	R 1930	1-3		D.L. Bumgarner, R6, Lenoir, NC	6	3	1	98	57	155	2	7	No	No	1820.00
Grandin	R 1914	All		Bernard Tuttle, R5, Lenoir, NC	10	5	2	80	20	100	1	15	No	No	1050.00
GRANITE FALLS															
Clover	T 1943	All		T. A. Sheppard,Box 4815,Granite Falls,NC	6	2	6	161	56	217	2	75	No	No	3380.00
Concord	T 1908	All		Ernest W. Moore, Granite Falls, NC	24	15	30	420	89	509	2	105	No	No	4770.00
Granite Falls 1st	T 1831	All		C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, NC	17	20	30	439	100	539	2	225	Yes	No	4680.00
Green Rock	R 1889	2-4		L.B.Beane, Mortimer, NC	1	2	1	35	25	60	2			No	132.00
Green Valley	R 1888	1-3		L.B.Beane, Mortimer, NC	4	3	4	26	32	58	1		No	No	279.00
Harris Chapel	R 1912	All		Tommy Swinson, R1, Hudson, NC	37	25	4	284	52	336	1	94	No	No	3200.00
Hartland	R 1938	1-3		Paul N. Wilson, R3, Morganton, NC	11	4	9	200		200	1	25	No	No	1820.00
Hibriten	R 1950	All		Calvin Helton, R2, Lenoir, NC	23	11	4	176	8	184	1	12	No	No	1016.00
High View	R 1950	All		L. H. Black, Box 262, Lenoir, NC		3	10	93		93	1		No	No	514.00
Johns River	V 1890	All		Albert Tester, Blowing Rock, NC	6		5	50	68	118	2		No	No	318.00
Joyceton	V 1952	All		Francis L. Prestwood, R1, Lenoir, NC	5	22		54	10	64	2	12	No	No	1518.00
Kings Creek	V 1779	All		J. Earl Pearson, Kings Creek, NC	1	1	15	306	92	398		17	No	No	3150.00
LENOIR															
Calvary	C 1945	All		J. E. Crump, Hudson, NC	21	20	17	345	50	395	2	26	No	No	3740.00
College Avenue	C 1910	All		T.L.Cashwell, Jr.,Lenoir, NC	30	32	57	1079	308	1387	2		No	Yes	5400.00
Lenoir First	C 1889	All		M.O.Owens, Jr., Lenoir, NC	17	33	43	733	214	947	1	60	Yes	Yes	6600.00

Lower Creek	C	1826	All	W. Walter Jones, Lenoir, NC	17	8	26	518	74	592	1	125		No	4420.00
Temple Missionary	C	1941	All	Carl J. Mull, R5, Morganton, NC	7	5	10	50	14	64	2	7	No	No	1300.00
West Lenoir	C	1943	All	C.R. McFelea, R7, Lenoir, NC	6	17	3	170		170	1		No		1300.00
Longford	R	1934	All	L.A. Miller, R5, Lenoir, NC	15	5	5	155	118	273	2	14	No	No	3176.25
Lovelady	R	1864	All	Alvin Greene, Granite Falls, NC	5	1	4	140	40	180	2	32	No	No	2520.00
Maple Grove	R		1-3			3	1	25	75	100	1		No	No	128.89
Miller Hill	R	1935	2-4	D.L. Bumgarner, R6, Lenoir, NC	4	4	4	183	18	201	2	20	No	No	1560.00
Mt. Zion	R	1889	All		28	23	14	518	37	555	2	45	No	No	3380.00
Mulberry	R	1883	1-3	Will Bolick, R3, Lenoir, NC	7		1	76		76	1		No	No	600.00
Mountain Grove	R	1884	All	LeRoy Thomas, R2, Granite Falls, NC	16	5	18	283	40	323	2	60	No	No	3380.00
Mountain View	R	1948	All	Ira Walker, R4, Lenoir, NC	4	4	8	52	30	82	2	7	No	No	780.00
Mulvale	R	1941	All	Paul Jarvis, R4, Lenoir, NC			4	116		116	2		No	No	1320.00
Nelson's Chapel	R	1905	1-3	Gwyn Sullivan, Boiling Springs, NC		2	3	57	10	67	1		No	No	537.00
New Hope	R	1939	2-4	Gwyn Sullivan, Boiling Springs, NC		2	3	79	26	105	2	8	No	No	720.00
Oak Grove	R	1938	All	Thomas B. Flowe, Granite Falls, NC	3	3	15	108	44	152	1	40	Yes	Yes	2880.00
Piney Grove	R	1869		Bernard Tuttle, R5, Lenoir, NC	9		10	147	49	196	1		Yes	No	1496.23
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	All	N. R. Black, R3, Lenoir, NC	12	14	9	137	25	162	2	4	No	No	1640.00
Pisgah	R	1877	All	Bennie McDonald, Lenoir, NC		4	13	87	100	187	2	15	No	No	2200.75
Poovey's Chapel	R	1932	1-2	Horace Harris,211 Prospect, Lenoir, NC	7	8	6	173	3	176	2	15	No	No	2400.00
Poovey's Grove	R	1898	All	John F. Carter, R2, Granite Falls, NC	13	5	5	179	50	229	1		No	No	3120.00
Rhodhiss	V	1906	All	C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, NC	12	7	15	188	172	360	2	22	No	No	3900.00
Rocky Springs	R	1845	2	Homer Messer, R5, Lenoir, NC	3	4	2	96	38	134	1		No	No	605.00
Rufus	R	1940	1-3	J. H. Crisp, Lenoir, NC		2	4	71	14	85					480.00
Sardis	T	1831	All	K. E. Seepe, Hudson, NC	7	12	25	391	114	505	2		No	No	3600.00
Setzer Creek	R	1948	All	A. C. Moody, R8, Lenoir, NC	4	2	2	115	16	131	1	4	No	No	1200.00
Temple Hill	R	1946	All	H. C. Coffey, R6, Lenoir, NC	2	4	5	52	68	120	2	3	No	No	720.00
Union	R	1814	1-3		3	4	9	246	169	415	1	30	No	No	1363.00
Union Grove	R	1898	All	L. E. Snipes, R3, Lenoir, NC	36	11	5	377		377	3	21	No	No	2080.00
WHITNEL															
Central	V	1938	All	J. J. Buckner, Whitnel, NC	4	8	14	218	95	313	3	45	No	No	4370.00
Whitnel First	V	1910	All	James Holder, Whitnel, NC	9	9	9	148	83	231	2	45	Yes	No	3290.00
Winkler's Grove	R	1886	All	J. R. Holland, R5, Hickory, NC	26	7	4	357	119	476	2		No	No	4045.00
Worship Point	R	1946	2-4	Claude B. Suddreth, R4, Lenoir, NC	8	3	4	63	10	73	2	4	No	No	225.00
Yadkin	R	1791	All	Robert A. Frye, Patterson, NC	13	4	12	318	92	410	2	80	No	No	3510.00
Yadkin Valley,	R	1935	All	J. W. Ramsey, R5, Lenoir, NC			1	40	45	85	1	3	Yes	No	754.14
Zack's Fork	R	1951		Francis Prestwood, R1, Hudson, NC	11	10	8	57	8	65	2	10	No	No	960.00
				TOTALS	556	439	606	11,755	3373	15,128	94	1449			136,713.76

Table B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL–

CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers not Counted Classes And Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V. B. S.	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools
Baton	Mrs. Ed. Honeycutt, R2, Granite Falls, NC			13	11	16	6	3	14		3		66	37			Yes	1
Bethany	Jack Chandler, R8, Lenoir, NC			12		6		15	15		1		49	28				
Blairs Fork	J. A. Suddreth, R5, Lenoir, NC		6	10	7	19	13	16	50				121	79	52	45	No	
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Yadkin Valley, NC			12	12	18	10	10	12				74	44	50	45	No	1
Cedar Rock	C. F. Armes, R1, Lenoir, NC			8	12	9		5	16		2		52	45	28	26	No	
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, R1, Hudson, NC	20		51	29	43	33	73	27		2		278	152	107	88	No	
Clark's Chapel	Shea Puett, R3, Lenoir, NC			12	18	30	32	44	43		2		181	89			1	1
Conway's Chapel	R. A. Annas, R3, Morganton, NC			9		10		14	14		2		49	34			1	
Dudley Shoals	O. I. Smith, R1, Granite Falls, NC			16	28	27	24	69	48		4		216	156			No	
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Mortimer, NC			8		12	10		16		2		48	30			No	
Flemings Chapel	Foye Greene, R6, Lenoir, NC		8	20	25	33	28	50	65		2		231	170			Yes	
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, NC			10	5	10		20	15		2		62	40	40	32	No	
Grandview Park	Charles E. Melton, R6, Lenoir, NC			18	12	32	18	33	52		6		171	135			Yes	
Grandin	Ernest Hayes, R1, Lenoir, NC	3	5	8	3	16	13	7	33	3	11		102	35	27	24	Yes	1
GRANITE FALLS																		
Clover	H. H. McManus, R2, Granite Falls, NC	18	19	16	22	36	26	27	86		4		254	116			Yes	1
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls, NC	20	32	35	44	68	69	74	170	21	4		537	270	197	158	Yes	4
Granite Falls 1st	Baine M. Smith, Granite Falls, NC	10	37	41	54	72	79	43	191	10	6		543	243			Yes	2
Green Rock	Roy L. Woodring, Ferguson, NC		2		12	7			25		1		47	30			No	
Green Valley	James T. Philyaw, Collettsville, NC			20		8	20		20		2		70	50	34	29	No	
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, R1, Hudson, NC	4	25	26	38	46	33	45	100	6	2		325	196	143	134	Yes	1
Hartland	Oscar McCall, R6, Lenoir, NC			16	5	32	24	21	65				163	101	84	67	Yes	
Hibriten	C. D. Brackett, Jr., R2, Lenoir, NC			19	40	18	49		78		2		206	122				
High View	A. H. Hice, R1, Hudson, NC			10	8	16	12		31		2		79	60	42	35		
Johns River				8	9		4	6	13		2		42	30	17	15		
Joyceton	Rodney Setzer, R1, Lenoir, NC			17	10	11	12		26		2		78	60				1
Kings Creek	Clyde Coffey, Kings Creek, NC		18	18	16	40	44	19	89	13	2		259	156			Yes	
LENOIR																		
Calvary	Cecil Lindsay, Lenoir, NC			27	28	34	39	19	118		5		270	225	127	124	No	
College Avenue	B. B. Byers, R6, Lenoir, NC		135	74	100	164	140	114	380		9		1116	551	244	206	Yes	2
Lenoir First	Charles W. Johnson, Jr., Lenoir, NC	34	87	57	85	98	73	43	408	41	6		932	426	185	149	Yes	1
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, R1, Lenoir, NC	8	30	30	44	65	45	43	204	44	5		518	270	146	124	Yes	1

Temple Missionary	James E. Summerlin, R5, Lenoir, NC			11	5	5		9	16		2		48	44			No	
West Lenoir	Fidel Whittington, Lenoir, NC			30	27	55	27	31	65				235	144			Yes	
LongFord	Grady H. Sumpler, N Main St.,Lenoir, NC		4	9	15	19	30	25	66		3		171	107				
Lovelady	Walter Turnmyre, Granite Falls, NC			19	20	27	21	29	56		1		173	109			No	
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer, NC		11	8	8	12	9	8	19				75	35			No	
Miller Hill	Raylo Smith, R3, Lenoir, NC		34		16	35	27	19	67		2		200	119	72	68	No	
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Granite Falls, NC		23	34	38	63	56	32	167		4		417	245	206	164	Yes	2
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler, R8, Lenoir, NC			13	11	12	14	10	15				75	70	44	36	No	
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, R2, Granite Falls, NC	18	24	31	29	46	35	41	133	22	5		384	207	144	100	Yes	
Mountain View	Douglas T. Clark, R4, Lenoir, NC			8	10	10	10		16		2		56	45			No	
Mulvale	Jasper Moore, R4, Lenoir, NC			8		16	10	6	20		7		67	47	20		Yes	
Nelson's Chapel	Joe Dobbins, R8, Lenoir, NC			10	6	9	7	14	21		2		69	53	34	34	No	1
New Hope	George Crotts, R1, Lenoir, NC			19	13	19	18	13	41		2		125	72	69	66	No	
Oak Grove	Wayne Mitchem, Granite Falls, NC		16	17	14	25	16	10	61	9	6		174	95	95	79	Yes	2
Piney Grove	G. W. Sullivan, R5, Lenoir, NC	17	9	7	11	18	40	40	29		2		173	111	63	50	No	
Pleasant Hill	Thomas Land, R3, Lenoir, NC			15		15		20	28		2		80	65			No	
Pisgah				20		25		40	30		3		118	85	33	26		
Poovey's Chapel	Marvin Saunders, Hudson, NC	12		31	17	23	14	19	65		11		192	135			Yes	1
Poovey's Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, NC	6	26	23	21	34	30	20	70	26	4		260	135	107	89	Yes	1
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss, NC	11		20	31	43	54	12	90		3		264	121	84	63	Yes	1
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, R7, Lenoir, NC			24	12	16	18	12	45		2		129	80	39	36	No	
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, NC	15	16	32	36	44	53	37	143	41	7		424	195			Yes	3
Setzer Creek	Cecil Watson, R5, Lenoir, NC			20	9	16	7	13	33		2		100	85	36	35	No	
Temple Hill	James Reece, R1, Granite Falls, NC			22		21		17	43		2		105	50			No	
Union	George McLeod, R2, Lenoir, NC		15	21	24	42	27	43	80	25	2		279	125	101	95	Yes	1
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, R3, Lenoir, NC	7	18	20		50	34	60	136	14	3		342	212			Yes	1
WHITNEL																		
Central	A. J. Parson, Box 61, Lenoir, NC	24	18	28	26	47	39	64	69		9		324	202			No	
Whitnel First	James Conley, R3, Lenoir, NC			20	18	27	20	27	79	20	5		216	123	74	62	Yes	2
Winkler's Grove	Millard Benfield, R5, Hickory, NC			15	19	50	43	18	120		2		267	200	135	110	No	
Worship Point	Hubert Pritchard, R7, Lenoir, NC			25	15	15	20		48		2		125	80			Yes	
Yadkin	John T. Suddreth, Lenoir, NC	11	38	26	37	55	59	43	104	5	4		382	239	176	143	Yes	1
Yadkin Valley	Zack Clarke, R5, Lenoir, NC			8	5	7		6	16		9		51	35			Yes	
Zack's Fork	Grover St.John, R1, Lenoir, NC				10	12	14	8	12		2		58	40			Yes	
	Totals	238	656	1235	1180	1915	1618	1559	4461	300	205		13367	7630	2913	2496		32

Table C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT										
		Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Mission Enrolment	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Baton	Mrs. J. Carl Green, R2,Granite Falls,NC		4		7		7	8			26	22
Bethany	none											
Blairs Fork	none											
Buffalo Cove	none											
Cedar Rock	none											
Center Grove	Lone Bell Bolick, R1, Hudson, NC	9			15	29	12			3	68	41
Clark's Chapel	Bernard Stone, R9, Lenoir, NC			7	12	12	8	16		3	58	41
Conway's Chapel	none											
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austin, R1, Granite Falls, NC		15		10	18	12	25		2	85	33
Edgemont	none											
Flemings Chapel	Grady Pennell, R6, Lenoir, NC											
Globe	none											
Grandview Park	none											
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, R1, Lenoir, NC		8		12	9		16		1	46	31
GRANITE FALLS												
Clover	Mrs. H. H. McManus, R2,	10	7	8	25	16	17	38		3	124	78
Concord	Mrs. Jake Phillips, Granite Falls, NC	17	8	16	28	28	29	61		4	191	81
Granite Falls 1st	J. Wade Kincaid, Granite Falls, NC		11		22	24	12	16		4	89	50
Green Rock	none											
Green Valley	none											
Harris Chapel	R1, Hudson, NC	8		24	24	23	47	30		2	158	110
Hartland	Carl Clontz, R3, Morganton, NC		6		12	7		12		2	39	25
Hibriten	none											
High View	none											
Johns River	none											
Joyceton	none											
Kings Creek	Henry Poarch,317 Virginia St.,Lenoir,NC		6		25	18	14	20			83	45
LENOIR												
Calvary												
College Avenue	J. O. Stroud, Lenoir, N. C.	21	18	27	76	77	54	92		4	369	134
Lenoir First	Clarence A. Holden, Lenoir, NC		13	26	51	38	20	51		3	202	89

Lower Creek	Miss Betsy Ross Presnell, R2, Lenoir, NC		8	8	21	16	13	38		8	104	60
Temple Missionary	W. J. Mull, R3, Morganton, NC				7			14		3	24	20
West Lenoir	none											
Longford	Mrs. Ward Keys, R5, Lenoir, NC		7		17	16	13	32		4	89	56
Lovelady	Bill Greene, R1, Granite Falls, NC				10	8		18		2	38	18
Maple Grove	none											
Miller Hill	C. M. Triplett, R9, Lenoir, NC		5		18	7	12	18		2	62	
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith, R1, Hudson, NC	8	14	15	34	37	26	60		5	199	125
Mulberry	Arlow Greene, R8, Lenoir, NC	4	4	7	14	11		18		2	60	51
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Earl Rader, R2, Granite Falls, NC		7	8	10	15	8	40		4	92	64
Mountain View	none											
Mulvale	none											
Nelson's Chapel	none											
New Hope	none											
Oak Grove	Ralph Hilton, R5, Hickory, NC	6	11		7		15	13		3	54	23
Piney Grove	Mrs. Warren Holder, R5, Lenoir, NC			6	10	12	16	10		2	56	35
Pleasant Hill	none											
Pisgah	none											
Poovey's Chapel	Paul Witherspoon, Hudson, NC		19		10	20		13		2	64	45
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. J. D. Craig, R2, Granite Falls, NC		5	4	13	10	8	6		5	51	43
Rhodhiss	Miss Lois Smith, Rhodhiss, NC	16			13	13	8	6		5	61	50
Rocky Springs	none											
Rufus	none											
Sardis	Mrs. C. A. Smith, Hudson, NC			17	27	30	27	21		4	126	55
Setzer Creek	none											
Temple Hill	none											
Union	Ralph Lackey, R2, Lenoir, NC		8		21	24		27		2	82	36
Union Grove	Robert M. Smith, R3, Lenoir, NC		8	6	26	24	12	11		2	89	50
WHITNEL												
Central	Teddy Smith, Lenoir, NC		14	10	16	19		39		2	100	48
Whitnel First	Mildred Pennell, R3, Lenoir, NC		14		13	13	20	21		2	83	42
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. C. B. Barnes, 531-24th St, Hickory, NC			8	20	18	15			5	66	60
Worship Point	none											
Yadkin	Mrs. D. O. Taylor, R5, Lenoir, NC	12	6	12	29	36	18	47		6	166	100
Yadkin Valley	none											
Zack's Fork	none											
	Totals	111	226	209	655	628	443	837		100	3184	1761

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION–		W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled In Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Baton	Mrs. Carl Green, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1		1			2	7		8			15	11	15
Bethany	none														
Blairs Fork	Mrs. R. B. Holsclaw, Jr., R5, Lenoir, NC	1					1	21					21		
Buffalo Cove	none														
Cedar Rock	Mrs. W. A. Eichleberger, Wilkesboro, NC	1					1	10					10	7	
Center Grove,	Mrs. Melvin Lail, R1, Hudson, NC	1		1			2	18		19			37	30	14
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. Clyde Jenkins, R3, Lenoir, NC	1		2	1		4	18		26	7		51	16	8
Conway's Chapel	none														
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Fred G. Bowman, R1, Granite Falls, NC	1					1	29					29		
Edgemont	none														
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. D. S. Richards, R6, Lenoir, NC	1		1			2	27		20			47		6
Globe	none														
Grandview Park	Mrs. O. L. Benfield, R6, Lenoir, NC	2		2	1	1	6	22		26	12	8	68	24	7
Grandin	Mrs. E. F. Bentley, R1, Lenoir, NC	1					1	15					15	9	11
GRANITE FALLS															
Clover	Mrs. H. H. McManus, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1	1	2	2	1	7	41	6	15	20	18	100	83	74
Concord	Mrs. Ernest W. Moore, Granite Falls, NC	6	1	2	2	1	12	46	12	25	24	25	132	85	58
Granite Falls 1st	Mrs. C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls, NC	1	1	2	1	1	6	55	8	12	12	12	99	80	48
Green Rock	none														
Green Valley	none														
Harris Chapel	Mrs. R. A. Hartley, R1, Hudson, NC	3					3	42					42		30
Hartland	Mrs. Oscar McCall, R6, Lenoir, NC	1	1	1	1		4	23	16	14	22		75		
Hibriten		1					1	17					17	10	
High View	none														
Johns River	none														
Joyceton	none														
Kings Creek	Mrs. J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek. NC	1	1	2	2	1	7	16	4	30	23	12	85	75	12
LENOIR															
Calvary															
College Avenue	Mrs. Ira Pritchard, R6, Lenoir, NC	1	2	1		1	5	125	28	21		10	184		
Lenoir First	Mrs. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir, NC	9					9	200					200		
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, R1, Lenoir, NC	1	1	3	2	2	9	117	23	36	33	32	241	137	

Temple Missionary	none														
West Lenoir	Mrs. Frank Martin, R6, Lenoir, NC	1					1	21					21		
Longford	Mrs. Roy Kirby, R5, Lenoir, NC	1	1	1			3	20	17	11			48		
Lovelady	none														
Maple Grove	none														
Miller Hill	Mrs. Raylo Smith, R3, Lenoir, NC	1					1	25					25		15
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Albert Holden, R1, Hudson, NC	3	1	1	1		6	56	17	13	13		99	60	38
Mulberry	none														
Mountain Grove	Mrs. LeRoy Thomas, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1		1			2	12		18			30		10
Mountain View	Mrs. Cecil Chester, R4, Lenoir, NC	1					1	12					12		
Mulvale	Mrs. Paul Dalrymple, R4, Lenoir, NC	1					1	14					14		
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, R8, Lenoir, NC	1		1	1		3	12		8	9		29	25	
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour, R1, Lenoir, NC	1					1	24					24		
Oak Grove	Mrs. Alice Flowe, Granite Falls, NC	1					1	19					19	10	15
Piney Grove	none														
Pleasant Hill	none														
Pisgah	none														
Poovey's Chapel	Mrs. Olen Hartley, R1, Hudson, NC	1					1	24					24		
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Ray Starnes, Granite Falls, NC	2		2	1	1	6	27		25	8	10	70	30	28
Rhodhiss	Mrs. C. F. Kirby, Rhodhiss, NC	1		1			2	13		10			23	13	8
Rocky Springs	none														
Rufus	none														
Sardis	Mrs. K. E. Seepe, Hudson, NC	3	1	2		1	7	35	10	22		15	82	82	
Setzer Creek		1					1	12					12		
Temple Hill	none														
Union	Mrs. R. P. Shaver, R3, Lenoir, NC	1	1	1	1		4	25	12	12	25		74		30
Union Grove	Mrs. Eva Flowers, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1	1				2	10	14				24		
WHITNEL															
Central	Mrs. A. J. Parson, Box 61, Lenoir, NC	2	1	2		1	6	37	14	10		15	76		18
Whitnel First	Mrs. Drew Adkins, R9, Lenoir, NC	1					1	12					12	12	12
Winkler's Grove	Mrs. Louise Bowman, R5, Hickory, NC	1					1	12					12		
Worship Point	none														
Yadkin	Mrs. Robert A. Frye, Patterson, NC	3	1	2	2	1	9	42	10	28	19	20	119	193	67
Yadkin Valley	none														
Zack's Fork	Mrs. James Curtis, R1, Lenoir, NC	1					1	24					24		
	Totals	65	15	34	18	12	144	1337	191	409	227	177	2341	1022	618

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK–BUILDING–GOALS–CHURCH LIBRARY–CHURCH MUSIC–VISUAL EDUCATION–

CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	BROTHERHOOD		BUILDING			GOALS		CHURCH	CHURCH				VISUAL EDUCATION		
									LIBRARY	MUSIC						
										Choir Director						
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Cooperative Program Coming Year	Goal Association missions coming Year	Does your church have a library?	Full-time	Part-time	Salary	Volunteer	Number church ciculs	Film-strip Projector	Motion Picture Projector
Baton	none				12,500	5000			No				1	1	No	No
Bethany	none				1,000				No		1		1		No	No
Blairs Fork	none				25,000	1563			No				1	2	No	No
Buffalo Cove	none				10,500								1	1	No	No
Cedar Rock	none				3,500				No	1			1	1	No	No
Center Grove	Tom Calloway, R1, Hudson, NC	13	12		25,000	2985	60.00	51.00	No				1	1	No	No
Clark's Chapel	Carter Hendrix, R3, Lenoir, NC	15	14		40,000	12,231	100.00	75.00	No				1	1	No	No
Conway's Chapel	none				2,000				No				1		No	No
Dudley Shoals	none			13,000.	63,000	8883	560.00	100.00	No	1			1	1	No	No
Edgemont					2,500				No				1	1	No	No
Flemings Chapel	none				28,000	7412		100.00	No				1	1	No	Yes
Globe	none				1,000				No						No	No
Grandview Park	Carl Anderson, R6, Lenoir, NC	15	24		4,000		72.00	42.00	No				1	2	No	No
Grandin	none				6,000				Yes				1	1	No	No
GRANITE FALLS																
Clover	none			4,500.	35,000		500.00	80.00	Yes				1	1	Nc	No
Concord	none			6,000.	100,000	15,495			No				1	2	No	No
Granite Falls 1st	Glenn Mackie, Granite Falls, NC	35	12	8,000.	208,000	57,803			No		1	1300		2	No	No
Green Rock	none															
Green Valley	none				1,000				No						No	No
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, R1, Hudson, NC	19	5		61,000		150.00	120.00	Yes				1	3	No	No
Hartland	Robert Watson, R7, Lenoir, NC	18	12		50,000				No	1			1	1	No	No
Hibriten	none				5,000	1,210			No				1	1	No	No
High View	none				5,000				No						No	No
Johns River	none				2,500				No						No	No
Joyceton	none				4,000								1	1	No	No
Kings Creek	Claude Jones, R1, Lenoir, NC	18	24	5,000.	15,000		900.00	155.00	Yes	1			1	1	No	No
LENOIR																
Calvary	none				50,000				No				1	2	No	No
College Avenue	D. T. Bumgarner, Lenoir, NC	54	12	12,000.	265,000	4500	9100.00			1		4000		1	No	No
Lenoir First	none			50,000.	490,000	17,500	13,000	660,00	Yes	1		2820		4	No	No

Lower Creek	Walter Hart, R2, Lenoir, NC	25	10	1,200.	150,000		8000.00	360.00	Yes	1		300		1	No	Yes
Temple Missionary	none				5,000	1235	25.00	15.00	No				1	1	No	No
West Lenoir	none				20,000	5697			No				1	1	No	No
Longford	none			6,850.	15,200	1678	150.00	63.50	No	1			1	1	No	No
Lovelady	James Mull, R1, Granite Falls, NC	27	12	6,000.	15,000	2937			No	1			1	1	No	No
Maple Grove	none															
Miller Hill	none					13,897	52.00	36.00	No	1			1	1	No	No
Mt. Zion	none			3,500.	53,500	5253	1437.00	250.00	Yes				1	1	No	No
Mulberry	none				2,000		36,00	24.00	No				1		No	No
Mountain Grove	none			7,500.	88,000	25,000	150.00	60.00	Yes				1	2	No	No
Mountain View	none				4,500	1259		25.00	No				1	1	No	No
Mulvale	none			5,000.	9,500	4500			No				1	1		
Nelson's Chapel	none				5,000				Yes	1			1	1	No	No
New Hope	none				8,000	1300			No				1	1	No	No
Oak Grove	Wayne Mitchum, Granite Falls, NC	18	3	6,000.	18,000	11,385			No				1	1	No	No
Piney Grove	none				26,000	1000			Yes				1	1	No	No
Pleasant Hill	none				5,500				No				1	1	No	No
Pisgah	none															
Poovey's Chapel	none				10,000		25.00	25.00	No				1	1	No	No
Poovey's Grove	none			4,000.	44,000	6000							1	1	No	No
Rhodhiss	none				30,000				No	1			1	1	No	No
Rocky Springs	none				4,500				No				1	1	No	No
Rufus	none				2,000				No				1	1	No	No
Sardis	O. L. Phillips, Hudson, NC	47	7	7,500.	130,000	10,500	1500.00	180.00	No							
Setzer Creek	none				8,000								1	1	No	No
Temple Hill	none				1,000				No				1		No	No
Union	R. M. Teague, R2, Lenoir, NC				21,000		120.00	72.00	No				1	1	No	No
Union Grove	J. B. Myers, R3, Lenoir, NC	17	4	7,500.	50,000				No				1	1	No	No
WHITNEL																
Central	W. V. Covington, R9, Lenoir, NC	18	15	7,000.	51,500	6789		150.00	No				1	1	No	No
Whitnel First	Drew Atkins, R9, Lenoir, NC	13	12	10,000.	32,000		624.00		Yes				1	1	No	No
Winkler's Grove	none				50,000				No				1	1	No	No
Worship Point	none				6,000	1205			No				1	1	No	No
Yadkin	none			5,000.	50,000	6534	520.00	159.00	No				1	1	No	No
Yadkin Valley	none								No				1	1	No	No
Zack's Fork	none				5,450	1310			No				1	1	No	No
	Totals	352	178	17280.50	2,436,150		37,081.	2833.50				8420				

Table F CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES–		All Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Baton	C.B.Bollinger,R2,GraniteFalls,NC	3646.59			6890.86						6890.86	1430.00	8320.86
Bethany	Harley Green,R8, Lenoir, NC	422.48	65.03			18.97					84.00	338.48	422.48
Blair's Fork	Mrs.R.B.Holsclaw,Jr.,R5,Lenoir,NC	18750.91	208.00	187.50	14587.00	96.83	37.50	73.26	360.00	521.30	16071.39	2180.00	18251.39
Buffalo Cove	Mrs.FredHawkins, Ferguson,NC	13109.13		98.45	10430.46	63.63	5.00	6.50		2045.00	12649.04	411.65	13060.69
Cedar Rock	Odell Brookshire, R1,Lenoir,NC	1434.71				99.15	17.02	55.00	180.00	37.65	388.82	335.94	724.76
Center Grove	Mrs.R.H.Parsons,R1,Hudson,NC	8614.68	240.00	302.59	850.73	273.85	224.32	359.00	1125.00	850.94	4226.43	2290.00	6516.43
Clark's Chapel	Mrs. George Craig,R9,Lenoir,NC	6743.49		42.10	1790.64	254.31	93.79	318.63	1200.00	294.57	3994.04	1820.00	5814.04
Conway's Chapel	Mrs.D.D.Braswell, R6, Lenoir,NC	2319.70			1500.00	45.00				32.00	1577.00	728.50	2305.50
Dudley Shoals	Clifton Sigmon,R1,Granite Falls,NC	8148.56	480.00	250.00	2851.81	203.52	85.10	37.00	3176.78		7084.21	2230.00	9314.21
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, NC	723.62		12.00		27.10	13.00	79.37		42.55	174.02	397.72	571.74
Flemings Chapel	Miss Nadine Greene,R6,Lenoir,NC	13059.46		321.00	7500.00	214.66	159.30	154.00	1200.00	513.23	10062.19	2650.00	12712.19
Globe	R. C. Cooke, R8, Lenoir,NC.	499.51				81.06		135.48		41.49	258.03	206.76	464.79
Grandview Park	Mrs.Faye Watson,R6,Lenoir, NC	4890.90	260.00	32.00	40.00	116.65	147.25	125.00		750.00	1470.90	1820.00	3290.90
Grandin	W. L. Lackey, R1, Lenoir, NC.	4114.25	56.00	690.00	1609.72	123.95	42.35	60.00	60.00	149.16	2791.18	1050.00	3841.18
GRANITE FALLS													
Clover	Loy Propst, Granite Falls, NC	9302.63	255.00	34.95	2657.23	691.00	248.99	759.00	945.00	579.81	6170.98	3380.00	9550.98
Concord	Nelson Clay, Granite Falls, NC	20909.75	1980.00	1043.73	342.80	2118.44	537.10	337.00	2550.00	2092.51	11001.58	4770.00	15771.58
Granite Falls 1st	J. D. Milstead, Granite Falls, NC	39497.78	2048.75	494.17	15583.02	1275.48	49.59	569.00	5174.48	3760.50	28954.99	4680.00	33634.99
Green Rock	Hartley H.Conley,R5, Lenoir, NC	301.16		12.00		20.43		95.15		26.33	153.91	132.25	286.16
Green Valley	B. B.Greene, Collettsville, NC	593.58				43.06	73.70	52.25		22.97	191.98	278.98	470.96
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, R1, Hudson, NC	17238.07	232.00	550.35		635.70	1418.54	130.00	5123.36	1364.00	9453.95	3200.00	12653.95
Hartland	Robert Watson, R7, Lenoir, NC	5544.69	364.00	58.00		189.89	349.89	179.57	1920.00	218.03	3279.08	1820.00	5099.08
Hibriten	L. E. Winebarger, R9, Lenoir,NC	3640.33	66.00	281.23		209.32	90.91	100.00	963.00	597.28	2307.74	1016.02	3323.76
High View	W.R.Bumgarner, R1,Hudson,NC	1662.44	120.00			43.29	97.73	26.65	286.13	340.46	914.26	514.20	1428.46
Johns River	R. C. Estes, R8, Lenoir, NC	470.41		21.50		23.67	63.65				108.82	317.77	426.59
Joyceton	Mrs. Carl Triplett, R9,Lenoir, NC	2926.70		5.00	90.00	79.25	325.00	50.00	442.00	185.31	1176.56	1518.00	2694.56
Kings Creek	Louis Land, Kings Creek, NC	6391.81	260.00	385.80		506.42	103.26	465.00		381.27	2101.75	2018.70	4120.45
LENOIR													
Calvary	W. N. Crump, Lenoir, NC	10672.80	315.00	520.38	134.75	381.97	659.02	330.00	2320.00	2060.91	6722.03	3740.00	10462.03
College Avenue	Vaughn Summerlin,R6,Lenoir,NC	55192.95	8114.84	3197.74	13815.73	3080.42	442.03	836.52	13500.00	4130.01	47117.29	5400.00	52517.29
Lenoir First	R.Carter Powell, Lenoir,NC	68267.80	9433.75	5220.97	2114.67	3873.47	1048.12	701.07	11500.00	5375.96	39268.01	6400.00	45668.01
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, R9,Lenoir,NC	22711.46	1600.00	1833.88		946.86	340.85	381.75		1639.86	6743.20	4420.00	11163.20

, Temple Missionary	Mrs. D.D.Green,Wilson St.,Lenoir,NC	2239.05		40.00		64.45	115.53	74.48	360.00	157.73	812.19	1299.00	2111.19
West Lenoir	G. W. Walker, Lenoir, NC	5347.56	120.00	183.76	1692.00	157.84		85.00	840.00	552.50	3631.10	1300.00	4931.10
Long Ford	Collis H. Coffey,R5,Lenoir, NC	7920.35	160.00	490.79		147.85	287.16	275.17	2500.00	433.10	4294.07	3176.25	7470.32
Lovelady	Miss Gladys Starnes,Granite Falls,NC	5650.21	96.00	42.40		196.69		320.00	720.00	1100.54	2475.63	2520.00	4995.63
Maple Grove	Mrs. Lottie Beane, Mortimer, NC	262.74				27.47		106.38			133.85	128.89	262.74
Miller Hill	Mrs.R.A.Greene, R9, Lenoir, NC	6220.17		404.65	1039.96	240.11		135.06	1740.00	685.20	4244.98	1560.00	5804.98
Mt. Zion	Albert J. Barker, R1, Lenoir,NC	19101.97	2745.50	464.16	1209.88	1040.27	233.43	400.00	6579.00	836.17	13508.41	3380.00	16888.41
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, R8, Lenoir, NC	944.52	36.00			51.00		56.00	150.00	50.00	350.00	450.00	800.00
Mountain Grove	Allen Hamby, R2,Granite Falls, NC	15422.40		549.74		538.58	546.58	300.00	8591.78	577.86	11104.54	3380.00	14484.54
Mountain View	Bobby Philyaw, R1, Lenoir, NC	1719.00	52.00			40.00	65.00	76.45	390.00	176.96	800.41	850.00	1650.41
Mulvale	Mrs. T. J. Moore, R4, Lenoir,NC	2762.19	145.00	55.10	723.00	73.50	36.17	105.00		157.23	1295.00	1328.00	2623.00
Nelson's Chapel	Mrs. R. M. Miller,R8, Lenoir, NC	2459.87		127.45	18.00	89.75	255.00	124.38		70.80	685.38	536.98	1222.36
New Hope	Mrs. C. P. McGee, R1,Lenoir, NC	8601.00		50.00	5000.00	94.40	75.00	100.00	3700.00	50.00	9069.40	720.00	9789.40
Oak Grove	Charles Poovey, Granite Falls, NC	6669.00	55.00	87.36	704.02	217.48		75.00	1288.50	3400.00	5827.36	2880.00	8707.36
Piney Grove	Mrs. M. G. Sullivan,R3, Lenoir,NC	4995.18	260.00	96.10		199.54	130.70	44.68	1100.00	1121.99	2953.01	1496.23	4449.24
Pleasant Hill	Thomas Edge, R3, Lenoir, NC	2958.66	60.00		83.65	85.75	30.00	218.46	90.00	181.10	748.96	1640.00	2388.96
Pisgah	John Pope, R7, Lenoir, NC	3719.31		60.00	5000.00	82.20	75.00	168.00	360.00	118.74	5863.94	2200.75	8064.69
Poovey's Chapel	E. C. Austin, R1, Hudson,NC	5804.51	180.00	60.66	769.20	230.25	513.36	129.52		169.89	2052.88	2400.00	4452.88
Poovey's Grove	H. J. Starnes, R2,Granite Falls,NC	10875.65	672.00	477.35	125.00	513.56	62.58	100.00	3952.50	355.70	6258.69	3120.00	9378.69
Rhodhiss	Boyd Brown, Rhodhiss, NC	7906.21		949.43		400.19	155.80	150.00		43.70	1699.12	3900.00	5599.12
Rocky Springs	Mrs. Lois Tolbert,Collettsville,NC	2117.03	220.00	470.38		93.56	85.40	137.61		219.53	1226.48	605.00	1831.48
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, R8, Lenoir,NC	1027.71		48.00		39.84				59.20	147.04	480.00	627.04
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, NC	21533.45	1584.75	1658.95	4966.25	1220.74	419.67	360.00	5500.00	1945.44	17655.80	3600.00	21255.80
Setzer Creek	T. R. Gentry, R5, Lenoir, NC	3720.11	110.00	100.00		156.63	199.61	315.39	1188.39	96.00	2166.02	1162.00	3328.02
Temple Hill	James E. Sweet, R1,Granite Falls,NC	1636.33				38.58		221.62	30.00	125.65	415.85	560.00	975.85
Union	Ralph McRary, R2, Lenoir, NC	7734.00	490.00	805.00		335.33	280.50	105.00		375.04	2390.87	1363.00	3753.87
Union Grove	J. B. Myers, R3, Lenoir, NC	9636.74	480.00	145.37	10543.82	220.43	266.93	361.58	1200.00	578.63	13796.76	2080.00	15876.76
WHITNEL													
Central	Jake Roberts, Whitnel, NC	13327.18	520.00	2734.48	318.40	541.06	1122.23	378.11	1800.00	252.31	7666.59	4370.00	12036.59
Whitnel First	Howard Swanson, R9, Lenoir, NC	9533.85	615.00	253.18	631.00	469.06	65.00	275.00	2590.00	1153.94	6052.18	3290.00	9342.18
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, R5, Hickory, NC	14589.73	600.00	300.00	3500.00	275.00	900.00	250.00	4800.00	3964.73	14589.73	4045.00	18634.73
Worship Point	Mrs. Kate Holton, R8,Lenoir, NC	3886.96		60.75	2000.00	112.16	100.00	66.21	794.98	427.86	3561.96	225.00	3786.96
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, R5, Lenoir,NC	17905.32	676.00	729.34	1200.00	579.50	300.00	303.50	9900.00	837.96	14526.30	3510.00	18036.30
Yadkin Valley	Don R. Watson,R5, Lenoir, NC	1226.65	60.00			70.08		100.00		189.79	419.87	754.14	1174.01
Zack's Fork	John R. Whisnant, R1, Lenoir,NC	3732.67	120.00	101.25	623.33	96.99	199.55	125.00	638.28	64.04	1968.44	960.00	2928.44
	TOTALS	581343.01	36155.62	27140.99	122936.93	24477.19	13192.91	12458.80	112829.18	48589.43	397781.05	126765.21	524546.26

Table G GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.–

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes
Baton	Mrs. C. B. Bollinger, R2, Granite Falls, NC	349.80	18.00			31.00		85.00			483.80	8804.66
Bethany	Earl Duncan, R2, Lenoir, NC											
Blair's Fork	R. B. Holtzclaw, Jr., R5, Lenoir, NC	47.58	63.49	6.65	19.62	30.92	68.74	220.93	42.86		500.79	18750.91
Buffalo Cove	J. Bernard Hawkins, Ferguson, NC	9.62	14.73					14.40	9.69		48.44	13109.13
Cedar Rock	A. Y. Jackson, R1, Lenoir, NC	3.32	17.50			12.00	15.00	15.00	25.00	21.91	109.73	1434.71
Center Grove	R. L. McRary, R2, Granite Falls, NC	40.60	51.00	65.10	10.00	50.13	52.00	199.33	40.00	20.00	528.16	7044.59
Clark's Chapel	Toye Clark, R3, Lenoir, NC		40.00	28.00	25.95	36.00	13.00	23.00	30.90	72.19	269.04	6085.88
Conway's Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, R6, Lenoir, NC		4.20					10.00			14.20	2319.70
Dudley Shoals	Talley Reed, R1, Lenoir, NC	416.00	104.38	8.00	8.90	20.00		208.00	35.00	34.00	834.28	10148.49
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, NC			10.00	5.00				17.00		32.00	603.74
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Richards, R6, Lenoir, NC		100.00	20.00	15.81	16.77		60.00	59.69	75.00	347.27	13059.46
Globe	Mrs. R. C. Cook, R8, Lenoir, NC			6.94				9.00		18.78	34.72	499.51
Grandview Park	Robert J. Houck, R1, Lenoir, NC	72.00	42.00	8.07	4.00	5.00	8.07	153.00	21.40	35.00	348.54	3637.44
Grandin	Ernest Hayes, R1, Lenoir, NC	19.10		42.80	16.00	56.10		50.76	37.24	51.07	273.07	4114.25
GRANITE FALLS												
Clover	Fred Estes, Granite Falls, NC	470.39	77.10	25.99	66.58	126.41	16.95	63.32	65.32	135.12	1047.18	10598.16
Concord	Miss Faye Moore, Granite Falls, NC	3224.47	292.63	98.04	38.62	186.79	300.00	570.92	41.41	15.60	4768.48	20678.45
Granite Falls 1st	Willard C. Hendrix, Granite Falls, NC	1905.00	291.48	222.18	253.10	323.68	43.35	560.00	100.00	160.00	3858.79	37493.78
Green Rock	Ginelle Conley, R4, Lenoir, NC		15.00								15.00	301.16
Green Valley	B. B. Green, Collettsville, NC	21.60	4.46					22.75	12.50		61.31	532.27
Harris Chapel	Lewis Annas, R1, Hudson, NC	74.00	98.00	43.32	51.96			113.00	90.00		470.28	13124.23
Hartland	James T. Sanders, R3, Morganton, NC	87.00	100.00	13.00	35.50	45.63	14.25	50.00	30.00		375.38	5474.46
Hibriten	Leo Setzer, R2, Granite Falls, NC	35.00	42.00					12.00	25.00	21.70	135.70	3459.46
High View	H. M. McLean, R2, Granite Falls, NC	6.31	10.00	5.00	8.95	8.40		22.50	20.00	20.00	101.16	1529.62
John's River	C. Everette Crump, Upton, NC	6.50					5.00				11.50	438.09
Joyceton	Billy Walker, R9, Lenoir, NC	60.00	13.00				15.00	20.00			108.00	2802.56
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlow. Jr., Kings Creek, NC	900.00	155.00	16.84	37.00	117.50	37.33	312.88	124.88	64.00	1765.43	5885.88
LENOIR	-											
Calvary	Miss Helen Borders, R9, Lenoir, NC	137.14			5.00	19.20		138.95	100.00	164.41	564.70	11026.73
College Avenue		9100.20	508.00	130.00	50.00	1038.43	335.00	541.63	200.00	494.96	12398.22	64915.51
Lenoir First	Dr. J. F. Reece, Lenoir, NC	13646,59	687.71	177.50	154.36	802.21	3250.00	800.75	932.35	916.37	21367.84	67035.85
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, R5, Lenoir, NC	7322.42	331.55	124.44	139.58	761.83	280.05	1056.37	260.48	980.66	11257.38	22420.58

Temple Missionary	Mrs. w. C. Harless, R5, Lenoir, NC	8.00	15.00					16.00		18.00	57.00	2168.19
West Lenoir	Bruce Holman, R6, Lenoir, NC	18.00	30.00	12.50	10.00	8.00		73.10	60.00		211.60	5142.30
Longford	Oliver Nelson, R4, Lenoir, NC	100.00	118.03	50.00				60.00	60.00	62.00	450.03	7920.35
Lovelady	Miss Alma Starnes, R1, Granite Falls,NC			83.35	165.81	152.20		19.80	23,50		444.66	5440.29
Maple Grove	Agnes Coffey, Mortimer, NC											
Miller Hill	Dorie Mikeal, R3, Lenoir, NC	59.02	56.02	3.00	9.25	12.50		22.44	30.50	62.40	255.13	6058.11
Mt. Zion	Atlas J. Icard, R1, Hudson, NC	1437.00	246.94	227.99	170.93	557.37		340.00	101.21		3081.44	19969.85
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, R8, Lenoir, NC	36.00	33.46					50.87	24.19		144.52	944.52
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlet, R2, Granite Falls, NC	150.00	60.00				150.00	170.00	35.25	10.00	575.25	15059.79
Mountain View	Mrs. Bobby Philyaw, R4, Lenoir, NC		25.00		2.00	5.00			15.00		47.00	1692.41
Mulvale	B. C. Estes, R4, Lenoir, NC		53.75		24.00	15.50		40.00	7.00		140.25	2763.25
Nelson's Chapel	R. M. Miller, R8, Lenoir, NC	506.06	84.00	25.00	25.00	42.00	15.00	139.32	39.30		875.68	2098.04
New Hope	Albert B. Icenhour, R1, Lenoir, NC	25.00	20.00					34.60	12.00	20.00	111.60	9901.00
Oak Grove	Mrs. John E. Bumgarner, Granite Falls,NC	180.05							22.58	31.82	234.45	8942.56
Piney Grove	Mrs. Charlie Winkler, R5, Lenoir, NC	7.16	75.00	25.00			104.37	217.90	87.51		516.94	4966.18
Pleasant Hill	Dean Harrold, Hudson, NC		10.00		29.50			33.50	15.00	343.33	431.33	2760.29
Pisgah	G. T. Greene, R4, Lenoir, NC					50.00		25.00	25.00		100.00	8164.49
Poovey's Chapel	J. S. Sigmon, R1, Hudson, NC	25.00	25.00	30.00	60.00	40.00		352.49	54.32	180.10	766.91	5219.79
Poovey's Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, NC	755.40	85.46	22.50	42.17	68.03	48.00	72.20	35.61		1129.37	10508.06
Rhodhiss	Miss Virginia Jones, Rhodhiss, NC	830.00	134.24		26.00	27.00		129.01	133.84		1280.09	6879.21
Rocky Springs	Mrs. Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, NC	5.55	143.00		24.00			76.00	37.00		285.55	2117.03
Rufus	W. B. Greene, R8, Lenoir, NC							86.00	15.00	17.00	118.00	745.04
Sardis	C. A. Keller, R1, Hudson, NC	1058.72	149.25	105.61	84.01	149.36		330.38	105.70	343.73	2326.76	23582.56
Setzer Creek	Mrs. T. R. Gentry, R5, Lenoir, NC	4.38	30.00	10.00		15.00		25.00	10.00		94.38	3422.40
Temple Hill	James E. Sweet, R1, Granite Falls, NC		30.00			30.00		12.20	26.00		98.20	1074.05
Union	W. T. Land, R2, Lenoir, NC	79.63	92.50	133.35	131.00	242.00	120.00	460.05	78.50		1337.03	5094.90
Union Grove	Stacy R. Davis, R3, Lenoir, NC	305.02	119.30	56.86				52.00		317.80	850.98	16727.74
WHITNEL												
Central	Glenn E. McCall, R9, Lenoir, NC	558.70	174.00	52.59	16.00	26.10	108.07	116.07	37.89	60.00	1149.42	13186.01
Whitnel First	E. N. Braswell, R9, Lenoir, NC	290.00	60.00			4.00		170.06	50.00	85.35	659.41	10001.59
Winkler's Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, R5, Hickory, NC	50.00	50.00			25.00		59.00	51.45	50.00	285.45	18920.18
Worship Point	Pauline Spicer, R6, Lenoir, NC	25.00		25.00	5.00	5.00		40.00			100.00	3886.96
Yadkin	Riley Todd, R8, Lenoir, NC	362.00	512.85	70.00	128.46	130.00		85.00	75.00	270.40	1633.71	19670.01
Yadkin Valley	Arnie R. Woods, R8, Lenoir, NC						20.91		10.68	21.05	52.64	1226.65
Zack's Fork	Mrs. C. A. Stokes, R1, Lenoir, NC		27.00	40.25	19.52	21.25	5.60	27.75	2.81		144.18	3072.62
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1954 MINUTES DEDICATED TO



ELIZABETH CAMPBELL
ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY 1944 - 1945

Elizabeth Campbell was born in Chesterfield, Illinois, January 22, 1915. Her family moved to Taylorsville in 1925 and to Hickory in 1926 where she completed high school work. She attended Mars Hill College 1932-1934, and was active in College Campus life, majoring in literary work.

During the period following her college days (1934-1942), Miss Campbell was active in the work of South Fork Baptist Association. She served there as Y. W. A. president and Training Union Director. This was done while employed in office work in Hickory.

In 1942-1944 attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, taking an active part in student work.

In 1944 Miss Elizabeth Campbell joined Caldwell Baptists as our Associational Missionary. Today she celebrates ten years of faithful ministry in our midst.

It would be impossible to indicate with accuracy all of the advances and achievements which are the direct results of her service. Her influence has been felt everywhere and in all things. These have been ten years of marked progress, and today Caldwell Baptists can say we are experiencing our highest hours.

Today we congratulate ourselves on the good fortune of having Miss Campbell as our Missionary. We commend her for her faithfulness and patience. We wish for ourselves and her many more fruitful years together. We pray God's continued blessings upon her and her home.

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CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

September 23, 1954

COLLEGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

	J. Malcom Laxton	Moderator
	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Clerk
	Blaine H. Grose	Chorister
9:30	Praise and Prayer	W. W. Jones
9:40	Organization; Presentation of Program, Recognition of New Pastors and Visitors, Naming of Committees.	
10:05	Reports of Associational Officers	
	Sunday School	
	Training Union	M. O. Owens, Jr.
	Woman's Missionary Union	Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt
	Brotherhood	A. J. Parsons
10:25	Highlights From Our Missionary	Miss Elizabeth Campbell
10:55	Congregational Hymn	
11:00	Our Associational Program	Ernest Moore
11:05	Report of Our Treasurer	A. W. Dodge
	Next Year's Budget	Finance Committee
11:25	Executive Committee's Report	Frank L. Smith, Sr.
11:30	Music	
11:35	Worship Hour	K. E. Seepe
12:00	Lunch	
1:00	Praise and Prayer	W. L. Sorrells
1:05	Ministering to the Orphans	G. G. Steele
	Discussion	Marse Grant
1:25	Ministering to the Aged	James M. Hayes
1:40	Ministers' Retirement	T. A. Shepherd
1:55	Christian Education	J. Louis Price
	Discussion	Ben Fisher
2:25	Religious Literature	Fred Cline
	Discussion	C. W. Bazemore
2:40	Statistical Report	Ed Beach
2:50	Report of Special Committee	Robert A. Frye
3:00	Miscellaneous Business	
3:05	Congregational Hymn	
3:10	Report on Temperance and Public Morals	H. B. Anderson
3:30	Adjournment	

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, GRANITE FALLS

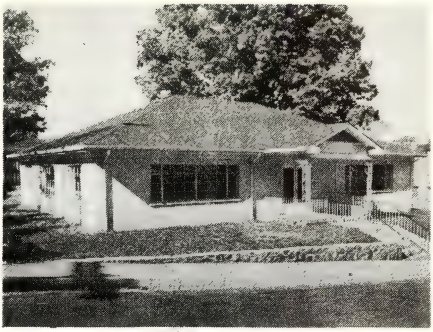
9:45	Praise and Prayer	Paul Morrow
9:50	Miscellaneous Business; Announcements	
10:00	Spiritual Growth of North Carolina Baptists	Earl Bradley
10:35	In Memoriam	J. A. Boldin
10:40	Ministering to the Sick	W. R. Moss
	Discussion	Dr. W. K. McGee
11:00	Our Mission Areas	
	State	E. C. McCall
	Home	Ernest Moore
	Worldwide	Mrs. W. Walter Jones
11:25	Congregational Hymn	
11:30	Missionary Message	Edwin B. Dozier
12:00	Lunch	
1:00	Praise and Prayer	C. R. McFelea
1:05	Report on Evangelism	Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
	Discussion	Dr. J. C. Canipe
1:35	Report of Committees	
	Trustees of Ridgecrest Property	E. E. Stafford
	Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers	J. Edd Crump
	Nominating Committee	Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
1:55	Report on Stewardship	W. Walter Jones
2:00	Historian	Greene B. Thompson
2:05	Report of Committees	
	Place and Preacher	
	Resolutions	
2:15	Installation of Officers	
2:20	Congregational Hymn	
2:25	Message	Roger Williams
2:50	Adjournment	



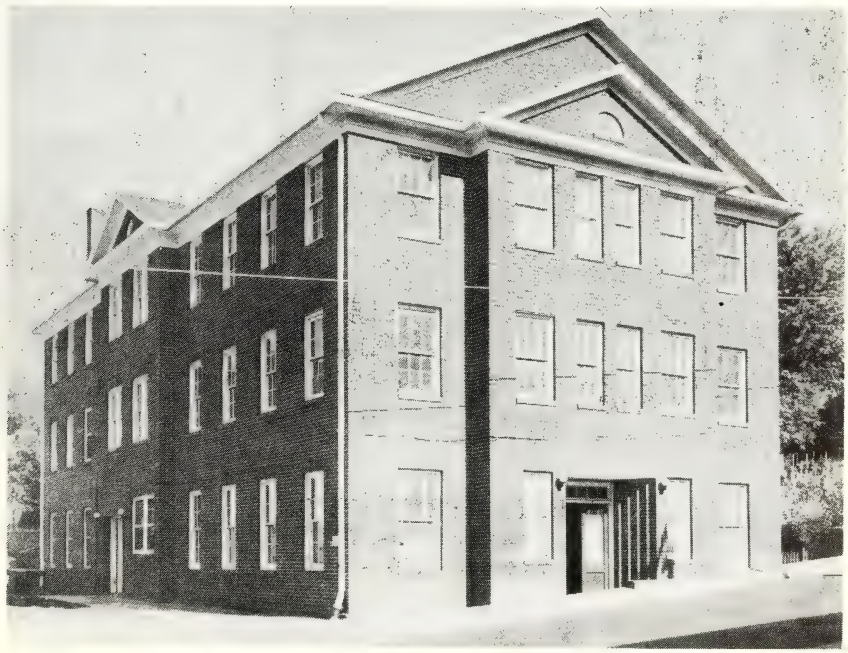
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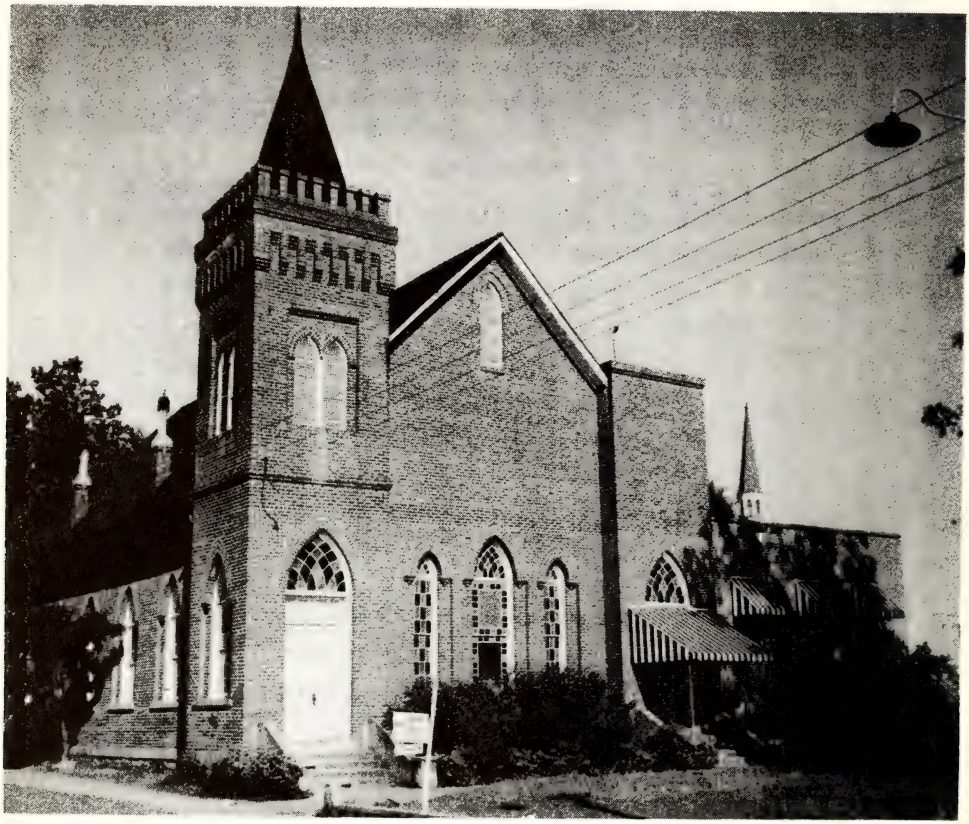
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Granite Falls, N. C.
Erected 1907 - 1927



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Granite Falls, N. C.
Erected 1953

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Address	College
Wayne Sorrells	Flemings Chapel	Carson-Newman
Paul Sorrells	Flemings Chapel	Gardner-Webb
Billy Kent	Grandview Park	Gardner-Webb
Jack Coffey	Granite Falls (1st Church)	Duke Divinity School
Rodney B. Setzer	Joyceton	Gardner-Webb
Bruce Cresson	College Avenue	Southeastern Sem.
		Wake Forest
Joe Richards	Oak Grove	Gardner-Webb
Dale Ira Hart	Pooveys Chapel	Lenoir Rhyne
J. D. Craig	Pooveys Grove	Le Tourneau Tech.
Robert Chester	Union Baptist	Wake Forest
Wayne Pennell	Whitnel First	Wake Forest

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Paul Braswell	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel
Clyde Conley	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel
D. L. Snyder	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandview Park
Billy Kent	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandview Park
Rodney B. Setzer	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Joyceton
Dale Ira Hart	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel
Marvin Saunders	Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel
J. D. Craig	Granite Falls, N. C.	Pooveys Grove
Hubert Pritchard	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Jack Coffey	Henderson, N. C.	Granite Falls (1st Church)
Bruce Cresson	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue
Billy Kimberlin	State Road, N. C.	Mountain Grove
Jacob I. Hart	Rt. 1, Hudson. N. C.	Pooveys Chapel
Claude Huffman	Rt. 3, Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove
Joe Rhodes	Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove
Ashley Gragg	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove
Henkle Little	Stoney Point, N. C.	Winklers Grove
Claude B. Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point

OFFICERS

J. Malcolm Laxton, Moderator ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
Rev. James Holder, Vice-Moderator ---------- Whitnel, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Clerk ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Ed. Beach, Treasurer ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
M. C. Estes Historian, ---------- Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
George Hollar, Sunday School Superintendent ---- Granite Falls, N. C.
Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Training Union Director ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, W.M.U. Supt. ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Supt. Evangelism ---------- Lenoir, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

J. Malcolm Laxton, Chairman ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Secretary ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
James Holder ---------- Whitnel, N. C.
Miss Elizabeth Campbell ---------- Lenoir, N. C.

As provided in the constitution, each active pastor in the association and one lay-member from each church in addition to the above named officers comprise this committee. A list of lay-members may be found elsewhere in the minutes. See index.

COMMITTEE TO MAKE REPORTS IN 1955

Allied Church League, Ed Crump ---------- Hudson, N. C.
Brotherhood, Cade Shaver ---------- Hudson, N. C.
Christian Education, C. B. Bobbitt ---------- Rhodhiss, N. C.
Foreign Missions, Mrs. Fred Cline ---------- Granite Falls, N. C.
Home for Aging, Mrs. George Wynne ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Hospital, Earl Pearson ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
Home Missions, Mrs. L. M. Abernathy ---------- Granite Falls, N. C.
Obituaries, Mrs. C. A. Bowman ---------- Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Orphanage, George Steele ---------- Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Relief and Annuity, W. W. Jones ---------- Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Rel. Lit. & Biblical Rec., Donald Smith ------ Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
State Missions, A. Lee Pearson ---------- Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Statistician, B. B. Byers ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Stewardship, George Hollar ---------- Granite Falls, N. C.

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY

H. B. Anderson, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1955
B. F. Williams, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1956
Walter Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1957
J. F. Reece, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1958
E. E. Stafford, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1959

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Ed. Beach, Chairman ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
J. Malcolm Laxton ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
James Holder ---------- Whitnel, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr. ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
Robert Frye ---------- Patterson, N. C.
Don Peek ---------- Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Ben Sullivan ---------- Hudson, N. C.
Clarence Prestwood ---------- Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Floyd Kirby ---------- Rhodhiss, N. C.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

K. E. Seepe, Hudson, N. C. ---------- 1955
M. O. Owens, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1956
Ernest Moore, Granite Falls, N. C. ---------- 1957
Luther Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1958
J. Lewis Price, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C. ---------- 1959

MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

BATON — Mrs. Ruth Amik, Mrs. Faye McDade.

BETHANY — Jack Chandley, Lawrence L. Harmon, Bert Hartley.

BLAIRS FORK — Rev. L. R. Davis, Mrs. L. R. Davis, Mrs. Virgie Walker.

BUFFALO COVE — Mrs. Percy Bumgarner, Mrs. Mabel Hawkins, Mrs. Granville Robbins.

CEDAR ROCK — Mrs. W. C. Harless, Mrs. S. F. Carrton, Mrs. G. H. Carrell.

CENTER GROVE — Mrs. Lula Lowdermilk, Mrs. Lissie Mitchen, Mrs. Paul Morrow, Mr. J. M. Edwards, Mr. P. L. McRary.

CLARKS CHAPEL — W. R. Stone, Mrs. W. R. Stone, H. C. Walker, B. A. Cooke, Mrs. Fannie Triplett.

CONWAYS CHAPEL — Mrs. J. C. Braswell, Roy Branch.

DUDLEY SHOALS — O. L. Smith, S. L. Reed, Mrs. Conley Starnes, Sr.

EDGEMONT BAPTIST — William Vines, Clyde Coffey, Kalene Killiam.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL — Mrs. D. S. Reichard, Mrs. E. E. Holder, Mr. Burl Southard, Mrs. L. C. Reichard, Mrs. L. A. Huffman.

GLOBE — Bobby Cook, R. C. Cook, Mrs. Robert Coffey.

GRANDIN — Rev. John Wells, Miss Clara Greer, Mrs. A. M. Jones.

GRANDVIEW PARK — Mrs. Lawrence Sanders, Mrs. S. R. Collins, Mrs. Bill Teague, Mrs. Grover Houck.

CLOVER — Fred Cline, T. A. Sheppard, Mrs. Jonnie Wilson, Coy Suddreth, R. L. Warlick.

CONCORD — Rev. Ernest W. Moore, George W. Hollar, Mrs. Ralph Kendall, Mrs. Marvin White, Mr. G. J. Miller.

FIRST BAPTIST — Mrs. H. H. Sheppard, C. E. Kirby, R. L. Miller, L. J. Sullivan, O. R. Payne.

GREEN ROCK — Mrs. Bessie Coffey, Mrs. Annie Conley, Milroy Conley.

GREEN VALLEY — B. B. Greene, Rev. O. C. Dellinger, Mrs. O. C. Dellinger.

HARRIS CHAPEL — Rev. Tommie Swinson, Allen Robbins, Mrs. Ray Herman, Mrs. Tommie Swinson, Mr. George Smith.

HARTLAND — Mrs. Ellis Arney, Mr. Frank Poarch, Mrs. J. B. Crouse, Sr., Mr. J. W. Ramsey, Mrs. J. W. Ramsey.

HIBRITEN — Mr. H. L. Crisp, Mr. G. C. Winebarger, Mrs. G. C. Winebarger, Mrs. Joe Parsons.

HIGH VIEW — Mrs. Ruth Angley, Mrs. Rosalee Smith, Mr. W. R. Bumgarner, Mr. Olin Minton, Mr. Troy Smith.

JOHNS RIVER — Howard Coffey, Everett Crump, Homer McLean.

JOYCETON — Mrs. Henry Butler, Mrs. George Hartzog, Colene Butler, Daniel Coffey, Francie L. Prestwood.

KINGS CREEK — H. M. Beach, A. G. Beach, J. E. Pearson, J. M. Laxton, W. M. Ferguson.

CALVARY — Mrs. S. M. Crump, Mrs. Claude Severt, Cecil Lindsay, Woodrow Greene, Herman Mann.

COLLEGE AVENUE — Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Mrs. Ira Pritchard, B. B. Byers, H. W. Chester, Vaughan Summerlin.

LENOIR FIRST — Rev. M. O. Owens, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. J. E. Nelson, Mrs. O. R. Mangum, Lank Estes, Mrs. R. H. Robbins, Mrs. F. F. Nifong, Miss Ella Dickson, Blaine H. Grose.

LOWER CREEK — G. G. Steele, J. A. Boldin, Walter Hart, George Ferguson, Ed Beach, Mrs. Ellen Sherrill, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. Lucy Rodwell, Mrs. J. N. Moore, Mrs. Paul Smith.

TEMPLE MISSIONARY — Mr. and Mrs. James Summerlin, Jack Clark, Beolina Adams, Lillian Turnmire, Gladys Sumerlin.

WEST LENOIR — Mrs. C. R. McFelea, Mrs. A. C. Stay, Mrs. Frank Coleman.

LONGFORD — Mrs. Hobert Ayers, Mrs. Paul Hollar, Mrs. M. Church, Mrs. D. L. Nelson, Mr. Hart Andrews, Mr. G. A. Keyes.

LOVELADY — Rev. Alvin Greene, Lewis McRary, Lester Yount, George Eckard.

MAPLE GROVE — L. B. Beane, Mrs. Arlie Pope.

MILLER HILL — Mrs. Conard Greene, Mildred Nelson, Mrs. Verlee Blankenship, Thurmond Whitener, Agnes Smith.

MOUNTAIN GROVE — Mrs. J. L. Green, Mr. J. E. McCloud, Mrs. H. M. McGinnis, Mrs. Bynumn Fergerson, Mrs. Frank Hood.

MOUNTAIN VIEW — Rev. Hubert Pritchard, Clarence Gurley, Cecil Chester.

MT. ZION — Mrs. Guff Annas, Mrs. Flowers Woods, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Hebrew Barker.

MULBERRY — Eugene Greene, Walter Vines, Frank Scruggs.

MULVALE — Mrs. Doshia Suddreth, Mrs. Paul Jarvis, Mr. Tom Moore.

NELSONS CHAPEL — Mrs. J. H. Craig, Mrs. R. M. Miller, Mrs. Alvin Carlton, Mrs. Bill Hardin, Mrs. Wallace Cozart.

NEW HOPE — Mrs. C. P. McGee, Mrs. Albert Suddreth, Mrs. Wilda Summerlin.

OAK GROVE — Mrs. J. W. Myers, Mrs. Ruby Poovey, Mrs. Thomas Flowe.

PINEY GROVE — Mr. W. D. Goble, Mr. Ellis Frye, Mr. Charlie Winkler, C. Arnold Christenbury.

PISGAH — John Pope, James Crump, G. T. Greene, Fred Crisp.

PLEASANT HILL — Rev. N. R. Black, Mrs. N. R. Black, Mrs. Tom Edge, Mrs. Clifford Setzer.

POOVEYS CHAPEL — Mrs. Edith Hartley, Mrs. Alice Hartley, Mrs. Ruby Hart, Mrs. Horace Harris.

POOVEYS GROVE — Harvey Sherrill, Mrs. George McCormick, Rev. A. W. Bumgarner, Mrs. John E. Carter, Mrs. Garland Keller, H. J. Starnes.

RHODHISS — Rev. C. B. Bobbitt, Paul Bumgarner, Floyd Kirby, Nora Annas, Polly Coleman.

ROCKY SPRINGS — Dewey Newton, M. C. Estes, C. F. Annas, Donald Franklin.

RUFUS — W. C. Greene, L. H. Moore, Rev. L. L. Nicholas.

SARDIS — Mrs. H. B. Smith, Mrs. Guy Griffin, Mr. E. M. Bean, Mrs. M. Clyde Smith, Miss Lucy Mae Waters.

SETZER CREEK — Mrs. Jay Whisnant, Mrs. Earl Cheek, Mrs. S. W. Andrews.

TEMPLE HILL — Nettie Sweet, Perry Smith.

UNION BAPTIST — Mrs. R. M. Teague, Mrs. Amos Kirby, Mr. Amos Kirby, Mrs. John Quinn, Mrs. Bingham Kirby.

UNION GROVE — Ivey Hall, Lee Sullivan, Mrs. Ivey Hall, Mrs. Lee Sullivan, Mrs. Brooks Smith.

CENTRAL BAPTIST - WHITNEL — Clyde Livingston, Bill Covington, A. J. Parsons, Mrs. Jessie Pitts, Mrs. Jake Roberts.

WHITNEL FIRST — Mr. A. P. Kaylor, Mr. Forrest Stroup, Mr. Ralph Pennell.

WINKLERS GROVE — Rev. Jack Holland, Mrs. Bertha Manningh, Mrs. Walter Mabe, Mr. Ezra Miller, Mr. Millard Benfield.

WORSHIP POINT — Velma Gragg, John H. Arnett, Delia Daye, Kate Hatton.

YADKIN — Mr. Amos Greene, Mrs. Amos Greene, Mrs. O. F. Pierce, Mrs. Greene Miller, Mrs. Charles Roark.

YADKIN VALLEY — Arnie R. Woods, Mrs. R. Don Watson, Mrs. Dwight Earp.

ZACKS FORK — Rev. J. S. Silver, Mrs. C. A. Stokes, Mrs. Margaret Reid, Mrs. Stewart Barlow.

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. —.Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary letters. Any new church applying for membership shall be accepted under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year before being admitted into full fellowship.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
8. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association

Thursday Morning Session

1. The Seventieth annual session of the Caldwell Baptist Association was called to order at 9:30 on Thursday, September 23, at the College Avenue Baptist Church by Moderator J. Malcolm Laxton. The Association met in 1928 with what was known then as South Lenior. The name was changed in 1948 to College Avenue.

2. Rev. Blaine Grose, director of music, Lenoir First Church accompained at the organ by Miss Patricia Roberts led the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." Rev. W. Walter Jones conducted the devotional.

3. On motion all delegates present and those attending later sessions were officially seated for purpose of transacting the business of the Association. Registers reported 175 delegates representing 57 churches were present.

4. A program covering the two days session was presented by the clerk. Upon motion the program was adopted as a program for the sessions.

5. New pastors recognized: W. L. Sorrells, Flemings Chapel; J. L. Wells, Grandin; Paul J. Hopkins, Mt. Zion; G. C. Hill, Green Valley and Jay Eller, High View.

6. Moderator Laxton announced the following members to serve on the various committees:

Committee on Petitionary Letters: T. A. Sheppard, Chairman, Clover; J. E. Pearson, Kings Creek; C. R. Hinton, Granite Falls; L. E. Snipes, Clarke Chapel and J. J. Buckner, Whitnel Central.

Committee on Place and Preacher: G. Walter Sullivan, Chairman, Piney Grove; A. G. Beach, Kings Creek and Donald Franklin.

Committee on Resolutions: James Holder, Whitnel; Mrs. Dewey Annas, Rhodhiss; A. C. Moody, Setzer's Creek.

Nomination Committee for 1955: Ernest Moore, Concord; L. R. Davis, Blairs Fork; Mrs. Grover Triplett, Lenoir; Mrs. R. J. Smith, College Avenue and John E. Carter, Poovey's Grove.

7. Host Pastor, Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., welcomed visitors and delegates.

8. Pastor John E. Carter of Poovey's Grove read the report on Sunday Schools. The report was prepared by Miss Elizabeth Campbell for Mr. J. O. Stroud. On motion and seconded the report was adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday School is being recognized more and more as the chief agency of the churches in evangelism, teaching and enlistment. The Sunday Schools in the Caldwell Association have been striving during 1953-54 to reach their portion of "A MILLION MORE IN '54." We set as our aim a 20% increase in our Sunday School Enrolment. Some of our churches have reached this quota. According to reports last year we lost 23 over 1952 in enrolment. However, we rejoice that we have enrolled this year, 1,631 new members, making our total enrolment now 14,998. We show for 3 quarters of this year 875 Training Awards.

Rev. J. O. Stroud, who recently left the Caldwell Association, to go to the First Baptist Church, Statesville led the Associational S. S. work in a great way. Four mass meetings were held. Rev. Keener Pharr, First Baptist Church, Charlotte spoke to the group November 22, 1953. Twenty-three churches were represented with 165 in attendance. February 21, 1954, Central Church, Whitnel, 418 in attendance with 40 churches represented. Five laymen gave testimony of what they were doing to reach the people for their Sunday School. May 16, 1954, a mass meeting was held at the Dudley Shoals Baptist Church with emphasis on the Vacation Bible School. August 15, 1954, at the Kings Creek Baptist Church, there were 115 in attendance, 21 churches represented, emphasis is Promotion.

We enrolled 5,709 children in the 64 Bible Schools held in our Association. This was, by far, our best year. We would express our thanks to all who had a part, and particularly to Miss Ellen Barlowe, our student worker; Miss Faye Turmire, a helper and Mrs. J. A. Heilig of Concord

Plans are in progress for the District Training Schools to be held October 11-15, 1954.

We look forward to 1954-55 and pledge our support to the Great Evangelistic Effort to be held April 10-24, 1955. We shall continue to reach and enlist those around us.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell

for Associational Superintendent

9. Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Superintendent of W. M. U. work read the Woman's report. (See minutes of Woman's Missionary Union for this report.) The report was adopted.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY

"And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness even so must the Son of Man be lifted up." John 3:14

It is always wonderful to meet and review our past records and plan for a new year. There are always regrets but lots of joy too. In doing this we aim for better work in the new year.

We have 64 Churches in our Association, 45 of these have one or more W. M. U. Organizations. This leaves 19 to reach. In this number 19 have no Young People's work. We have two new societies this year and 14 new Young People's Organizations. Our total gifts to our four Special offerings was $10,885.14, an increase of $4,985.41.

Our Leadership Conference was held with the Lower Creek Baptist Church.

There were 30 Societies represented at our annual meeting which was held at Mt. Zion Church, with 264 people in attendance. Special music was presented by a Quartet composed of four of our ministers: Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Rev. Blaine Grose, Rev. L. A. Miller and Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr. The guest speakers were Miss Janet Wilson, State Young People's Secretary, Miss Anna Frances Todd, Missionary in Columbia, South America and Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our own Associational Missionary.

Some of the highlights of our young people's work:

Y. W. A. Banquet, all 17 Churches represented with 149 present.

G. A. Rally with 18 Churches represented and 260 present.

Sunbeam Rally, 11 of the 12 Churches with Sunbeams represented and 155 present.

Our greatest challenge is the missionary education of our young people. They must be trained if they are to carry on in this great endeavor.

When you think about the fact that our Foreign Mission Board wanted to appoint 100 Missionaries and could only find 80 qualified people where do you think the responsibility is? Pray for the work of Woman's Missionary Union and for us as leaders, that we may truly be "Laborers together with God."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt

10. The report on Men's Brotherhood was postponed until Thursday.

11. The report of the Associational Missionary was read by Miss Elizabeth Campbell. The report was adopted. One of the most outstanding addresses of the sessions was given by Miss Campbell who used as her subject "Highlights from Our Missionary." It was inspiring as well as a challenge to all.

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"And He marveled because of their unbelief. And He went round about the villages, teaching. And they went out, and preached that men should repent." Mark 6:6 and 12.

1. Baton — Taught S. S. Class, Worship; Taught The New Orleans Story.

2. Bethany — Taught S. S. Class; V. B. S.

3. Blairs Fork — Taught Let's Listen; The N. O. Story; Y. P. Administration; Spoke in the interest of T. U.; V. B. S.

4. Buffalo Cove — Spoke at dedication of church; V. B. S.

5. Calvary — Spoke for evening Worship; Taught Let's Listen; N. O. Story; Provided V. B. S. Worker; Had W. M. S. in my home.

6. Cedar Rock — Helped reorganize W. M. S.; V. B. S.

7. Center Grove — Attended "Open House" new parsonage.

8. Central — Taught Pull Of The People; Let's Listen; Studies In Psalms Assoc. S. S. Mass Meeting.

9. Clarks Chapel — Taught Let's Listen; The Faith They Kept; The N. O. Story; Spoke Mother-Daughter banquet; V. B. S.

10. Clover — Taught Partners With GOD; Assoc. Y. W. A. Counselors meeting spoke special meeting B. W. C.; Program B. W. C. Circle; Worship.

11. College Ave. — Attended Christmas Program; Worship; Taught Living In The Faith — Central School.

12. Concord — Spoke Evening Worship; Taught Partners With GOD; Homecoming; Attended Officers and Teachers Banquet; Open House Parsonage.

13. Conways Chapel — Taught Studies in Psalms; V. B. S. Assoc. S. S. mass meeting; V. B. S.

14. Dudley Shoals — Taught Partners With God; The N. O. Story;

15. Edgemont — Provided V. B. S. workers.

16. Flemings Chapel — Taught The N. O. Story: Let's Listen; S. S. Class; Spoke few words in Worship Service; W. M. S. 1.

17. Globe — V. B. S.

18. Grandview Park — Taught S. S. Class; Spoke for Worship twice; Had charge of Prayer service; Taught The N. O. Story; V. B. S.

19. Grandin —Taught Ministry Of Visitation; Let's Listen; N. O. Story; V. B. S.

20. Granite Falls First — Homecoming — Spoke; Taught S. S. Class; Taught Partners With GOD; Campbell Circle met in my home; Assoc. S. S. mass meeting.

21. Green Rock — Made contact for V. B. S.

22. Green Valley — Provided V. B. S. Workers.

23. Harris Chapel — Taught Adult Union Manual; Helped organize G. A.

24. Hartland — S. S. Class; Taught Sacrifice And Song; Let's Listen; The N. O. Story; Spoke Easter Sunrise Service.

25. Hibriten — Taught The N. O. Story; V. B. S. Commencement;

Provided workers for the V. B. S.

26. High View — attended S. S.; Spoke few words in Worship; Provided V. B. S helpers.

27. Johns River — V. B. S.

28. Joyceton — Worship; V. B. S.

29. Kings Creek — Assoc. S. S. meeting.

30. Lenoir First — Worship 3; S. S. Class party devotional; T. U. program 2; Taught The N. O. Story; Spoke evening Worship; Taught S. S. Class; Attended Revival 5; Assoc. T. M. meeting 2; Assoc. Executive Committee meeting 3.

31. Longford — Taught Let's Listen; N. O. Story each twice; Chatting With The Chews; Spoke evening Worship; V. B. S.

32. Lovelady — Taught S. S. Class; Attended Worship.

33. Lower Creek — Spoke morning Worship; Attended evening Worship, Christmas Program; Taught Sacrifice And Song; The N. O. Story; Spoke Jr. Assembly S. S.; Special service presentation of Baptistry scene; G. A. Coronation Service; Assoc. W. M. U. Leadership meeting.

34. Maple Grove — Provided V. B. S. helpers.

35. Miller Hill — Taught Let's Listen; The N. O. Story; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

36. Mt. Zion — Taught Good Stewards; Let's Listen; The Faith They Kept; Assoc. W. M. U. meeting.

37. Mulberry — Taught Pull Of The People; Good Stewards; Entertained Y. P. in my home; V. B. S. Commencement; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

38. Mtn. Grove — Annual Assoc. meeting; Attended Worship; Taught The N. O. Story; Instructed, compiled and typed Census; Spoke evening Worship.

39. Mt. View — Provided V. B. S. workers.

40. Mulvale — Dedication of new bldg.; Taught The N. O. Story; V. B. S.

41. Nelsons Chapel — Taught Pull Of The People; Let's Listen; Studies In Psalms; The N. O. Story; V. B. S.

42. New Hope — Taught The Pull Of The People; N. O. Story; V. B. S.

43. Oak Grove — Taught The N. O. Story.

44. Piney Grove — S. S., Spoke for McGee reunion; Worship program; V. B. S.

45. Peasant Hill — Attended evening Worship; Spoke Prayer service; Helped organized W. M. S.

46. Pisgah — Helped V. B. S. 1953; Provided V. B. S, workers this year.

47. Poovey's Chapel — Taught Sacrifice And Song; Let's Listen; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

48. Poovey's Grove — Taught Partners With GOD; Spoke whole group; Helped with Social.

49. Rhodhiss — Taught The New Orleans Story.

50. Rocky Springs — Taught Building A Church Training Program; Took Stella Austin up to speak; Attended T. U., Taught S. S. Class; Spoke during morning Worship; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

51. Rufus — V. B. S.; Taught S. S. Class.

52. Sardis — Annual Assoc. meeting; S. S. Officers Assoc. meeting; Taught The N. O. Story twice. Once at my home and once at church.

53. Setzers Creek — Taught S. S. Class, Worship.

54. Temple Missionary — Taught S. S. Class; Spoke morning Worship twice; Helped organize W. M. S.; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

55. Temple Hill — Spoke morning Worship twice; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

56. Union — Dedicatory Prayer for ground breaking of Parsonage; Taught Let's Listen; Worship; Brought Christmas Message; Taught Living In The Faith.

57. Union Grove — Taught Let's Listen; The Faith They Kept; The N. O. Story; V. B. S.

58. Whitnel First — Spoke T. U.; Attended evening Worship; Taught The N. O. Story.

59. Winklers Grove — V. B. S. and provided other workers two weeks.

60. West Lenoir — Taught S. S. Class; Attended Worship; Taught The N. O. Story; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

61. Worship Point — Taught S. S. Class; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

62. Yadkin — Taught Growing In Bible Knowlege; Assoc. G. A. rally.

63. Yadkin Valley — V. B. S.

64. Zacks Fork — Taught S. S. Class; Worship; Taught Let's Listen; Provided V. B. S. helpers.

Earl Church — Spoke for Worship service; Attended S. S.

Indicates that I was not in this church for a service of any kind personally. However, I provided V. B. S. workers for some indicated.

I wrote the STATE MISSION PROGRAM to be used by the Y. W. A.'s all over N. C.

MEETINGS OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION

Taught in the Central Training School-Three Forks Assoc. Oak Grove Church.

W. M. U. Institute, Fruitland; Divisional W. M. U. Meeting, College Avenue.

T. U. Assoc. Officers Meeting, Charlotte.

Baptist State Convention, Greensboro.

Spoke Assoc. G. A. Meeting, Morganton, Catawba River Assoc.

Spoke to the Granite Falls Woman's Club.

Regional T. U. Officers Meeting, N. Wilkesboro.

W. M. U. Divisional Executive Committee Meeting, N. Wilkesboro.

S. S. Clinic, Charlotte; V. B. S. State Clinic, Fruitland.

T. U. Enlargement Campaign, Liberty Assoc. Wallburgh Church.

W. M. U. Convention, Greensboro.

V. B. S. Clinics — Stanley, South Fork, Stone Mtn., Brushy Mtn. Association.

Regional T. U. Meeting — Providing games for social period.

Spoke Brushy Mountain G. A. Banquet.

Attended Sunday morning service, Ridgecrest.

Associational Missionaries Conference, Fruitland.

Chaperoned group to Ridgecrest.

Taught Bible Study in Divisional G. A. Camp Butler.

Taught Intermediates T. U. Assembly, Caswell, took four young people with me.

Spoke to the W. M. U. Report — Three Forks Annual Associational Meeting Associational Missionaries Committee Meeting, Lumberton, N. C.

CALDWELL CALLS

Caldwell calls to everyone
All to work and none to shun
Love the people — reach them, too,
Do it through the Sunday School
We can do it if we will try
Each one working — knowing why
Lost are about us everyday
Let us seek them lest they stray
"Come unto me" the Master would say
All should come without delay
"Let the Redeemed of the Lord" say
what God has done
Lost then will be won, for when we
go, they come.

Elizabeth Campbell

SUMMARY IN PART OF WORK

Helped 21 V. B. S. Association had 64 plus two Negro Schools. Taught 40 Mission Study Classes; 12 Training Union Courses; nine S. S. Training courses. Spoke for 12 Worship Services; Conducted two Prayer Services.

THIS AND THAT

"This is not a time for defeatism. It is a time for turning to God as never before. The fact of God, God's plans and purposes, God's Holy Bible, God's love and God's way for men are unshakable realities."—George W. Truett.

"In a day like the present, with all the world shaken and in upheval, it behooves us to seek diligently that which is righteous and permanent. It behooves us to turn unreservedly to Him. Are you afraid to pray "Thy will be done in my life? Do you want to tell God what to do, or are you willing to seek His will for you?"—George W. Truett.

"The world is our battlefield. This is our school and some of the examinations are searching. Afflictions prepare us for a greater work."—George W. Truett.

12. The report of the Treasurer was read by M. O. Owens, Jr., for A. W. Dodge, Treasurer. On motion the report was adopted.

TREASURER'S CASH REPORT
September 21, 1953 To September 20, 1954
GENERAL FUND

Balance September 21, 1953			$397.15
Receipts			
Pledges		$5,045.14	
Baptist State Convention:			
Missionarys' Salary		625.00	
V. B. S. Workers		180.00	
1954 Minutes		322.35	
Central Training School		188.38	
S. S. Retirement and W. H. Unremitted		109.10	
Music Week		106.87	
V. B. S. Offering and Materials Sold		903.21	
V. B. S. Clinic		16.05	
TOTAL RECEIPTS			7,496.10
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND BALANCE			8,193.25

DISBURESMENTS	Budget For Year	Actual Disbursements	
Clerk's Salary	$ 50.00	$ 50.00	
Sunday School	170.00	56.86	
Training Union	160.00	54.35	
Women's Missionary Union	50.00	60.00	
Vacation Bible School	750.00	1,147.74	
Pastor's School	100.00	14.93	
Music School	200.00	418.17	
Ridgecrest	100.00	100.00	
Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendar	275.00	263.69	
Debt Retirement and Interest on Missionary's Home	1,000.00	880.00	
Insurance and Upkeep on Missionary's Home	250.00	141.23	
Associational Missionary:			
Salary	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Travel	720.00	720.00	
Rent		75.00	
Convention Expenses	150.00	40.00	
Retirement and Social Security	180.00	243.97	
Minutes	350.00	365.00	
Other Items	50.00	165.97	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$7,555.00		7,796.91
BALANCE ON HAND September 20, 1954			$ 396.34

TREASURER'S REPORT ON MISSIONARY'S HOME BUILDING FUND

September 21, 1953 To September 20, 1954

RECEIPTS	
Churches of Association and Individuals (Sheet 4)	$ 4,826 47
Others	119.00
Refunds	154.75
Loans, Mutual Building and Loan Association	8,000.00
H. B. Anderson	3,700.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$16,860.22
DISBURSEMENTS	
Purchase of Lot	$ 1,700.00
Building Materials	7,014.65
Labor	3,127.73
Grading	320.50
Water Meter and Tapping Charges	89.73
Roofing, Tile and Linoleums	539.58
Heating and Electrical Work	1,651.01
Painting	751.12
Furnishings Paid for	195.31
Moving Miss Campbell	45.50
Building and Loan Costs	124.36
Insulation	191.00
Repairs to Wall	127.35
Payments on Loan, H. B. Anderson	800 00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$16,677.84
BALANCE ON HAND September 20, 1954	$ 182.38
Unpaid Bills	$ 0.00
Unpaid Loans:	
Mutual Building and Loan Association (See note 1)	7,556.78
H. B. Anderson	2,900.00
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS	$10,456.78

Note 1: Monthly payments are paid out of regular account.

Note 2: Additional items of furnishings, Etc., that were given to the Association have not been included in the above figures.

Respectfully submitted,
Alfred W. Dodge, Treasurer.

13. The 1954-55 Budget report was presented by F. L. Smith, Sr.

SUGGESTED BUDGET FOR 1954-'55 IS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Clerk's Salary		$ 50.00
2. Sunday School		150.00
3. Training Union		150.00
4. W. M. U.		50.00
5. Vacation Bible School		1,000.00
6. Christmas Love Gift		50.00
7. Music School		400.00
8. Ridgecrest		100.00
9. Postage, Printing, Paper and Calendars		275.00
10. Minutes		375.00
11. Debt Retirement and Interest on Missionary's Home		1,050.00
12. Insurance and Upkeep on Missionary's Home		300.00
13. Associational Meeting Expense		50.00
14. Office Equipment for Missionary		750.00
15. Associational Missionary:		
Salary		3,000.00
Travel Expense		720.00
Convention Expense		150.00
Retirement and Social Security		190.00
16. Treasurer's Salary and Expense		50.00
TOTAL SUGGESTED BUDGET		$8,760.00
Less Anticipated Receipts From Other Sources:		
Baptist State Convention:		
Missionary's Salary	$600.00	
V. B. S. Workers	180.00	
Sale of Minutes	350.00	
V. B. S. Offering and Sale of Materials	875.00	
Music School	125.00	
Training School Books, Etc.	200.00	2,330.00
BALANCE TO BE PROVIDED BY CHURCHES		$6,430.00

The matter of salaries for clerk and treasurer was discussed. It was the opinion that salaries should not be paid, but actual expenditures of the two offices should be listed annually in the Budget Finance report. In order to do this a motion was made by M. O. Owens, Jr., and seconded by John E. Carter that section 7 of the By-Laws be stricken out. The motion carried and section 7 was authorized stricken out.

14. A quartet consisting of Messrs. Lawrence Miller, M. O. Owens, Jr., Blaine Grose and Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., sang "Go Through The Gates."

15. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. K. E. Seepe, pastor of Sardis Church, Hudson.

16. The Association adjourned for the noon hour. A very sumptuous meal was served by the members of College Avenue Church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

College Avenue Baptist Church

17. Thursday afternoon session was called to order at one o'clock by Moderator J. M. Laxton. Rev. Blaine, Grose, accompained at the piano by Miss Patricia Roberts led the convention in singing "He Leadeth Me." Devotional was conducted by Rev. W. L. Sorrells of Fleming Chapel Church.

18. G. G. Steele of Lower Creek Church read the report on Baptist Orphanage Discussing the report were Mr. Steele and Marse Grant, of the Mills Home. On motion the report was adopted.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

Our Orphanage has had another good year. It has cared for about 700 children. The physical plants both at Mills Home and Kennedy Home are now in excellent condition.

At Mills Home the recreational center and the commodious new church building, which will seat 580 people, were completed in 1953. Now for the first time in its history Mills Home has adequate places for the children to play and to worship. The church stands in the center of the campus and is by far the most beautiful building erected at our Orphanage.

Preparations are almost completed for letting a contract for a new church building at Kennedy Home which will be equally as beautiful as the one at Mills Home, but not quite as large. North Carolina Baptists should rejoice that special friends have made these church buildings possible.

Charity and Children, our Orphanage publication, has an all-time high circulation. They are mailing out more than 46,000 copies each week. The subscription price is 60¢ per year in clubs of 10 or more to be distributed in your Sunday School. In order to keep informed about our Orphanage as well as other phases of Baptist work, each church in Caldwell Association should get 10 or more copies.

The income for this year was very good. Our new plan of Orphanage support should not be very different from the present plan. The Baptist State Convention voted for the Orphanage to come into the Cooperative Program beginning January 1, 1955. This gives any church the privilege to send all its funds except the Thanksgiving offering through the Cooperative Program if it so desires. However, the General Board and Executive Secretary of the Convention make the following recommendations: First, that churches which now take the once-a-month offering continue this plan. Second, that churches which have the Orphanage in

the budget for a certain amount be encouraged to continue this same method during the period of transition. The Thanksgiving offering, of course, will be continued just as before. We urge each church to give the people a chance to make a Thanksgiving offering and for each person to give at least one day's pay, or give produce or canned goods if you can best do this. Let's do our best. We must not fail our dependent children.

Respectfully submitted,

G. G. Steele, Orphanage Representative.

19. The report on "Homes for the Aging" was read by F. L. Smith, clerk. The report was adopted.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

The fourth Associational year of the Baptist Homes for the Aging has been one of considerable expansion and encouraging progress. There are many evidences of the continued blessing of God upon this newest phase of our North Carolina Baptist program.

A step forward was taken when the Albemarle Home opened its doors on December 7, 1953. It afforded space for 35 additional residents, making the total capacity of the two Homes, 54 residents—Resthaven, Winston-Salem (19), and the Albemarle Home (35). The purchase price of the property at Albemarle, Hospital and Nurses home buildings and 3 acres of land, was $25,000. The cost of renovation was about $75,000, thus making the total cost of this plant $100,000. But, with the value of the equipment donated, the property there should now be worth at least $300,000. Good fortune was ours again in securing the splendid staff of helpers at Albemarle. Rev. Zeb A. Caudle, former pastor of the First Baptist Church of Aberdeen, was selected to serve as superintendent of the Albemarle Home.

Resthaven, at Winston-Salem, which began operating March 16, 1951, has been filled to capacity throughout the year. Although the ages in both Homes range from 67 to 94 years, there has been no death within the past year.

A tract of 34 acres of land, just outside of the city limits of Winston-Salem, was purchased in 1953, for a central site for new buildings. The cost was $25,000.

Inquiries have been received as to the possibility of a couple erecting a cottage on the central site, so that they might live in it until death, and then the cottage would be available to another couple. The cost of erecting and furnishing it would be paid by the couple, but it would become the property of the North Carolina Baptist Homes.

The second Special Day Offering, February 21, 1954, was encouraging. The total amount will probably be $65,000 to $70,000. In addition, the Homes received $21,000 as their share of the Nine-Year Program. Word has come, too, of Wills, from which the Homes will receive gifts. At least one Will was probated in 1954, from which estate the Homes will receive $2,000. But the most encouraging progress has been the response, on the part of our churches, to the program of the Homes.

Homes will receive $2,000. But the most encouraging progress has been the response, on the part of our churches, to the program of the Homes.

The residents and all who are serving in the Homes are deeply grateful for the help received thus far, and they covet the prayers and continued support of our Baptist constituency in the future.

20. The report on Ministers' Retirement was given by Rev. T. A. Shephard. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Rev. T. A. Shephard, of Clover Church and Rev. L. E. Snipes of Miller Hill Church. The report was adopted.

RELIEF AND ANNUITY BOARD

The purpose of the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the State Convention, is (1) to provide annuities for ministers and church employees who participate in the plans when they reach retirement age, sixty-five, or at any period they may retire after reaching that age, and an annuity to the widows; (2) to provide a disability annuity if such disability occurs at a time prior to age sixty-five; (3) to provide an annuity for the widow in the event of the death of the member before reaching age sixty-five.

It is so designed that each Church a pastor serves during his participation in the plan has a share in providing something for his old age. In this way the burden of caring for a minister does not fall on the last church he served. Surely this is right.

Dues are payable monthly or quarterly, in the middle of the period and are as follows:

The pastor pays 4% of his salary.

The church, or churches, pay 4% of his salary, or an amount equal to that paid by the pastor.

The Convention adds to that amount.

This means that while about 9% of the salary a pastor receives is laid aside for payments of annuities, he pays only 4%, if his churches join with him in this plan.

Far too many pastors are retiring without any source of income thus adding to the burden of the relief department. In 1951, the relief department spent more in ten states than it received. A pastor who refused to join the plan has no right to expect the denomination to provide for his needs when he is forced into retirement because of ill health or old age when he refuses to make some effort to provide, with the help of the denomination, something for himself.

The retirement boards of the other major denominaions require that a pastor be a member of some contributory retirement plan before he is considered eligible for assistance from relief funds.

A pastor who lacks three to five years of reaching retirement age, can join the Minister's Retirement Plan and enjoy an age annuity on retirement, far beyond what he would receive if he were placed on the relief roll. Every active pastor should take advantage of the opportunity which his denomination has provided that he may not face a penniless old age.

T. A. Sheppard

21. Rev. J. Lewis Price, pastor of Dudley Shoals Church, read the report on Christian Education. Rev. J. Lewis Price, Ben Fisher for Southeastern Seminary and M. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College discussed the report and same was adopted.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Christian education magnifies Christian environment, Christian atmosphere, Christian teachers, Christian character, Christian truth, and makes Christ the center of the institution while imparting instruction in any department of the school, college or university.

Southern Baptists from their very beginning recognized the importance of a trained leadership and began to plan as soon as possible for schools, colleges and seminaries in order that the Denomination might have a trained Christian leadership. They now have more than sixty-six institutions of learning with an enrolment last session of fifty-five thousand students. Of this number 12,602 were ministerial students or volunteers for religious work. These institutions have had a great part in the growth of Southern Baptists who now number nearly eight million members.

North Carolina Baptists own and control seven colleges. They are: Wake Forest College (Soon to be moved to Winston-Salem), Chowan College, Meredith College, Mars Hill Junior College, Campbell Junior College, Wingate Junior College and Gardner-Webb Junior College. In these colleges last session there was an enrolment of 4,771 students, and 433 of them were students for the ministry. These institutions help provide a trained leadership for North Carolina Baptists who now number over 700,000. As Baptists we stand at the top in numbers and prestige in our state and our schools have had a great part in this.

Our Churches need to give more adequate support to our schools. With increasing student bodies and with keen competition from State supported schools, it becomes more difficult to carry on our program of Christian education. We should urge our people to give more generously to their support through the Cooperative Program and also encourage people of means to make special donations to their support. It is also startling to learn that of 15,000 Baptist students enrolled in colleges and universities in our state, only 4,000 of them were in our Baptist institutions. Our pastors, churches and parents should encourage our young people to attend their own institutions. Let us pray for our institutions, their faculties and students, for out of them will come many of the leaders that will help determine the future of our churches, our Denomination and our country in the years to come.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Louis Price

22. A report on Religious Literature was read by Fred Cline. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by C. W. Basemore of the Biblical Recorder. The report was adopted.

BIBLICAL RECORDER AND OTHER BAPTIST LITERATURE

Christian literature does not need defending: It needs more distribution and wider reading. Never before have Baptist had such opportunities as today to magnify and promote the Lord's work through vital christian literature. People tend to become like the things they read and absorb in their minds and hearts. The flood of bad literature that spreads over our land very often finds its way into Baptist homes and it is filled with seeds of evil. Wider reading of good Christian literature would soon destroy the thirst for bad literature.

Baptists have compelling reasons for securing and reading Christian literature, especially from their own presses. The aim of it all is to promote Bible study, to build Christian character, and to inform, enlist, indoctrinate, inspire and unify our people in all the great work the Lord has committed to us. Dr. M. E. Dodd said; "A non-reading Baptist is a non-informed Baptist. A non-informed Baptist is a non-interested Baptist. A non-interested Baptist is a non-cooperative Baptist and a non-cooperative Baptist is not much of a Baptist."

In North Carolina, the BIBLICAL RECORDER is the one publication covering the entire field of our Baptist work. Without our state Baptist paper, successful promotion of our Lord's work in all Baptist channels would be well-nigh impossible. The RECORDER has carried the message of Baptist progress into Baptist homes for 121 years.

The present circulation of the RECORDER is approximately 57,000 each week. About 1,500 churches in North Carolina now either have clubs or are in the Every-Family Plan. It should go into every Baptist home.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Cline

23. Ed. Beach gave a brief statistical report on the growth of Caldwell Association for years 1953 and 1954. On motion the report was adopted.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Your attention is invited to the complete statistical tables found in the minutes. Some of the most important facts revealed in these tables as tabulated on this date are as follows:

	1953	1954	Gain
Baptisms	556	790	234
Church Membership	15,128	15,652	524
Sunday School Enrollment	13,367	14,998	1,631
B. T. U. Enrollment	3,184	4,151	967
W. M. U. Enrollment	2,341	2,504	163
Brotherhood Enrollment	352	505	153
Total Gifts	$581,343.01	$588,345.33	$ 7002.32
Total Mission Gifts	$ 82,120.35	$108,577.01	$26,456.66

The average per capita contributions for the year was approximately $38.23 and of this amount $7.06 went for missions.

Respectfully submitted,
E. D. Beach, Statistician

24. The report on Temperance was read by H. B. Anderson. Motion was made to adopt the report. After discussion by W. B. Biggerstaff and others the report was adopted.

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

Temperance and Morals are among the major issues of our present day.

Beverage alcohol has been a major factor in the breaking up of homes and family life over the nation. Divorce, low moral and economic standards, Juvenile delinquency and other problems confronting the modern home can be traced to alcohol in an alarming number of cases. If you do not think this is true, read your papers or attend court when divorces are being granted. No other single problem is responsible for as extensive and complex divorce litigation as that arising out of the consumption of liquor.

Alcohol often is the cause of poverty in these prosperous times. We can trace this fact to the man who stops on his way home and spends his weeks wages for beer and liquor and his wife and children must go in need of even the necessities of living.

I don't believe that I need to take up your time to make a lengthy report on the liquor question in our County. Since you have been informed by the newspapers of the million dollar liquor syndicate which was made up of men from our own County of Caldwell and a great part of the liquor was distributed in Caldwell County. This was, of course, dispensed by illegal liquor places on most of the leading highways in our County. Most of us cannot live on a highway where this is being dispensed and know nothing of it, and we feel sure that our officers most surely must have blinded themselves to these places or for unknown reasons would not make the proper investigations. Our County is fastly becoming one of the outstanding Counties in North Carolina for liquor manufacturing and traffic. Anywhere liquor is used the morals are lowered.

I think that we are like the people in olden times when Nero fiddled while Rome burned. We as Christian people are standing idly by while the liquor business in our County continues to grow. There is no way to compromise with this issue except for us as Christians to encourage parents to be the first to throw the bar and bottle out the back door.

H. B. Anderson

25. On motion and duly seconded the clerk was authorized to have the report on Temperance published in the county papers. Same was printed in the News Topic, September 24, 1954.

26. The Convention adjourned its first day to meet the following day with the Granite Falls First Church. Prayer was led by Rev. John Carter.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

First Baptist Church, Granite Falls, N. C.

September 24, 1954

27. The session was called to order by the Moderator, J. Malcolm Laxton at 9:45 A. M. The song "O Worship the King" was led by Blaine Grose and accompanied at the organ by Miss Patricia Roberts. Devotional was conducted by Rev. Paul Morrow.

28. Host pastor, Rev. C. R. Hinton of Granite Falls First, welcomed delegates and visitors.

29. Visitors were recognized: Dr. J. C. Canipe, Miss Campbell, West Jefferson, Edwin B. Dozier, Missionary to Japan and Rev. Claude Gaddy.

30. The Moderator recognized Rev. Claude Gaddy who delivered a fine message on the "Spiritual Growth of North Carolina Baptists."

31. Rev. Zeb Caudle representing the Home for the Aging spoke briefly for his institutions.

32. Mrs. J. A. Boldin read a list of members of the various churches who having passed away since the last session. (See index for list).

33. The report of the Baptist Hospital was read by Rev. W. R. Moss. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by W. R. Moss and Dr. W. K. McGee of the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem. Dr. McGee stressed the importance of increased contributions for Mother Day Offering. The report was adopted.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital is caring for more people this year than at any other time in its history. This is possible because of the use of the New South Wing, about half of which is now complete and in use. This new building provides many new and enlarged facilities which add a great deal to the service provided for our people. About 14,000 bed patients will receive treatment in the hospital in the course of the year, while many other thousands will be seen in the clinics.

The enlargement of the hospital has made possible the enlarging of our school of nursing, it being one of the largest in the State. Our hospital offers a superior type of training and its graduates have high rating wherever they go. This means that our nursing school can accept only students of the highest caliber. They especially want those high grade students of fine Christian character from our Baptist homes. A new class enters each September. Prospective students should write to the Director of Nurses in advance and make application early in the year since

there are far more applications than can be accepted.

The Baptist Hospital with the various schools associated with it forms an important educational center in the field of medical care. It trains doctors, nurses, technicians, and pastors and other Christian workers. The center of the entire hospital program is always the sick person, however. Everything else is secondary to and must be in the interest of the patient.

For the past ten years our Federal and State Governments have assisted in a program of building hospitals in counties and areas where there had been no hospitals. This program increases the importance of our Baptist Medical Center in relation to the family physician and the local hospital. The majority of patients who go to our Medical Center are sent by their own local doctors in order that the patient may have the benefit of such facilities and specialists.

Our Hospital provides this type of service for persons who cannot pay for it, as well as for those who can pay in full. This is where our churches share in this ministry of healing. There are multitudes in our State who cannot receive the care they need unless somebody else helps pay for it. Our Hospital has no money except what the patients pay and what we give. On Mother's Day we have the privilege of sharing with those who are sick and need help. Unless we give generously some will seek in vain for help at our Hospital. Let this not be true because you and I have failed!

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. W. R. Moss

Hospital Representative

34. The reports on State, Home and Foreign Missions were read in order by E. C. McCall, Ernest Moore and Mrs. W. Walter Jones. On motion the reports were adopted.

REPORT ON MISSIONS

Brethren and sisters, it is a genuine pleasure for me to speak to you briefly this morning on State Missions.

State Missions is the missionary effort on the part of North Carolina Baptists to reach the unsaved for Christ and teach, enlist, and train the saved in giving, living and serving through the churches and throughout the world.

There are 4,200,000 people in the State. There are 1,900,000 of these above the age of eight years affiliated with some kind of church. There are 1,900,000 of these above the age of eight years unchurched. If 25% of the affiliated church members are unsaved, then 62½% of the people of North Carolina above the age of eight years are lost. North Carolina, therefore, is far from being half Christian. Here is our urgent Challenge.

We have 760,000 Baptist church members in North Carolina. Perhaps 35% of these are enlisted and are being taught and trained in Christian giving, living and serving. This means that 65% of our church constituency is not dedicated in the Christian profession. In this undeveloped area the churches have their primary challenge.

Our people need to be taught and trained. Therefore, three of the most significant phases of our State Missions work are promoted through the Sunday School, Training Union and Rural Church Departments. Already 2,000 Vacation Bible Schools have been reported for 1954, giving $23,000 to the Cooperative Program. Over 6,000 of our Baptist people attended Training Union Weeks at Caswell, Fruitland and Ridgecrest this summer. Perhaps this is a record for any state. Many rural churches have been enlisted in our Baptist program of Stewardship and Organizational life. Many quarter and half-time chuches have been led to actuate full-time programs of service.

A growing population demands new and stronger churches. State Missions provide a necessary and significant ministry through aid on the purchase of sites for new churches and some one hundred or more salaries for pastors. These supports enable new churches to move forward in a building program and other churches to strengthen their programs and enable the pastors to give more of their time in developing stewardship churches.

A more highly developed and intelligent congregation demands a better trained pastor. Pastors' Schools are promoted through State Missions to meet this growing demand. Each year about 125 pastors receive better training at Fruitland. Refresher courses are offered from time to time at Mars Hill and Caswell for the benefit of all pastors — trained or untrained. This summer we reached approximately 500 during these two weeks.

The colored races in our midst constitute a large percentage of our population. State Missions seeks to minister in a limited degree to the Negros and Indians. We should do more — not because the Catholics are winning them, but because we should. Ours is the major denomination in North Carolina and, therefore, they are our responsibility.

Therefore, will you as an individual, and you as a church, do your part to help North Carolina Baptists extend these rich ministries through the coming year and those that lie ahead?

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. McCall

HOME MISSIONS

Under the able leadership of Dr. Courts Redford, as Executive Secretary, and his very capable associates, the Home Mission Board is continuing to make strides with message of Christ throughout the Southern Baptist Convention and its environs.

The following gives us an idea of the ministry of our Home Mission Board: We are ministering to the Chinese, French, Indians, Italians, Jappenese, Negros, Russians, Jews and Spanish-speaking people, working with the deaf, working in Good Will Centers, Rescue Missions, in Kindergartens, in Rural Church Programs, Trailer Camps, with Mountain people, Military Personnel, and City Missions. We are also doing pioneer work in several Western states where the opportunities and needs are really

great.

Home Missionaries are also working in outposts such as: Panama and the Canal Zone, Alaska and Cuba.

Much work is being done with Migrants, throughout the Convention territory.

The Home Board is striving to make available more funds for church loans, which is a very vital need today in helping to establish new churches, especially in the North-Western states.

The number of missionaries, as of June 30th, was 992. The number of Summer Student workers is 368, with 185 of this number serving in Western and Pioneer states.

The Board has provided more aid this year for Mission Pastors. During the last few months, 195 different pastors have been approved for such support. But not nearly enough funds are available to help all the pastors who request and need assistance.

The Annie Armstrong Offering of the Woman's Missionary Union in behalf of Home Missions, as of July 9, 1954, amounted to $1,114,345.21.

The Executive Committee has approved a plan of emphasis called, The Four-Year "Conquest For Christ." This is planned to include the years 1955-58, exclusive, terminating this plan in time for the Home Mission Board to participate in the Sesquicentennial Program of the Convention from 1959-64.

Truly, Southern Baptists ought to be proud of, but not satisfied with, our accomplishments through the Home Mission Board. It is just another example of "Cooperation," a word that has come to mean much to us and do much for the work of Christ.

We have the cure for an ailing world today in the message of the Christ of Calvary. Let us continue to join hands and hearts across this great nation, the last great bulwark of freedom in our world, and give that message of Christ, the message of peace.

Respectfully submitted,
Ernest W. Moore

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS
WHAT GOD IS DOING WITH TWO-CENT STAMPS

SOUTHERN BAPTISTS, per captia, ARE GIVING WEEKLY TO FOREIGN MISSIONS THE PRICE OF A TWO-CENT STAMP! What is God doing with it?

Through the 908 active missionaries, working in 32 countries, with 214,767 Baptist Nationals, there were 20,326 converts Baptized last year. (Note: 10½ overseas Baptists won a soul last year; it took 20 North Carolina Baptists to win one!)

Baptist churches on mission fields increased from 2000 to 2201; mission schools from 460 to 499, with 64,362 students.

Southern Baptist gifts for foreign missions increased to $8,759,948 including the Lottie Moon Offering of over three million dollars.

Glorious advances include:

1. A "Little Ridgecrest" given to Japan largely by American military personnel.

2. Foreign Mission Boards organized by European and Nigerian Baptists, and Home Mission work by Venezuela.

3. New Seminaries or Bible Schools in Columbia, the Bahamas, Korea and planned for Indonesia and Malaya.

4. New Hospitals or Clinics opened in Paraguay, Columbia, Mexico, Korea, Jordan and Gaza (given by another denomination), and projected for Southern Rhodesia, Indonesia and Malaya.

5. Baptist World Youth Congress in Rio twice saw 10,000 people attending open-air meetings.

Most desperate is the need for missionaries. At the present rate of increase, IT WILL TAKE 15 YEARS TO REACH 1750 MISSIONARIES. THERE IS TRAGIC DANGER IN DELAY. Appointing an average of 77 missionaries a year and losing about 29 leaves a net gain of only 48—yet last year's urgent, pleading requests were for 287 new missionaries at once.

There are 25,550 ordained Baptist ministers in the United States compared to about 300 in all the mission fields of the world. Many doctors in every American town while Indonesia, sixth largest population in the world, has only one doctor of any kind to every 60,000 people.

Let every church awake and constantly pray for God to call our youth as missionaries.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. W. Walter Jones

35. After congregational singing, "O Zion Haste" Rev. Edwin B. Dozier, Missionary to Japan delivered an uplifting and inspiring message on Missions.

36. Prayer was offered after which the assembly adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

37. The last session of the two days session was called to order by the Moderator. The congregation sang "Rescue the Perishing."

38. The report on Evangelism was presented by Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr. On motion to adopt it was discussed by Dr. Cashwell and Dr. J. C. Canipe, State Secretary of Evangelism. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Although many activities will capture our attention during the coming year, the simultaneous revival crusade must find first place in 1955. This year we have moved toward a Sunday School goal of "A MILLION MORE IN '54." Next year our Associational Evangelistic emphasis will be "EVERY CHURCH REVIVED IN '55."

Your chairman of Evangelism desires that the program of preparation, adopted by the State Secretaries of Evangelism, be followed in our local effort. This program is as follows:

1. Every pastor teaching J. N. Barnette's book, ONE TO EIGHT. October 11-14.

2. Observance of Bible Study Week, January 3-7.

3. All pastors and church leaders attending the Statewide Evangelistic Conference, First Baptist Church, Greensboro, February 7-9.

4. The taking of a religious census.

5. Churchwide study course using soul-winning books and sponsored by the Training Union.

6. Special rallies and all-church prayer meetings.

7. Two weeks of preaching and visitation, April 10-24, with high attendance days in Sunday School and Training Union.

8. A follow-up program in each church which will be our effort to instruct and enlist every new convert in a full active Christian life.

This is our aim. Let us pray that our love for the lost about us will be our motive.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
Chairman of Evangelism

39. Reports of the several committees appointed by the Moderator was made in order.

Time Place and Preacher:

First day to be held at Lenoir First. Preacher: Dr. T. L. Cashwell. Second day: Mt. Zion Church, Saw Mills.

E. E. Stafford, Chairman of Committee on Ridgecrest Property made his report and same was officially adopted.

RIDGECREST PROPERTY—Trustees Report

We, the Trustees, in submitting our report for the past year, wish to express our deep appreciation to those of you who through your contributions and cooperation have made it a very successful year.

We would like to recognize individually those who gave special contributions which are as follows:

A gift of $12.00, given by Miss Elizabeth Campbell, in memory of Miss Edith Steele who passed away in February 1952.

A gift of $53.00, given by the W. M. U. of our association, which was used to purchase mattress covers as designated. Also, for the generous supply of canned foods given.

The gift of two large mirrors, vanity bench and bed, given by the Broyhill Factories through Mr. Bill Howell.

No major repairs or replacements were made during the past year,

and since the physical condition of the properties are apparently good, we do not anticipate any for the coming year. However, we hope to do some minor repairs on the porch and screens of the Cottage and paint the exterior of the old portion.

We have made one payment, as you will note on the financial statement, on our indebtedness-reducing same to the amount of $2,500.00 and will be making another payment in the very near future.

Respectfully submitted,
E. E. Stafford, Treasurer

Report on Constitution of Churches and Ordination was read by Rev. Edd Crump. On motion the report was adopted.

CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES AND ORDINATION OF MINISTERS

Upon request of the Mountain Grove Baptist Church the committee examined and assisted in the ordination of Willie Robert Kimberlin, who had been called as pastor of a Missionary Baptist Church.

Upon the request of the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls the committee examined Jack Coffey a member of that church, but had been called as pastor of Island Creek Baptist Church of Williamsboro, North Carolina. The committee recommended that the First Church should proceed with the ordination, and some weeks later ordained him.

Upon request of Poovey's Chapel the committee examined Jake Hart and recommended his ordination and ordained him. He was called to Adaco Baptist Church.

Upon request of the College Avenue Baptist Church the committee examined Bruce Cresson and recommended his ordination. He was ordained later.

Respectfully submitted,
J. E. Crump, (Chairman)

Report on Nominations was read by Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The following names are submitted as nominations for Associational Offices:

Moderator, J. M. Laxton ..... Kings Creek
Vice-Moderator, James Holder ..... Whitnel First
Clerk, Frank L. Smith, Sr. ..... Lenoir, First
Treasurer, Ed Beach ..... Lower Creek
Historian, M. C. Estes ..... Rocky Springs
Sunday School Supt., George Hollar ..... Concord
Training Union Director, M. O. Owens, Jr. ..... Lenoir, First
W. M. U. Superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt ..... College Ave.
Chairman of Evangelism, T. L. Cashwell, Jr. ..... College Ave.

The following names are submitted as nominations for those to make reports in 1955:

State Missions, A. Lee Pearson ..... Mtn. Grove
Home Missions, Mrs. L. M. Abernathy ..... Granite, First
Foreign Missions, Mrs. Fred Cline ..... Clover

Orphanage, George Steele ..... Lower Creek
Statistician, B. B. Byers ..... College Ave.
Chistian Education, C. B. Bobbitt ..... Rhodhiss
Rel. Lit. & Biblical Rec., Donald Smith ..... Poovey's Grove
Brotherhood, Cade Shaver ..... Sardis
Relief and Annuity, W. W. Jones ..... Lower Creek
Hospital, Earl Pearson ..... Kings Creek
Home for Aging, Mrs. George Wynne ..... Lenoir, First
Allied Church League, Ed Crump ..... Calvary
Stewardship, George Hollar ..... Concord
Obituaries, Mrs. C. A. Bowman ..... Dudley Shoals

The following is nominated for a four year term on the Council, on Ordination of Ministers and Constitution of Churches:
Rev. J. Louis Price ..... Dudley Shoals

The following is nominated for a four year term as trustee of Associational property:
E. E. Stafford ..... College Ave.

The following are nominated to serve with the Treasurer, Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Clerk on the Finance Committee:
Ben Sullivan ..... Harris Chapel
Robert Frye ..... Yadkin
Clarence Prestwood ..... Mulvale
Floyd Kirby ..... Rhodhiss
Don Peek ..... Union

T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman
Lawrence Miller
Lank Estes
T. A. Sheppard
George Hollar
Committee on Nominations

On motion and duly seconded all reports were adopted and upon proper motion officers as recommended by the committee were elected and installed.

40. The report on Stewardship was read by Rev. W. Walter Jones pastor of Lower Creek Church. On motion to adopt same was discussed by Rev. Jones. The report was adopted.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

At the heart of Christianity stands the supreme beatitude of Jesus, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." It has been called, "The very spiritual center of the Bible." Out from this truth radiates the light and joy of Christian living.

However, this beatitude is not believed by most of us. It crashes head on into man's philosophy of what is blessed. It challenges our selfishness and values placed upon what we can have and hold for ourselves.

The challenge of Jesus is that we be ready to spend and be spent

for His glory. Stewardship calls for the giving of self and of substance. It may not be narrowed down to our money only. It controls every phase of Christian service. In fact, no man can be a steward of God until he has first given himself to the Lord Jesus Christ. Two of the troubles in our churches today are, that there are those who have had a Christian experience, but who are not sharing it and many who are seeking to share a Christian experience which they have not had.

We rejoice in every phase of our stewardship evident in our Association. The 15,652 church members, 790 Baptisms, $588,345.33 total gifts, 14,998 enrolled in Sunday School, 4,151 Training Union members, 2,504 enrolled in the Women's Missionary, yes 505 of our men enrolled in Brotherhood work and our Young People from the Vacation Bible School to the queenly quest of the Girl's Auxiliary and the forward steps of the Royal Ambassadors all bespeak the quality and quantity of our stewardship.

Respectfully submitted,
W. Walter Jones

41. The Historian report was read by Frank L. Smith, Sr. On motion and seconded the reports were made a part of the record.

HISTORY OF COLLEGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

On July 17, 1910, in a rented frame building, Mingus Chapel Mission Sunday School was organized into a Baptist Church with 24 charter members. The Rev. I. W. Thomas and J. S. Gwaltney acted as a Presbytery. Thus was born the Church which today is College Avenue Baptist Church and Co-host to the 70th session of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Soon after organization, the Church, under the leadership of its first pastor, Rev. I. W. Thomas, built a one room house of worship on a lot located on Realty Street and donated by Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Griffin. At this point in her history, the Church was called Second Baptist Church.

In 1924, under the leadership of Rev. H. S. Benfield, the church building, now outgrown, was sold and the Reformed Church building, on the corner of Reform Street and College Avenue was purchased and the name changed to South Lenoir Baptist Church.

Her growth at this point was so rapid that twice in a short period of time, it was necessary to make additions to the building. As this was outgrown in 1935 a three story educational building was erected. In 1945 a parsonage was purchased.

In 1947, during the pastorate of Rev. W. F. Woodall, it became necessary to again enlarge, a lot just across the street was purchased and construction was started on a new Sanctuary. On Sunday May 22, 1948, the first service was held in the beautiful new building and the name was changed to College Avenue Baptist Church.

In 1951 the church built a home for the minister of music and education.

The following have served College Avenue as pastors: Rev. I. W. Thomas; Rev. S. A. Rhyne; Rev. I. C. Miller; Rev. R. L. Prestwood; Rev. W. H. Hall; Rev. H. S. Benfield; Dr. Howard Weeks; Rev. W. F. Woodall and the present pastor, Dr. T. L. Cashwell.

Thus in half a century, from a small beginning, we have a Church that has grown to a membership of 1402, has a strong Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood and W. M. U. with all its affiliated organizations.

Today the beautiful house of Worship and adequate Educational facilities stand as a memorial to those who have planned wisely and labored well, led always by the Love of God and a vision of Christian service to a needy world.

HISTORY OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF GRANITE FALLS

The First Baptist Church of Granite Falls, Co-host to the 70th session of the Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized on the 3rd Sunday of June, 1890, with 15 charter members as follows: Pastor, Rev. C. M. Murchison; J. D. Berry; G. W. Houck; J. H. Martin; Julia Austin; Lydda Berry; M. E. Berry; Mrs. Geo. W. Houck; Mrs. Mary E. Mackie; Sarah Elmore; Francis Martin; A. H. Coffey; C. T. Emery; Henry C. Mackie and W. L. Elmore.

The first church building was a one room frame structure on N. Main St., which was used until 1908.

In 1895 a Sunday School was organized, with an enrollment of 48.

In 1907-08 a nice brick building was erected and about 1925 a parsonage was built. In 1928 it became necessary to construct a Sunday School addition to the main auditorium.

On May 3, 1953, the members of the church marched in a body as they occupied the present beautiful and efficiently arranged building. This building was planned to seat about 550 in the auditorium and care for the same number in the Educational department.

The following have served the Church as Pastors: Rev. C. M. Murchison; Rev. M. P. Matheny; Rev. W. R. Bradshaw; Rev. J. G. Pulliam; Rev. W. R. Beach; Rev. W. P. Southern; Rev. J. J. L. Sherwood; Rev. C. S. Cashwell; Rev. C. A. Rhyne; Rev. W. A. Stephenson; Rev. J. B. Pruitt; Rev. W. L. Teague; Rev. J. W. P. Hill; Rev. J. L. Teague; Rev. S. W. Bennett; Rev. G. C. Teague; Rev. P. D. Fletcher and the present Pastor, Rev. C. R. Hinton.

Today, the Church with 577 members, under the able leadership of Rev. C. R. Hinton; has a strong Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood and W. M. U. with all its affiliated units and is a power for God and the spread of the gospel in the community, in the Association and throughout the world.

42. Committee on resolutions were presented by Rev. James Holden, pastor of Whitnel First Church. They were adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

We the Committee on Resolutions for the Caldwell Baptist Association. meeting in its 70th session, wish to express our deep appreciation to Col-

lege Avenue Baptist Church of Lenoir, N. C. for their generous hospitality evident through a bountiful meal, the lovely flowers and kind assistance in every way throughout the day.

We wish to express our deep appreciation to Granite Falls First Baptist Church for their generous hospitality, the delicious meal, the lovely flowers and kind assistance in every way throughout the day.

We are grateful to the program committee for a splendid, inspiring and informative program. We want to thank each person who participated in the program and to especially commend Miss Elizabeth Campbell on her inspiring message; Rev. K. E. Seepe for his excellent Sermon and Rev. Edwin B. Dozier for his challenging message.

We recommend that this Association go on record as strongly disapproving the flagrant and deplorable violations of the law against the sale of Alcoholic Beverages in this County; also as expressing our disapproval of the failure of the law enforcement officers of this County to close and keep closed by legal means these establishments which have been searched and in which such Alcoholic Beverages were found.

Whereas it has come to our attention that there are many open violations of the laws against gambling in our county. We recommend that this Association go on record as deploring these violations and request that the law enforcement officers make every possible effort to stop these acts of gambling at once. We are sure that our law enforcement officers are not ignorant of the following games of chance in our county: The Bank night at the theatres, the slot machines in some of the Civic club halls, the chances sold on automobiles that are supposedly given away, the games and devices of chance at our County Fair and also the Halloween parties sponsored by schools and communities in which many games of chance are played. We request that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the heads of all law enforcement departments in our county.

We wish to express our deep sorrow of the passing of one of our outstanding christian Layman J. R. Swanson, who, for 54 years never missed a sermon of the Caldwell Association and for many years was Clerk and Historian.

We recommend the meeting of a night session of this Association for inspiration and fellowship and this meeting be held in a church other than those in which we meet in the day sessions.

James Holder
A. C. Moody
Mrs. Dewey Annas

DEDICATION

Brother Moderator:

I move that the Minutes of the Seventieth Annual Session of Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association be dedicated to Miss Elizabeth Campbell in recognition of her tenth anniversary as our Missionary.

For most of us here assembled, this Seventieth Annual Session of Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association has little or no unusual significance. There is one, however, who finds this to be a marker along the

way of service.

In 1944 Miss Elizabeth Campbell joined Caldwell Baptists as our Associational Missionary. Today she celebrates ten years of faithful ministry in our midst.

It would be impossible to indicate with accuracy all of the advances and achievements which are the direct results of her service. Her influence has been felt everywhere and in all things. These have been ten years of marked progress, and today Caldwell Baptists can say we are experiencing our highest hours.

Today we congratulate ourselves on the good fortune of having Miss Campbell as our Missionary. We commend her for her faithfulness and patience. We wish for ourselves and her many more fruitful years together. We pray God's continued blessings upon her and her home. On behalf of the Association I wish to present Miss Campbell with this check for $50.00, and ask her to accept it as a token of our love and appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. T. L. Cashwell

CONDENSED COPY

RIDGECREST CABIN FUND
Submitted by E. E. Stafford, Treasurer.

Balance on Hand — August 31st, 1953		$ 701.06
Deposits		1,210.91
		$1,911.97
Matron Fees	$ 125.00	
Water, Lights and Fuel	104.95	
Fire Protection	3.00	
Insurance on Cottage	70.42	
Telephone calls, traveling expenses and misc. supplies	10.00	
Ledger and fillers	6.18	
Bed, spring and Mattress covers	71.74	
Plumbing	40.97	
Cottage Registration	10.00	
Payment on Notes Payable	500.00	
Interest on Notes Payable	112.50	
	$1,054.76	
Cash in Bank — August 31st, 1954		$ 857.21

207 People signed Register — (Using Cottage 1 to 6 days)
63 People signed Register as VISITORS

OUR ASSOCIATIONAL PROGRAM

The Missionary's report today reflects our Associational Program and what it means to all the churches as well as to many thousands of people living in its environs.

We should be proud of our Associational Program and I am sure that we are, for through it we are reaching all the churches in our association.

One of the greatest assets of our program of missions is what it is doing for and through our smaller churches. Not only in its organizational efforts, but in helping to establish programs of work which encourages

them and helps them to see the value of cooperation and of knowing and understanding our denominational work so much better.

Through the cooperation of the larger and stronger churches, not only with their gifts, but also with the help of many of their workers. Miss Campbell has been able to promote and conduct all these Vacation Bible Schools in the smaller churches, where otherwise there would have been no such schools and many girls and boys would still be lost.

The many training schools that are held in individual churches and the central training schools in our association are the results of our associational program.

All the many phases of work that is being carried on by such a program certainly should make every church want to cooperate more fully with this program and give it more support. It's worthy of our best.

Respectfully submitted,
Ernest W. Moore

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

In our last annual meeting there was a resolution passed that asked the Moderator to appoint a special committee with authority to investigate reports of Churches in our Association which may be:

1. Carry on any Non-Baptist practice or belief.
2. Anti-Missionary in spirit or practice.

This Committee wishes to make a statement or two about this matter.

Our attention has been called to certain things in which some of our churches are engaging that are contrary to generally accepted principles of Baptist Faith and Practice. As we interpret the scriptures, we believe that these things are detrimental to our Baptist fellowship, for they tend toward "isms" and strange doctrines. We deplore these things and feel that a continuation in such practices will prove destructive rather than helpful to our fellowship as Baptists. It is our hope that these and all such practices that would in any way hinder the Kingdom will be discontinued that our fellowship may be strengthened.

If our Association interprets Anti-Missionary in spirit or practice to be; failing to give to outside causes; failing to support our Associational program with money, time, and cooperation, we have some churches in our Association that are Anti-Missionary.

We call attention to the following paragraph in the Constitution of our Association: Article 2 Section 1. Also in our Abstract of Principles of Faith and Practice, we call attention to Paragraph 6.

We suggest that in the future the Committee on Petitionary Letters, and all other responsible committees, exercise care to assure that churches requesting fellowship in this Association adhere in faith and practice to the spirit of these principles set forth in the Constitution and Abstract.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert Frye, (Chairman)
T. A. Sheppard
J. F. Reece
John Carter
J. E. Pearson

43. A motion was made by Rev. John E. Carter and seconded by Mr. Boldin to amend the resolution to read: That the Moderator appoint a pastors committee to discuss the matter of gambling in our public schools. Same to be discussed with the Caldwell County School Principals. Motion carried.

The Moderator appointed Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Rev. K. E. Seepe and Rev. Walter Jones on the above named committee.

44. A motion was made by Rev. W. Walter Jones and seconded: "That in event an emergency occurs anytime during the associational year same may be referred to the officers for action. Officers included to be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer." The motion carried.

45. Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., presented Rev. Roger Williams, pastor of Highland Baptist Church, Hickory who delivered an outstanding address on Stewardship.

46. Exceptionally good attendance was noted at all sessions. The Church auditorium at College Avenue and Granite First Church remained filled until final adjournment. After singing "Bless Be the Tie that Binds," closing prayer was offered by Rev. Holland.

J. Malcolm Laxton, Moderator
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk

OUR BELOVED DEAD - - - YEAR ENDING AUGUST 30, 1954

The following have gone to their eternal reward since we last met:

BETHANY
Mrs. Chanie Cooke
BLAIRS FORK
Mr. W. B. Holsclaw, Deacon
BUFFALO COVE
Mrs. Nancy Taylor
CENTER GROVE
Mrs. Lillie Goble Hall
Mr. Gwyn Bean
Mr. Roy Mitchen
CONWAYS CHAPEL
Sam Branch, Deacon
DUDLEY SHOALS
Mr. R. E. Sears, Deacon
Mrs. John Fox
Miss Ollie Hayes
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Turner Walker
GLOBE
Z. V. Holloway, Deacon
GRANDIN
Mr. J. C. Mann
CLOVER
Mrs. Frank Kirby
CONCORD
Mrs. G. J. Miller
Mr. Frank Jones
Mr Larkin Travis
GREEN VALLEY
Mr W. J. Chisp
HARRIS CHAPEL
Mr. W. D. Joplin
HARTLAND
Mr. W. S. McCall, Deacon
HIBRITEN
Mrs. Linda Helton
JOHNS RIVER
Mrs. Cora Hartley
KINGS CREEK
Mr. Max Osborne
CALVARY
Mr. B. H. Watson, Deacon
Mr. Thomas Rayfield
Mr. Len Holden
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mr. Walter Winkler
Mrs. Walter Winkler
Mrs. Jane Eller
Mrs. H. C. Quillen
Mr. Harry Goble
LENOIR FIRST
Mrs. J. M. Blizzard
Mr. Dave C. Farthing
Mrs. T. J. Meekins
Mr. Herbert E. Merritt, Deacon
Mr. Earl Watson
LOWER CREEK
Mr. J. R. Swanson, Active Clerk 54 years.
Mr. T. B. Swanson
Mr. Vance Austin
Mr. Sam Austin
Mrs. Rebecca Austin
Mrs. R. L. Steele
Mrs. K. W. Allen
TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mr. L. C. Holsclaw, Deacon
MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mr. John Morrison
MT. ZION
Mrs. Donia A. Drum
MULVALE
Mr. Charlie Thompson
Mrs. Boone Estes
NELSONS CHAPEL
Rev. D. S. Lee
Lester Miller
NEW HOPE
Mrs. Mattie Suddreth
OAK GROVE
Mrs. Julia Richards
PINEY GROVE
Mr. Roby Story
POOVEYS GROVE
Haskel Tolbert
ROCKY SPRINGS
Mrs. Jude Rader

SARDIS
Mr. James M. Swanson
Mr. George D. Carroll
Mr. W. W. Keller
Mr. Boone C. Craig
UNION BAPTIST
Mr. C. J. McLeod
CENTRAL BAPTIST
Mrs. C. C. Steele
WHITNEL FIRST
Mr. Floyd Parson
Mrs. Henry Haigler
WINKLERS GROVE
Mrs. Bessie Miller
Mr. Jim Hicks
Mr. Luther Hendrix
Mr. John Woods
Mr. Clarence Clontz
WORSHIP POINT
Mr. James Craig
YADKIN
Mr. Hardie Curtis
Mr. W. A. Jackson
Mrs. J. W. Burgess

LAY-MEMBERS-EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

As provided in the constitution, each pastor in the association and one lay-member from each church in addition to the above officers, comprise this committee: (The following churches reporting their representative)

Baton: C. B. Bollinger, Rt. 2, Granite Falls; Bethany, (none); Blairs Fork: Jennings Taylor, Rt. 8, Lenoir; Buffalo: J. C. Todd, Ferguson; Cedar Rock: Collette P. Cantor, Rt. 1, Lenoir; Center Grove: P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls; Clarks Chapel: W. R. Stone, Rt. 9, Lenoir; Dudley Shoals: Wade Smith, Granite Falls; Edgemont: W. P. Vines, Mortimer; Flemings Chapel, T. J. Winkler, Rt. 4, Lenoir; Globe: Chas. L. Gragg, Globe; Grandview Park: Charles Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir; Grandin: Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir; Clover: Fred Cline, Granite Falls; Concord: George W. Hollar, Granite Falls; Harris Chapel: O. L. Cloer, Hudson; Hartland: W. J. Mull, Rt. 3, Morganton; Johns River: Gordon Estes, Upton; Joyceton: Wesley Triplett, Rt. 1, Hudson; Kings Creek: A. G. Beach, Rt. 1, Lenoir; Calvary: Woodrow Green, Hudson; College Avenue: B. B. Byers, Rt. 6, Lenoir; Lenoir First: Lank Estes, Lenoir; Temple Hill: Andrew Kirby, Rt., Granite Falls; West Lenoir: W. F. Whittington, Lenoir; Longford: Fred W. Pearson, Lenoir; Lovelady: Lester Yount, Granite Falls; Miller Hill: Raylo Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir; Mt. Zion: Paul Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson; Mulberry: Charlie Chandler, Rt. 8, Lenoir; Mountain Grove: A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls; Mt. View: Cecil Chester, Rt. 5, Lenoir; Mulvale: Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 4, Lenoir; Nelson's Chapel: Wallace Cozart, Rt. 8, Lenoir; New Hope: C. H. Crotts, Rt. 1, Lenoir; Oak Grove: (none); Piney Grove: Charlie Winkler, Rt. 8, Lenoir; Pleasant Hill: Dick Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir; Pisgah; Ambrose Bryant, Rt. 7, Lenoir; Poovey's Chapel: Mrs. Edith Hartley, Hudson; Poovey's Grove: Garland Keller, Rt. 2, Granite Falls; Rhodhiss; Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss; Rock Springs: Dallas Coffey, Rt. 4, Lenoir; Rufus: W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir; Sardis: Dewey L. Bostian, Rt. 1, Hudson; Setzer Creek; Ted Gentry, Rt. 5, Lenoir; Union: John Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir; Center: A. J. Parson, Lenoir; Whitnel: E. C. Turnmyre, Sr., Rt. 2, Lenoir; Worship Point: Melvin Childress, Lenoir; Yadkin: Herbert Miller, Rt. 5, Lenoir; Yadkin: Glen Collis, Rt. 5. Lenoir; Zack's Fork, John R. Whisnant, Rt. 1, Lenoir.

MINUTES OF THE
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION
HELD AT
MT. ZION CHURCH
APRIL 21, 1954

The Caldwell Woman's Missionary Association met in their 41st Session April 21, 1954. Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Hudson, N. C. was host to 264 women representing 30 of the 40 Societies of the Association.

The Program for the day began at 9:35 A. M. and continued until 3:30 P. M. in the afternoon. The Theme: ENTRUSTED TO US was carried out in both the messages brought by the different officers of the Association and in the devotionals and special music of the day. Miss Janet Wilson, Young People's Leader in North Carolina and Miss Anna Frances Todd, Missionary to Columbia, South America, were the featured speakers of the day and their messages were inspiring and timely.

The W. M. U. Association reports much progress in all phases of the work. Mrs. J. N. Moore, Stewardship Chairman reports a total of 645 tithers. The gifts to special offerings were above those reported for previous years also. Given to Lottie Moon Christmas Offering $3,774.78; to Annie Armstrong Offering $1,149.90; to Heck Jones Memorial Offering $541.39; to State Missions $630.76. Total gifts reported $6.096.83.

Our Mission Study report of 157 Mission Study Classes, 1786 enrolled in classes, 1360 reading one or more approved Missionary books and 1575 Approved Missionary books read in a very worthy report given by Mrs. Albert Holden. In Matthew 15 we find these words: "And Jesus said, are ye also yet without understanding?" How can we understand, sympathize with, and pray for our work and our workers unless we read and study?

Along with our Mission Study report comes the report of our Literature Chairman, Mrs. G. M. Icenhour. She reports the following figures on the number of our people subscribing to the Missionary Periodicals which we hope will be increased much this coming year. Royal Service 454; The Window of Y. W. A. 77; Tell 100; Ambassador Life 69; Sunbeam Activities 25: and Biblical Recorder 469. We ask ourselves what do reports mean to us? Our Missionary magazines should have an important part in our lives. Are we multiplying the number of subscribers and readers to our five magazines? We will gain knowledge of the world conditions and needs in the light of Christian truths found in these magazines.

Our Secretary-Treasurer reports that $236.80 has been collected for Associational expenses along with the balance of $40.94 brought the total for expenses for the year to $277.74. Figures in themselves are uninteresting, but our women will be glad to know that of this amount $60.50 was collected and sent as a love gift to Mrs. Ruth Keller Craig; $53.00 was given to buy mattress covers for our Cottage at Ridgecrest; $40.00 was sent to pay our part of the Divisional Expense and after other minor expenses were taken care of, Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Treasurer, reports a balance of $53.35 as of September 23, 1954.

Miss Faye Turmire gave the following most interesting report on our Young People's work: "Give an account of thy stewardship," are the words that ring out in my mind today as I think of our W. M. S. fostering our Young People's Organizations. Through God's Eyes what do we see? Sixty-Three Churches, 72 Young People's Organizations in 23 Churches with a total of 658 members. In Caldwell Association we have 8,577 young people enrolled in Sunday School, only 658 in our Missionary Organizations. Where are the other 7,919 that are in our Sunday School, plus those white fields outside the Churches?

"Thou art . . . thou shalt be." John 1:42

"And the vessel that he made of clay was marred in the hand of the potter: so he made it again another vessel, as seemed good to the potter to make it." Jer. 18:4. It is not true that our responsibility is not as great in what our Young People are now as it is in what they may become. As "Laborers together with God" we must plant in our Young People's hearts God's word and water with the love of the Lord Jesus Christ. If we do, we will see God give the increase. Our Goal for 1954-55 is 1000 young people enrolled in Missionary Organizations.

The report of the Appreciation Committee, read by Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Chairman, was as follows: We your committee express our thanks and appreciation to the Mt. Zion Woman's Missionary Society, and entire Church, for their gracious hospitality, and their every effort for our comfort and convenience. We are deeply grateful to Miss Janet Wilson, State Young People's Leader, and to Miss Anna Frances Todd, Missionary to Columbia, South America for the inspiration of their challenging messages and pledge to them our continued support and prayers. To Mrs. Grover Triplett, Superintendent, to Miss Faye Turmire, our Young People's Leader, and to all the other Associational Officers and leaders for their loyal, loving service; to our Associational Missionary Miss Elizabeth Campbell, for her untiring and efficient work; to our Pastors for their presence and help, and for their continual encouragement and support; and to every one who has contributed to the profit and pleasure of this wonderful day.

The Time and Place Committee brought an invitation from the Sardis Baptist Church of Hudson, N. C. for the Meeting of the Association in 1955, which was very heartily approved by the women present.

Officers for the year 1954-55 were elected and installed: Superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt; Assoc. Supt., Mrs. Ed Lee Steele; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ira Pritchard; Young People's Leader, Miss Faye Turmire; Mission Study Chm., Mrs. Albert Holden ; Stewardship Chm., Mrs. J. N. Moore; Librarian, Miss Eller Dickson; Community Missions Chm , Mrs. C. A. Bowman; Literature Chm., Mrs. Nelson Clay; Margaret Fund Chm., Mrs. M. O. Owens; Y. W. A. Leader, Mrs. Fred Cline; R. A. Leaders, Mr. D. O. Taylor, Mr. Bruce Kirby; G. A. Leader, Mrs. Elihu Miller; Sunbeams, Mrs. John E. Carter; Pianist, Mrs. Boyd Benfield; Chorister, Mrs. Dewey Annas. Miss Janet Wilson led in a prayer of Dedication and the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Supt.

Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Sec.

HISTORICAL TABLE
CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1885 - 1953

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir First	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	M. O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	C. R. Hinton
1953 Mt. Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	K. E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls 1st	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	E. B. Dozier

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Ordained Minister	Address	Church Membership	Present Work
Jesse Adams	Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	Inactive
E. M. Barnes	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Temple Hill	Inactive
L. B. Beane	Mortimer, N. C.	Maple Grove	
H. S. Benfield	Lenoir, N. C.	Sardis	Retired
N. R. Black	Box 156, Whitnel	Pleasant Hill	Pleasant Hill
C. B. Bobbitt	Rhodhiss, N. C.	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Will Bolick	Rt. 3, Lenoir	Union Grove	
Maston Bradshaw	Hudson, N. C.	Blairs Fork	Chaplain
Ira Bristol	Collettsville, N. C.	Green Valley	Inactive
J. J. Buckner	Whitnel, N. C.	Central	Central
Alfred Bumgarner	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Pooveys Grove	Inactive
D. L. Bumgarner	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandview	Grandview Park
George Cannon	Connelly Springs	Winklers Grove	
John E. Carter	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	College Avenue
W. W. Cloer	Hudson, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Inactive
H. C. Coffey	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Boone's Fork	Temple Hill
Niles Compton	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Baton	Baton
Charlie Cook	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Union Grove	Inactive
Will Cooke	Lenoir, N. C.	Mt. Vernon	Buffalo Cove
R. C. Cooke	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Globe	Rufus
J. E. Crump	Hudson, N. C.	Calvary	Calvary
Bruce Cresson	209 Reform St. Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	Inactive
Lloyd J. Culler	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove	Union Grove
L. R. Davis	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Blairs Fork	Blairs Fork
O. C. Dellinger	Collettsville, N. C.	Green Valley	Johns River
J. E. Driver	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	Inactive
Walter Dula	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Inactive
Cartie Eggers	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	
Thomas B. Flowe	Granite Falls, N. C.	Oak Grove	Oak Grove
W. H. Flowers	Box 552 Rutherford College	Pleasant Hill	
Robert A. Frye	Patterson, N. C.	Yadkin	Yadkin
Ashley Gragg	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	
Alvin Green	Granite Falls, N. C.	Lovelady	Lovelady
Blaine H. Grose	Lenoir, N. C.	First Baptist	M. M. & E. D. First Baptist
Dale Ira Hart	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	
W. C. Harless	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		Cedar Rock
Charles Haas	General Del. Granite Falls, N. C.	Clover	
Horace Harris	Lenoir, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel
Calvin Helton	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Hibriten	
Wade Hice	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Union Grove	Inactive

C. R. Hinton	Granite Falls, N. C.	Granite Falls First	Granite Falls First
James Holder	Box 113, Whitnel	Whitnel First	Whitnel First
Jack Holland	Rt. 5, Hickory	Winklers Grove	Winklers Grove
Paul J. Hopkins	Rt. 1, Hudson	Mountain Zion	Mountain Zion
Claude Huffman	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	
Paul Jarvis	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Mulvale	Mulvale
W. Walter Jones	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Lower Creek	Lower Creek
Frank Knight	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	Hibriten
Henkle Little	Stony Point, N. C.	Winklers Grove	
Oscar R. Mangum	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Retired
Homer Messer	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Lake View	Yadkin Valley
Brodus Miller	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Mt. Zion	Inactive
L. A. Miller	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Long Ford	Inactive
Leonard B. Miller	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Grandview Park	Inactive
Paul L. Morrow	Rt. 1, Hudson	Center Grove	Center Grove
A. C. Moody	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Setzer Creek	Setzer Creek
Ernest Moore	Granite Falls, N. C.	Concord	Concord
W. R. Moss	Lenoir, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Retired
Carl Mull	Rt. 3, Morganton	Temple Missionary	Temple Missionary
George Mull	Rt. 3, Morganton	Hartland	Inactive
J. W. Myers	Box 4917 G. Falls	Oak Grove	Inactive
Bennie McDonald	Lenoir, N. C.	Pisgah	Pisgah
C. R. McFelea	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	West Lenoir
H. M. McGinnis	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Mountain Grove	Mountain Grove
H. H. McManus	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Clover	Inactive
M. O. Owens, Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Lenoir First
J. H. Nelson	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Setzer Creek	Inactive
Dewey Newton	Collettsville, N. C.		Rocky Springs
Roy Paige	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
J. E. Pearson	Kings Creek, N. C.	Kings Creek	Kings Creek
Don L. Peek	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Baptist	Union Baptist
M. S. Phillips	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	New Hope	Inactive
R. H. Phillips	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Mountain View	Inactive
J. Roy Philyaw	Globe, N. C.	Maple Grove	Inactive
Horace E. Pitts	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Hartley Hill	Edgemont Maple Grove
F. L. Prestwood	Rt. 1, Hudson	Joyceton	Joyceton
R. L. Prestwood	Lenoir, N. C.	Joyceton	Retired
J. Lewis Price	Rt. 1, Granite Falls	Dudley Shoals	Dudley Shoals
Hubert Pritchard	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Mountain View
J. W. Ramsey	Rt. 3, Morganton	Hartland	Hartland
D. W. Rash	Lenoir, N. C.	Blairs Fork	Chaplain
J. A. Revelt	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
Joe Richards	Boiling Springs	Oak Grove	Inactive
Joe Rhodes	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	
Marvin Saunders	Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	
K. E. Seepe	Hudson, N. C.	Sardis	Sardis

Rodney Setzer	Rt. 1, Hudson	Joyceton	Inactive
T. A. Sheppard	Granite Falls, N. C.	Clover	Clover
Howard Shores	Box 283, Hudson	Cool Springs	Bethany
F. P. Shumaker	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Inactive
J. S. Silver	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Zacks Fork
Perry Smith	Hickory, N. C.	Temple Hill	Inactive
L. E. Snipes	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Clarks Chapel	Clarks Chapel
W. L. Sorrells	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Flemings Chapel
Claude Suddreth	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Worship Point
Gwyn Sullivan	Boiling Springs	Nelson Chapel	New Hope Nelson Chapel
Dewey Sumpter	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	Calvary	Inactive
Lewis Swanson	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Hartland	Retired
Tommie Swinson	Hudson, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Harris Chapel
Harold Townsend	Hickory, N. C.	High View	High View
Bernard Tuttle	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Piney Grove
Thomas Watson	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Long Ford	Inactive
John L. Wells	North Wilkesboro	1st Baptist, North Wilkesboro	Grandin
J. E. Younce	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.		Conways Chapel

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP–

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS: Baptisms	GAINS: Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL: Total Resident Members	TOTAL: Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL: Grand Total Present Members	TOTAL: Male Membership	TOTAL: Female Membership	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Revival Meetings Held	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Number Tithers	SPECIAL INFORMATION: State Paper in Budget	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Missions Supported by Church	SPECIAL INFORMATION: No. Missions	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Baton	R	1951	all	Niles E Compton, R2,Granite Falls	5	6	6	41	2	43	19	24		39	No			1430.00
Bethany	R	1902	2-4	Howard Shore,Box 283,Hudson,NC	1	2	1	48		48	21	27			No			
Blairs Fork	R	1891	all	L R Davis,R8,Lenoir, NC	3		11	98	7	105	46	59	2	35	no			2390.00
Buffalo Cove	R	1857	1-3	Will Cooke, Boone, NC	11		4	62	42	104			2					485.47
Cedar Rock	R	1942	all	W. C. Harless, R5,Box311,Lenoir	14	10	19	50	12	62	30	32	1		no			
Center Grove	R	1912	all	Paul Morrow, R1, Hudson,NC	14	6	5	157	4	161	58	103	2	29	no			3120.00
Clarks Chapel	R	1900	2-4	L. E. Snipes, R6, Lenoir, NC	13	8	6	190	65	255	102	153	2	12	no			1820.00
Conways Chapel	R		2-4	J E Younce, R4, Lenoir, NC			7	23	55	78			2					
Dudley Shoals	R	1861	all	J Louis Price,R 1,Granite Falls,	16	9	7	250	68	318	136	182	2	10	no			3380.00
Edgemont	R	1915	2-4	Horace Pitts,R6 Box 406, Lenoir	1			22	12	34	12	22	1		no			
Flemings Chapel	R	1867	all	W L Sorrells, R 7, Lenoir, NC	28	25	8	246	74	320	137	183	1					2635.00
Globe	R	1832	1-3	Claude B Suddreth, R4, Lenoir,NC			7	50	48	98			1					173.93
Grandin	R	1914	1-3	John L Well,E St, No.Wilkesboro	2	1	5	75	23	98	45	53	1	18	no			1075.00
Grandview Park	R	1930	1-3	D L Bumgarner, R4, Lenoir, NC	9	10		90	65	155			2		no			2210.00
GRANITE FALLS:																		
Clover	T	1942	all	T A Sheppard,Box 4815, Granite F.	8	21	13	156	67	223			2	75	yes			3380.00
Concord	T	1908	all	Ernest W Moore, Box 4914,Granite	36	14	33	427	95	522	250	272	3	75				4770.00
Granite Falls 1st	T	1890	all	C R Hinton, Granite Falls, NC	19	29	16	417	112	529			1	230	yes			4680.00
Green Rock	R	1889	2-4	L.B Beane, Mortimer, NC	1		3	32	27	59	28	31	1	2				154.27
Green Valley	R	1888	1-3	L B Beane, Mortimer, NC			1	25	32	57	23	34	1					228.39
Harris Chapel	R	1912	all	Tommy Seinson, Hudson, NC	48	37	10	370	54	424	220	204	2	103	yes			3950.00
Hartland	R	1938	all	J W Ramsey, R3,Morganton, NC	15	13	1	202	25	227	98	129	2	27	no			2280.56
Hibriten	R	1950	all	A F Knight, Hudson, NC	21	9	1	147	45	192				15		4		1677.10
High View	R	1950	all	Harold Townsend,71-15thSE,Hickory	8	10	14	88	11	99	43	56	2	4	no			520.00
Johns River	R	1890	2	O C Dellinger,Collettsville, NC		2	7	43	70	113	57	56	1		no			176.27
Joyceton	R	1952	all	Francis L Prestwood,R1,Hudson, NC	8	7	4	63	12	75	32	43	1	10	yes			1920.00
Kings Creek	R	1779	all	J E Pearson, Kings Creek, NC	21	8	13	324	90	414			2		no			3400.00
LENOIR:																		
Calvary	C	1945	all	J E Crump, Box 106, Hudson, NC	16	19	11	321	100	421	171	250	2	35	no			4160.00
College Avenue	C	1910	all	T L Cashwell,Jr.,482 W Harper,Lenoir	20	32	38	1054	348	1402	419*	635*		75	no			5610.00
Lenoir 1st	C	1889	all	M O Owens,Jr.,219 Highland,Lenoir	41	30	44	772	202	974	429	545	1	60	yes			6600.00
Lower Creek	C	1826	all	W Walter Jones, R2, Lenoir, NC	20	17	25	506	100	606	266	340	1		no			4420.00
Temple Missionary	C	1941	all	Carl J Mull,R5,Morganton,NC				64		64	22	42	2	10	no			25.00

West Lenoir	C	1943	all	C R McFelea, R7, Lenoir, NC	10	6	8	178		178			2		no	9	2500.00
Longford	R	1934	all		4	3	9	154	117	271			2	14	no		3176.25
Lovelady	R	1864	all	Alvin Greene,Granite Falls,NC	13	7	5	164	31	195	70	125	2	30	no		2770.00
Maple Grove	R		1-3	H E Pitts,R6,Box406,Lenoir,NC			2	33	55	88	32	56	1		no		117.93
Miller Hill	R	1935	1-3	L E Snipes,R6,Box 715,Lenoir	19	3	8	166	45	211	87	124	2	21	no		1485.00
Mountain Grove	R	1884	all	H M McGinnis,R2,Granite Falls	11	17	20	308	48	356	156	200	1	63	no		3900.00
Mountain View	R	1948	all	Hubert Pritchard,R4,Lenoir	4	5	7	41	44	85	30	55	1	8	no	2	780.00
Mt. Zion	R	1889	all	Paul J Hopkins,R1,Hudson,NC	32	16	22	544	45	589			2	52	no		3900.00
Mulberry	R	1853	1-3	Will Bolick,R3,Lenoir, NC	5	4	5	40		40			1				600.00
Mulvale	R	1941	all	Paul Jarvis, R4, Lenoir,NC	3	5	10	108	8	116				5	no	4	1320.00
Nelsons Chapel	R	1905	1-3	Gwyn Sullivan,Boiling Springs	2		4	55	11	66	21	35	1	14	no		1331.44
New Hope	R	1939	2-4	Gwyn Sullivan,Boiling Springs	5		5	79	21	100	41	59	1		no		720.00
Oak Grove	R	1938	all	Thos.B Flowe,Box481l,Granite F.	6	9	3	136	23	159	76	83	2	38	no		3069.65
Piney Grove	R	1869	all	Bernard Tuttle,R5,Lenoir,NC	13	10	2	168	50	218	101	117	1				1597.85
Pisgah	R	1877	all	Bennie McDonald,Lenoir,NC	3		12	65	60	125	50	75	2	15			1300.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	all	N R Black,Box156,Whitnel,NC	10	28	4	172	25	197			2	17	no		2600.00
Pooveys Chapel	R	1932	1-3	Horace Harris,211 Prospect,Lenoir	16	13	4	200	5	205	93	112	2	20	no	4	2400.00
Pooveys Grove	R	1898	all	John E Carter,R2 Bx 64,Granite F.	15	14	4	220	51	271	102*	118*	1		no		3120.00
Rhodhiss	T	1906	all	C B Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, NC	11	14	18	175	183	358	142	216	2	25	no		3900.00
Rocky Springs	V	1845	1-3	Dewey Newton,Collettsville,NC	5		3	93	38	131			1				871.50
Rufus	R	1940	2-4	R C Cooke,R8,Lenoir, NC	1		1	71	14	85			1				480.00
Sardis	T	1831	all	K E Seepe, Hudson, NC	31	24	29	428	103	531	245	286	2	100	no		3600.00
Setzer Creek	R	1948	all	A C Moody,Jr.,R8,Lenoir,NC	13	3	1	120	26	146	64	82	2	8			2860.00
Temple Hill	R	1946	all	H C Coffey,R2,GraniteFalls,NC	1	2	7	57	63	120	42	78	1	1	no		720.00
Union	R	1814	all	Don L Peek,R2,Lenoir, NC	13	8	20	247	169	416			3	35	no		2615.50
Union Grove	R	1898	all	LLoyd J Culler,R3,Lenoir,NC	30	9	10	356		356	163	193	2		yes		1760.00
WHITNEL:																	
Central	T	1938	all	J J Buckner, Whitnel, NC	18	12	12	261	86	347			2				4420.00
Whitnel 1st	T	1910	all	James E Holder, Whitnel,NC	25	8	13	209	41	250	141	109	2	45	no		3640.00
Winklers Grove	R	1886	all	Jack Holland,R5,Hickory,NC	33	17	6	354	166	520	241	279	2		no		4160.00
Worship Point	R	1946	all	Claude B Suddreth,R4,Lenoir	9	3	3	52	10	62	28	51	2	5		9	300.00
Yadkin	R	1791	all	Robert Frye, Patterson,NC	15	2	11	345	84	429	187	242	2	80	no		3510.00
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	1-3	Homer Messer,R2,GraniteFalls				31	27	58			2	3	yes		1040.00
Zacks Fork	R	1951	1-3	J S Silver,R6,Lenoir,NC	2	2		53	18	71	41	30	2	10	no		940.00
* Denotes residential members																	
totals					777	569	588	12096	3534	15630	4817*	6200*	97	1473		23	34315.11

Table B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL–

CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes And Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V.B.S.	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools
Baton	Robert L Amick,R2,Granite Falls,NC			15	15	17	8	9	20		3		87	55	70	65	yes	2
Bethany	Jack Chandler,R8,Lenoir,NC			12		4		15	17				48		21	20	no	
Blairs Forks	R B Holsclaw,Jr.,R5,Lenoir,NC		5	14	8	10	9	15	48				109	85	32	30	no	
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Ferguson,NC			10	12	18	10	8	20				78	53	47	45	no	
Cedar Rock	J O Stamey,R1,Box 112,Lenoir,NC			17		20		13	35				85	42	37	33	no	
Center Grove	Melvin Lail,R1, Hudson,NC	18		48	46	43	32	87	37		2		313	195	120	102	no	
Clarks Chapel	S A Puett,R3, Lenoir, NC			13	18	30	27	27	80		2		197	110	73	65	yes	1
Conways Chapel	R A Annas,R6 Box 475,Lenoir,NC		2	2	5	5		10	8				32		19	17		
Dudley Shoals	O L Smith,R1,Granite Falls,NC	44		25	31	36	34	19	125	12	3		329	155	127	115	yes	1
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Mortimer,NC			8		8	10		20				46	30	19	18	no	
Flemings Chapel	J T Greene,R7,Lenoir,NC			18	25	40	27	64	82		2		258	220	157	122	yes	
Globe	Robert E Coffey,Globe,NC			11		7	12	8	13				51	34	42	38	no	
Grandin	Hill C Lackey,R1,Box 568,Lenoir,NC	12	5	8	4	10	15	6	35	5	2		92	40	31	30	yes	2
Grandview Park	Charles Melton,R6,Lenoir,NC			18	16	26	26	38	50		5		179	120	100	85	no	
GRANITE FALLS:																		
Clover	H H McManus,R2,Granite Falls,NC		20	20	20	44	28	29	92		9		262	124	89	80	yes	5
Concord	George W Hollar,95 Archer,GraniteFalls	54	38	35	61	72	69	88	166	52	3		638	291	226	192	yes	4
Granite 1st	Baine L Smith, Granite Falls, NC	18	40	43	56	77	61	62	202	10	6		575	285	185	142	yes	3
Green Rock	Roy L Woodring, Box 4,Ferguson,NC		4	2	7	4			20		1		38	23	15	14	no	
Green Valley	Henry Ford,Jr.,Collettsville,NC			20		8	20		20		2		70	50	37	32		
Harris Chapel	J C Sullivan,R1,Hudson,NC		26	48	37	51	39	37	157	3	2		400	244	186	168	yes	1
Hartland	Oscar McCall,R6,Lenoir,NC			25	19	26	27	21	102				220	131	102	91	yes	1
Hibriten	Charlie Helton, Hudson, NC			25	22	30	24	18	70				189	106	57	50	yes	
High View	Troy Smith, R1, Hudson,NC			10	7	12	13		29				71	50	35	35	yes	
Johns River	Gordon Estes, Upton,NC	3		9		12			16				40	29	14	12	no	
Joyceton	Carl S Triplett,R9,Lenoir, NC			15	16	17	20		32				100	60	39	35	yes	
Kings Creek	Clyde Coffey, R1,Boomer, NC		19	29	29	42	43	42	110	12			326	182	122	115	yes	3
LENOIR:																		
Calvary	Cecil Lindsay, Box 545,Lenoir,NC			25	45	47	43	18	140		5		323	210	142	109	no	
College Avenue	A W Dodge,210 Grove, Lenoir, NC		126	103	111	164	150	117	412		6		1189	637	327	280	yes	3
Lenoir 1st	Chas. W.Johnson,jr.,103 Sharon,Lenoir	42	83	67	86	106	64	50	393	115	8		1014	473	241	183	yes	2
Lower Creek	G G Steele, R1, Lenoir, NC	12	43	32	59	65	50	44	231	40	5		581	311	250	202	yes	2

Temple Miss'y	Jack Clarke,228 West Ave,Lenoir,NC		20	18	10	10	9	12	20			99	75	30	24	no	
West Lenoir	W F Whittington,Bradford Ave,Lenoir,NC			39	40	38	28	43	68			256	157	124	108	yes	
Longford	Grady A Sumpter,No.MainExt.,Lenoir,NC		8	9	15	27	16	27	44		3	149	100	75	65		
Lovelady	Walter Turnmire,Granite Falls, NC			25	25	32	31	40	77		2	232	123	105	90	no	
Maple Grove	Mrs Hattie Shoemake,Mortimer,NC		9	4	4	14	12	5	24			72	41	18	15	no	
Miller Hill	Raylo Smith,R3,Box32-A,Lenoir, NC		14	24	14	33	24	19	77		3	208	116	78	72	no	1
Mountain Grove	A Lee Pearson,R2,GraniteFalls, NC	23	27	26	28	49	34	41	148	21	4	401	197	156	133	no	
Mountain View	R H Phillips,R4, Lenoir, NC			12	12	15	12		20			71	60	55	40	no	
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas,Box4807,GraniteFalls,NC	11	18	46	71	57	68	30	195	19	5	520	283	188	155	yes	3
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler,R8,Lenoir,NC			15		8	12	12	18			65	55			yes	
Mulvale	Jasper Moore,R4,Lenoir,NC			10	7	15	14	11	29		4	90	42	52	50	no	
Nelsons Chapel	Joe Dobbins, R8,Lenoir,NC			11	9	9	9	9	28		2	77	58	47	44	yes	2
New Hope	George Crotts, R1, Lenoir,NC		10	9	10	16	21	18	55			139	74	51	46	no	2
Oak Grove	Wayne Mitchum,16 Circle Dr,GraniteFalls		17	14	15	33	25	16	59	8	6	193	104	108	90	yes	1
Piney Grove	G W Sullivan ,R5,Lenoir, NC		20	10	15	28	21	33	88			215	135	52	45	no	
Pisgah	James Crump, Whitnel, NC			15		20		35	25			95	90	26	24		
Pleasant Hill	R E Harrold,R9,Box 150,Lenoir,NC			15	20	30	20	30	60		2	177	109	87	80	no	
Pooveys Chapel	Marvin Saunders, Hudson,NC		10	34	13	26	27	19	34	42	10	215	160	49	42	no	
Pooveys Grove	Harvey Sherrill,R2,Box 63,Granite Falls	7	29	22	28	34	36	11	94	24	4	289	161	122	103	yes	3
Rhodhiss	Floyd Kirby, Rhodhiss,NC	3	17	20	36	43	41	23	141		3	327	180	84	80	yes	2
Rocky Springs	M C Estes, R7,Lenoir,NC			15	10	16	11	16	46			114	69				
Rufus	Otis Greene, R4,Lenoir, NC			20		10	6		34			70	40	23	23		
Sardis	Cade Shaver, Hudson, NC	15	32	29	41	72	63	39	161	41	5	498	225	198	164	yes	1
Setzer Creek	Vilas Robbins, R5, Lenoir,NC			28	12	13	12	27	30			122	100	78	74	yes	
Temple Hill	Andrew Kirby,R1,Granite Falls,NC			27		20		17	44			108	50	27	22	no	
Union	George McLeod, R2,Lenoir,NC	20	20	26	31	39	33	62	84	27		342	170	176	166		
Union Grove	Ivey Hall, R3, Lenoir, NC		20	31	35	50	43	56	137	16	4	392	212	135	128	no	
WHITNEL:																	
Central	A J Parsons, Box 61, Lenoir, NC	30	13	24	44	42	45	79	79		9	365	231	154	124	yes	4
Whitnel 1st	C E Turnmire,Sr, R2, Lenoir,NC		15	11	23	37	19	46	59	15	5	230	127	62	54	yes	2
Winklers Grove	Millard Benfield, Hickory, NC			24	16	62	64	20	184		2	372	280	150	125	no	
Worship Point	Earl Nelson, R8, Lenoir, NC		15	16	14	16	10		58			129		59	48	no	
Yadkin	John T Suddreth,114 Va. St,Lenoir,NC	11	30	26	48	61	63	59	108	5	4	415	256	208	182	yes	1
Yadkin Valley	Ford Baker, R5, Lenoir, NC	1		10		5		5	18		8	47	32	43	43	yes	
Zacks Fork	Grover St.John, R1,Box 617,Lenoir,NC				10	10	12	9	15			56	45	34	31		
	TOTALS	252	642	1197	1190	1699	1413	1361	4357	404	119	12634	7099	4768	4092		

Table C TRAINING UNION–

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT										
		Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Mission Enrolment	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Baton	Mrs Ruth Greene, R2,Gramite Falls,NC		3	5	5	6	8	10		3	40	30
Bethany	none											
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor,R8,Lenoir,NC		4	4	5	8	8	20		6	55	45
Buffalo Cove	none											
Cedar Rock	none											
Center Grove	Lone Bell Bolick,R1,Hudson,NC	18			20	23	16			3	80	45
Clarks Chapel	S A Maynard, R6, Lenoir,NC			8	8	12	12	16		2	58	37
Conways Chapel	none											
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austin,R1,GraniteFalls,NC		10	7	8	22	17	24		4	92	49
Edgemont	none											
Flemings Chapel	Grady Pennell,R6,Lenoir,NC		10			28	24	24			86	70
Globe	none											
Grandin	inactive at present time											
Grandview Park	none											
GRANITE FALLS:												
Clover	Mrs H H McManus,R1,GraniteFalls,NC	10	10	8	25	18	22	34		3	130	58
Concord	Ralph Penley,R5,Box 486,Hickory,NC	13	7	20	34	35	42	69		3	223	97
Granite 1st	Mrs C R Hinton,Granite Falls,NC			11	13	24	10	32		3	93	
Green Rock	none											
Green Valley	none											
Harris Chapel	Jack Clark,R1,Hudson, NC	10	12	16	27	29	30	66		3	193	135
Hartland	J W Ramsey,R3,Morganton,NC		8		7	18		21		2	56	31
Hibriten	none											
High View	Mrs Fred Angley,R1,Boxl22,Hudson,NC		4		4		7	5			20	17
Johns River	none											
Joyceton	Robert Prestwood, R1,Hudson, NC			16	12		13	12		2	55	48
Kings Creek			6		28	32	16	22			104	56
LENOIR:												
Calvary	none											
College Avenue	Mrs. R J Smith 310 Woodsway,Lenoir,NC	27	36	33	94	84	61	80		4	419	167
Lenoir 1st	Clarence A Holden,119 Norwood,Lenoir	[illegible]	15	26	51	41	27	71		5	246	103
Lower Creek	Mrs Ralph B Laney, R5,Box 7B,Lenoir			10	32	18	16	47		4	140	68

Temple Miss'y	Mrs Duel Turnmire,R5,Lenoir,NC		11			10		22			43	
West Lenoir	none											
Longford	Mrs Charles Andrews, R5 Box 58,Lenoir		7		17	16	18	20		4	82	53
Lovelady	Mrs Helen P Yount,R1,Granite Falls,NC				17		17	20			54	20
Maple Grove	none											
Miller Hill	Mrs R A Greene,R9, Lenoir,NC	4		8	12	6	11	25			66	35
Mountain Grove	Earl Rader,R2,Granite Falls, NC		6	9	22	17	7	39		3	103	66
Mountain View	none											
Mt. Zion	Miss Carrie Mae Smith,R1,Box330,Hudson	9	12	19	26	35	26	44		6	177	109
Mulberry	Arlow Greene,R8,Lenoir,NC		5	7	14	11	7	14		2	60	50
Mulvale	Clarence Prestwood,R4,Lenoir, NC					23		19		1	43	20
Nelsons Chapel	none											
New Hope	none											
Oak Grove	Ralph Helton, R5, Hickory, NC	3	15		9		12	14		5	58	40
Piney Grove	Mrs. Warren Holden, R5,Lenoir,NC		4	4	21	10	12	35		6	92	70
Pisgah	none											
Pleasant Hill	J D Hambright, R3, Lenoir, NC	8		10	19	19	19	21		3	99	56
Pooveys Chapel	Paul L Witherspoon,Box 16,Hudson,NC		14		17	19		19		2	71	46
Pooveys Grove	James Carl Summerlin,Granite Falls,NC			9	13	21	8	14		3	68	54
Rhodhiss	Dwight Kirby, Rhodhiss, NC		11	16	28	25	8	27		6	121	80
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert,Collettsville,NC			12	11	19		19		4	65	
Rufus	none											
Sardis	Miss Lucy Walters, Hudson,NC			19	42	42	30	32		4	169	71
Setzer Creek	Mrs Ed Gentry,R5,Box 270,Lenoir,NC	6	5	8	8	9	10	15			61	58
Temple Hill	none											
Union	Mrs S R Ruff,R2,Lenoir,NC	4	8	3	23	15	22	33		2	110	60
Union Grove	Clifford Bradshaw,R3, Lenoir,NC		6	7	29	23	6	19		2	92	55
WHITNEL:												
Central	Jay Allen, R9, Lenoir, NC		12	10	18	21		52		2	115	58
Whitnel 1st	Clinton Scruggs,Box 17,Lenoir, NC			11	14	13	15	12		2	67	40
Winklers Grove	Mrs C G Barnes,531-24th St,SW,Hickory			15	16	14	15			5	65	64
Worship Point	none											
Yadkin	Mrs D O Taylor, R5, Lenoir,NC	8	13	12	32	28	25	41		5	164	100
Yadkin Valley	none											
Zacks Fork	none											
	TOTALS	133	264	343	781	794	597	1109		114	4135	2261

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION–		W.M.S. Units	Y.W.A. Units	G.A. Units	R.A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W.M.S. Enrolled	Y.W.A. Enrolled	G.A. Enrolled	R.A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES													
Baton	Mrs Niles Compton,R2,Granite Falls,NC	1		1			2	8		9			17	17
Bethany	none													
Blairs Fork	Mrs Louise Taylor,R5,Lenoir,NC	1					1	23					23	
Buffalo Cove	none													
Cedar Rock	Mrs W C Harless,R5,Box 311,Lenoir,NC	1					1	10					10	
Center Grove	Mrs Rachel Bolick,R1,Hudson,NC	1		1			2	16		20			36	8
Clarks Chapel	Mrs A A Cooke,R3,Lenoir,NC	1		1	1		3	19		18	8		45	8
Conways Chapel	none													
Dudley Shoals	Mrs R E Sears,Sr.,R1,Granite Falls,NC	1		1			2	22		15			37	
Edgemont	none													
Flemings Chapel	Mrs Albert Holmes,R4,Lenoir,NC	1		1	1		3	21		22	16		59	
Globe	none													
Grandin	Mrs E F Bentley, R1, Lenoir, NC	1					1	14					14	14
Grandview Park	Mrs Charles Melton,R6,Lenoir, NC	1		1	1		3	18		9	13		40	
GRANITE FALLS:														
Clover	Mrs Fred Cline,Box 4996,Granite Falls,NC	1	1	2	2	1	7	39	6	32	16	16	109	67
Concord	Mrs Ernest W Moore,Box 4914,Granite Falls	6	1	2	2	1	12	56	14	27	35	18	150	57
Granite 1st	Mrs O R Payne,Granite Falls, NC	1	1	2	2	1	7	49	10	27	21	16	123	84
Green Rock	none													
Green Valley	none													
Harris Chapel	Mrs Paul Cloer,Box 66, Hudson, NC	2		2			4	63		28			91	50
Hartland	Mrs J B Crouse,Sr.,R1, Lenoir, NC	1	1	1	2		5	24	15	16	24		79	16
Hibriten	Mrs Leo Setzer, Box 65,Granite Falls,NC	1					1	19					19	
High View	none													
Johns River	none													
Joyceton	none													
Kings Creek	Mrs J M Laxton, Kings Creek, NC	1	1	2	2	1	7	45	9	16	24	12	106	15
LENOIR:														
Calvary	Mrs S M Crump,R2,Granite Falls,NC	1					1	22					22	22
College Avenue	Mrs Wilbur Honeycutt,101 Linden,Lenoir	1	2	1		1	5	118	26	23		18	185	
Lenoir 1st	Mrs R E Norment,Sr.,418 Kentwood,Lenoir,NC	9	1	2		1	13	220	14	38		20	292	

Lower Creek	Mrs Marion Barlow, R1, Lenoir, NC	1	1	3	2	2	9	93	16	43	37	48	237	
Temple Missionary	Mrs Duel Turnmire, R8, Lenoir, NC	1					1	16					16	10
West Lenoir	Mrs Frank Martin, R 6,Lenoir, NC	1					1	28					28	
Longford	Mrs Roy Kirby, R5, Box 66, Lenoir, NC	1	1	1			3	24	14	12			50	22
Lovelady	Mrs Lewis McRary,R2, Granite Falls,NC	1					1	16					16	
Maple Grove	none													
Miller Hill	Mrs Raylo Smith,R3,Box32-A, Lenoir, NC	1	1				2	22	17				39	20
Mountain Grove	Mrs Violet Hefner, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1		1			2	14		20			34	11
Mountain View	Mrs Douglas Clark, R4,Box 89, Lenoir,NC	1					1	10					10	
Mt. Zion	Mrs Cecil Starnes, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1	1	1	1	1	5	63	16	11	22	6	118	25
Mulberry	none													
Mulvale	Mrs Walter Estes, Collettsville, NC	1					1	16					16	
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs J H Craig, R8, Box 200, Lenoir, NC	1		1	1		3	12		5	10		27	
New Hope	Mrs Albert Icenhour,R1,Box 576,Lenoir, NC	1					1	20					20	
Oak Grove	Mrs C R Poovey, R1,Granite Falls, NC	1					1	21					21	17
Piney Grove	none													
Pisgah	none													
Pleasant Hill	Mrs Tom Edge, R3, Lenoir, NC	1					1	13					13	17
Pooveys Chapel	Mrs Carroll Laney,623-4th Ave SW,Hickory,NC	1		2	1		4	19		18	10		47	
Pooveys Grove	Mrs Ray Starnes, Granite Falls, NC	1		2	1	1	5	24		27	12	9	72	14
Rhodhiss	Mrs C F Kirby, Rhodhiss, NC	1		1			2	20		15			35	13
Rocky Springs	none													
Rufus	none													
Sardis	Mrs K E Seepe, Hudson, NC	4	1	2		1	8	50	10	22		14	96	
Setzer Creek	Mrs S W Andrews, R5, Box255,Lenoir, NC	2		1	1		4	22		12	14		48	
Temple Hill	none													
Union	Mrs Odell McRary, R2, Lenoir, NC	3	1	2	2		8	30	8	19	30		87	35
Union Grove	Mrs Reid Flowers, R2, Granite Falls, NC	1	1				2	16	14				30	
WHITNEL:														
Central	Mrs Earl Cline, R9, Box 210,Lenoir, NC	2	1	1	1	1	6	30	14	12	10	38	104	
Whitnel 1st	Mrs B D Setzer, R9,Box 84-A, Lenoir, NC	1		1	2	1	5	22		19	9	10	60	18
Winklers Grove	Mrs Gladys Waters, Hickory, NC	1					1	7					7	
Worship Point	none													
Yadkin	Mrs R A Frye, Patterson, NC	1	1	2	2	2	8	37	10	28	17	17	109	62
Yadkin Valley	none													
Zacks Forks	Mrs James Curtis, R1, Box 616, Lenoir,NC	1					1	16					16	10
	TOTALS	66	17	41	27	15	166	2467	213	563	328	242	3813	515

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK–BUILDING–GOALS–CHURCH LIBRARY–CHURCH MUSIC–VISUAL EDUCATION–

CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	BROTHERHOOD						BUILDING			GOALS		CHURCH LIBRARY	CHURCH MUSIC					VISUAL EDUCATION	
		Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Total Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Cooperative Program Coming Year	Goal Association missions coming Year	Does your church have a library?	Number Choirs	Total Choir Enrolment	Music Budget	Use Church Musician Magazine	Church-Had Music Training Course	Filmstrip Projector	Motion Picture Projector
Baton								6000.	22000.	10042.61		26.65	yes					Aw*	no	no
Bethany									1000.											
Blairs Fork									25225,	969.12			yes	2	30				no	no
Buffalo Cove									12250.				no						no	no
Cedar Rock									4500.	762.76		20.00	no	1			no	no	no	no
Center Grove	Tom Callaway, R1,Hudson,NC			18	12	18	12	15000.	45000.	7292.64	60.00	51.00	no					no	no	no
Clarks Chapel	Carter Hendrix, R3,Lenoir,NC	14	12			14	12		40000.		156.00	65.00	yes				no	no	no	no
Conways Chapel													no							
Dudley Shoals								13000.	63000.	7776.02	750.00	144.00	no	2	35		no	no	no	no
Edgemont									2500.				no						no	no
Flemings Chapel	Paul Braswell,R4,Lenoir,NC	21	5			21	5		25000.	6870.59	150.00	100.00	no	3			no	no		yes
Globe																				
Grandin									6000.	2389.08	150.00	60.00	yes				no	no	no	no
Grandview Park									4000.		52.00	42.00	no						no	no
GRANITE FALLS:																				
Clover								5000.	50000.	18000.	600.00	130.00	yes	1					no	no
Concord								20000.	120000.	23347.00				2	37	125.	yes	no	no	no
Granite 1st	Jesse Bowman, Granite FAlls, NC	42	11			42	11	8000.	200000.	48000.00			no	1					yes	yes
Green Rock													no				no	no	no	no
Green Valley									1000.											
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, R1,Hudson, NC	50	12			50	12	2000.	8000.	4000.00	150.00	120.00	yes	3			no	no	no	no
Hartland	Robert Watson,R7,Lenoir,NC	19	12			19	12		50000.	7638.17	75.00	75.00	no	1	37		no	yes	no	no
Hibriten										904.22			no	1			no	yes	no	no
High View													no				no	no	no	no
Johns River									3500.				no						no	no
Joyceton									5468.	1019.00			yes	1				yes	no	no
Kings Creek		23	16			23	16	5000.	15000.		$1100.	255.00	yes	1	20		yes	no	no	no
LENOIR:																				
Calvary									35000.	7972.75	780.00	52.00	no	1			no	yes	no	no
College Avenue	D T Bumgarner, 109 Park Ave,	51	12			51	12	12000.	288000.		12060.	660.00	no	1	30	250.	yes	no	no	no
Lenoir 1st								50000.	575000.		15000.	660.00	yes	4	109	700.	yes	yes	yes	no
Lower Creek	J C Pilkenton,R2,Lenoir	25	10			25	10	12000.	150000.		8000.	360.00	yes	1	30	460.	no	no	no	yes

Temple Miss'y	James Summerlin,Box338-c	9	2			9	2						no	1	15		no	yes	no	no
West Lenoir									20000.	5129.49										
Longford								6850.	15200.											
Lovelady	James Mull,R1,GraniteFalls	25	12			25	12	6000.	15000	2378.81				1					no	no
Maple Grove													no				no	no	no	no
Miller Hill										12767.01	100.00	63.32	no					no	no	no
Mountain Grove								8000.	80000.	20521.32	150.00	60.00	no	2			no	no	no	no
Mountain View									5000.	900.00			no	1	15		no	no	no	no
Mt. Zion									55000.		1500.	350.00	yes	2	30		no	yes	no	no
Mulberry									3000.		36.00	24.00	no	1					no	no
Mulvale								5000.	13000.	3850.00	80.00	390.00	no	1	18		no	no	no	no
Nelsons Chapel	Luther Sudderth,R8,Lenoir	10	12			10	12		5000.			35.75	yes							
New Hope									8000.	1125.80	75.00	25.00	no						no	no
Oak Grove	Wayne Mitchum,16 CirDr,GRanite	13	24			13	24	6000.	82000.	10920.82	325.00	60.00	no	1			no	no	no	no
Piney Grove									30000.								no	no	no	no
Pisgah								4000.	15000.	4000.00			no						no	no
Pleasant Hill	R D Campbell,R3,Lenoir	16	9			16	9		5500.	167.00		25.00	no	1			no	no	no	no
Pooveys Chapel									10000.		25.00	25.00	yes	2				yes	no	no
Pooveys Grove								4000.	44000.	2670.97			yes	2	25		no	no	no	no
Rhodhiss									20000.				no	1	30		no	no	no	no
Rocky Springs									30000.	6347.40										
Rufus									2000.											
Sardis	Charlie Shaver,R9,Lenoir	56	12			56	12	7500.	135000.	4000.00	2000.	360.00	no			100.	yes	no	no	no
Setzer Creek									8000.				no						no	no
Temple Hill									2500.			37.05	no				no	no	no	no
Union	Bill Triplett,R2,Lenoir	25				25		12000.	33000.	2670.00	394.00	78.38		2	35					
Union Grove	J B Myers, R3,Lenoir	24	23			24	23	7500.	50544.	7765.00			no						no	no
WHITNEL:																				
Central	Earl Cline,R9 Bx 210,Lenoir	24	8			24	8	7000.	51000.	5295.40	900.00	150.00	no						no	no
Whitnel 1st	E N Braswell,R9 Bx 204,Lenoir	14	12			14	12	10000.	32000.		500.00	25.00	yes	1	20		no	no	no	no
Winklers Grove									50000.	2449.76			no				no	no	no	no
Worship Point																				
Yadkin								5000.	50000.		624.00	195.00	no	2			no	no	no	no
Yadkin Valley																				
Zacks Fork									6000.	855.66										
	TOTALS	461	204	18	12	479	216	217350.	2649687.	222978.40	45792.00	4724.15		47	516	1635.				

Table F CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES–

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	All Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Baton	C B Bollinger, R2,Granite Falls,NC	4665.35			9447.48	149.22	138.38		1155.80	30.91	10921.79	1430.00	12351.79
Bethany	Harley Greene, R8,Lenoir,NC	340.83				19.55				67.00	86.55	247.92	334.47
Blairs Fork	Mrs Faye Holsclaw,R5,Lenoir,NC	4904.46	213.00	93.75	331.00	213.33	84.18	172.00	660.00	195.26	1962.52	2390.00	4352.52
Buffalo Cove	Mrs Violet Hawkins, Ferguson,NC			255.53	244.63	89.95	112.87	99.84			802.82	485.47	1288.29
Cedar Rock	C P Canton, R1, Lenoir, NC	860.51		95.06		78.51		30.00	180.00	15.00	398.57	252.89	651.46
Center Grove	Mrs R H Parsons, R1, Hudson, NC	9496.11	240.00	186.44	2106.82	338.29	161.56	434.49	1275.00	333.34	5075.94	3120.00	8195.94
Clarks Chapel	Mrs George R Craig, R9, Lenoir, NC	6678.89	156.00	155.08	94.13	273.97	79.44	286.68	3855.62	268.52	5169.44	1820.00	6989.44
Conways Chapel	Mrs D D Braswell, R6, Box 475, Lenoir,NC	707.66				25.80		68.80	177.50	33.27	305.37	396.50	701.87
Dudley Shoals	Clifton Sigmon, R1,Granite Falls, NC	8190.25	540.00	460.75	1528.00	493.63	30.50	286.84		512.57	3852.29	3380.00	7232.29
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, NC	580.17				37.79	35.00	120.18		46.10	239.07	219.60	458.67
Flemings Chapel	Miss Nadine Greene, R7, Lenoir, NC	7684.53	220.00	2507.07		225.73	376.20	419.50	900.00	801.22	5449.72	2635.00	8084.72
Globe	R C Cook, R8, Lenoir, NC	414.02				126.55		40.75		50.54	217.84	173.93	391.77
Grandin	W L Lackey, R1, Lenoir, NC	2410.93	90.00	100.00	168.50	174.44	43.00	50.00	301.18	108.64	1035.76	1075.00	2110.76
Grandview Park	Mrs Poovey Watson, R6, Lenoir, NC	2900.00	260.00	32.00		126.97	88.00	150.00		107.42	764.39	2210.00	2974.39
GRANITE FALLS:													
Clover	Loy Propst, Gen Del., Granite Falls,NC	11484.37	240.00	31.34		702.24	394.52	455.00	1421.26	941.52	4185.88	3380.00	7565.88
Concord	Nelson Clay, Box 4963, Granite Falls,NC	20489.17	2167.50	1364.46	15000.00	1046.69	426.36	472.15	4431.11	1489.22	26397.49	4770.00	31167.49
Granite 1st	J D Milstead, Granite Falls, NC	30116.22	2747.50	503.82	824.88	946.62	66.00	359.00	13045.65	2164.86	20658.33	4680.00	25338.33
Green Rock	Hartley H Conley,R5,Box 180, Lenoir,NC	741.68		12.00	850.00	16.91		50.50		12.21	941.62	154.27	1095.89
Green Valley	B B Greene, Collettsville, NC					36.21	31.00	27.91		236.90	332.02	228.39	560.41
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, R1 Box 652, Hudson, NC	21782.65	288.00	977.23	14411.80	913.22	929.23	215.00		432.00	18166.48	3950.00	22116.48
Hartland	Robert Watson, R7, Lenoir, NC	6501.17	364.00	203.00	280.00	279.78	351.34	186.00	1920.00	487.67	4071.79	2280.56	6352.35
Hibriten	Earl Winebarger, R9,Box 198, Lenoir, NC	2854.69	152.00	218.43	331.81	127.43	253.57		411.25	3.45	1497.94	1677.10	3175.04
High View	W R Bumgarner, R1, Hudson, NC	1869.91	152.50			95.92	135.17	136.56		39.78	559.93	535.20	1095.13
Johns River	R C Estes, R 8, Lenoir, NC	372.75		72.75	600.00	29.63		36.80			739.18	176.27	915.45
Joyceton	Miss Jeanette Wakefield, R9, Lenoir,NC			17.85	1468.00	170.00	250.00	31.15	318.00	182.00	2437.00	1920.00	4357.00
Kings Creek	Mrs Louis Land, Kings Creek, NC	10960.99	289.55	83.91	2088.30	789.91	22.17	215.51		712.93	4202.28	3400.00	7602.28
LENOIR:													
Calvary	W N Crump, 202 Westbrook, Lenoir,NC	9569.59	760.00	289.18	212.38	300.31	395.53	100.00	1740.00	1239.27	5036.67	4160.00	9196.67
College Avenue	Vaughan Summerlin, Box 201,Lenoir,NC	62248.96	8923.17	4760.28	27358.57	4368.48	2569.60	60.00	9564.84	3295.46	60900.40	5610.00	66510.40
Lenoir 1st	R Carter Powell, 308 Woodsway, Lenoir, NC	82462.90	10362.70	4639.88		3818.87	954.88	844.25	17990.00	8491.53	47102.11	6600.00	53702.11
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, R1,Lenoir, NC	27363.90	1563.63	398.63	592.02	1766.18	481.11	390.00		2366.60	7558.17	4420.00	11978.17
Temple Miss'y	Mrs H F Campbell, 224 West Ave.,Lenoir,NC		7.00	250.00	290.00	80.00	37.00	93.00	36.00	104.56	897.56	1299.00	2196.56

West Lenoir	Bruce Holman, R6,Box 212, Lenoir,NC	4074.75	120.00	298.00			47.54	175.00	840.00	140.00	1620.54	2475.00	4095.54
Longford	Collis Coffey, R5, Box 53, Lenoir,NC	6155.94		72.99		150.48	202.86	170.00	1737.00	557.96	2891.29	3176.25	6067.54
Lovelady	Gladys Starnes, Rl, Granite Falls,NC	6978.36	96.00	100.00	400.00	250.37		271.30	720.00	713.48	2551.15	2770.00	5321.15
Maple Grove	Mrs. Lottie Beane, Mortimer, NC					5.40	72.50				77.90	117.93	195.83
Miller Hill	Mrs R A Greene, R9, Lenoir, NC	5845.64	30.00	793.88	121.50	385.70	36.50	151.83	1800.00	699.95	4019.36	1485.00	5504.36
Mountain Grove	N A Hamby, R2, Granite Falls, NC	14112.45	720.00	918.78		586.30	308.25	108.75	5422.50	539.22	8603.80	3200.00	11803.80
Mountain View	Bobby Philyaw, R4,Box 63, Lenoir,NC	1631.84	52.00	47.50	230.00		85.00	81.00	360.00	125.00	980.50	585.00	1565.50
Mt. Zion	Albert J Barker, Rl,Hudson,NC	19427.81		584.58	1266.56	695.95	213.27	380.00	5396.23	3803.57	12340.16	3428.80	15768.96
Mulberry	H I Greene, R8, Box 364, Lenoir,NC	1551.46	36.00	48.00		113.25		91.00		508.00	796.25	600.00	1396.25
Mulvale	Mrs Maude Moore, R4, Lenoir, NC	2748.74	180.00	284.96		56.29	157.56		692.20	63.50	1434.51	1320.00	2754.51
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs R M Miller, R8, Box 235, Lenoir,NC	3353.22	140.00			187.94	402.09	101.13		212.33	1043.49	1331.44	2374.93
New Hope	Mrs. C. P. McGee, Rl, Lenoir, NC	1643.41		37.50		104.43	23.50	63.75	270.00	187.08	686.26	720.00	1406.26
Oak Grove	Charles R Poovey, Rl,Granite Falls,NC	7180.96	200.00	87.36	700.00	385.45	268.00	200.00	1612.00	1261.01	4713.82	3069.65	7783.47
Piney Grove	Mrs M G Sullivan, R5, Lenoir,NC	4422.96	283.00	1117.72	850.00	207.83	408.97	211.55	1332.00	388.88	4799.95	1597.85	6397.80
Pisgah	John Pope, R7, Lenoir, NC	4019.47			1575.00	36.00		150.00	480.00	200.00	2441.00	1300.00	3741.00
Pleasant Hill,	Tom Land, R3, Lenoir,NC	4242.62	60.00	32.00		234.35	176.60	125.01	137.50	885.76	1651.22	2460.00	4111.22
Pooveys Chapel	E C Austin, Rl, Hudson, NC	5646.30	300.00	60.66	137.70	201.85	225.00	260.79		160.87	1346.87	2400.00	3746.87
Pooveys Grove	Earl W Bumgarner, R2, Granite Falls,NC	12493.43	41.00	1475.46		495.24	188.25	167.00	5287.89	727.91	8382.75	3120.00	11502.75
Rhodhiss	Boyd Brown, Rhodhiss, NC	10358.52	384.00	422.79		765.86	165.00	200.00		322.79	2260.44	3744.00	6004.44
Rocky Springs	Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, NC	17017.46	220.00	363.02	21500.95	94.02	54.99		260.00	120.38	22613.36	871.50	23484.86
Rufus	Mrs. W. B Greene,R8,Box373, Lenoir,NC	1042.81	25.00	88.00		47.44		125.00			285.44	480.00	765.44
Sardis	Cade Shave, Hudson, NC	21609.99	1763.70	1203.37	701.29	1119.41	659.12	325.00	6500.00	2216.12	14488.01	3600.00	18088.01
Setzer Creek	T R Gentry, R5, Box 273,Lenoir,NC	4665.95	240.00	119.47	356.05	178.62	120.05	127.83		29.00	1171.02	2850.00	4021.02
Temple Hill	James E. Sweet, Rl,Granite Falls,NC	1036.86		21.75		57.98		50.00			129.73	720.00	849.73
Union	Bingham Kirby, R2, Lenoir, NC	9176.50	510.00	860.00	8867.87	632.10	76.86	337.90	1300.00	497.03	13081.76	2615.50	15697.26
Union Grove	J B Myers, R3, Lenoir,NC	8364.20	520.00	198,92		309.27	550.28	192.50	2100.00	1611.00	5481.97	1760.00	7241.97
WHITNEL: is													
Central	Jake Roberts, Box 37, Whitnel,NC	13281.68	520.00	638.44	1578.87	540.89	543.99	211.34	1800.00	1407.51	7241.04	4420.00	11661.04
Whitnel 1st	Howard Swanson, R9, Lenoir,NC	9963.76	522.50	876.21		426.80	85.00	330.00	2870.00	546.92	5657.43	3640.00	9297.43
Winklers Grove	A J Hildebrand, R5 Box 88, Hickory,NC	16262.34	660.00	250.00	1275.00	325.00	1500.00	350.00	1837.32	3980.31	10177.63	4160.00	14337.63
Worship Point	Katie V Hatton,R8,Box94,Lenoir,NC		60.00	200.00	50.00	57.00	25.00	100.00	690.00	100.00	1282.00	300.00	1582.00
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, R5, Lenoir, NC	14378.97	772.00	179.78	125.00	820.95	630.04	235.30	7298.49	689.26	11750.82	3510.00	14260.82
Yadkin Valley	Don R Watson, R5, Lenoir,NC		60.00			62.54		175.00		167.11	464.65	800.00	1264.65
Zacks Fork	John R Whistnant,Rl,Box618,Lenoir,NC	3682.18	150.00	101.25	433.48	68.29	147.33	161.85	580.97	315.25	1958.42	940.00	2898.42
TOTALS		575023.24	38401.75	29190.83	118397.59	27465.13	15820.16	11461.74	110707.31	47946.45	399391.46	138645.02	538036.48

Table G GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.–

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Co-operative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Other objects	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditures for All Purposes
Baton	Miss Clyde Smith, R2, Granite Falls, NC	158.54	40.00		25.00	58.07		36.00	30.00		347.61	12699.40
Bethany	Junior Goins, R8, Lenoir, NC								6.36		6.36	340.83
Blairs Fork	Mrs Ned Andrews, R5, Lenoir,NC		112.59	23.86	11.00	26.88	34.79	221.58	37.57	38.00	506.27	4858.79
Buffalo Cove	J Bernard Hawkins, Ferguson,NC		13.00				9.10	8.46			30.56	1318.85
Cedar Rock	Mrs G H Correll,R1,Box 303,Lenoir,NC		26.90	4.19		1.00		15.00	30.00		77.09	728.55
Center Grove	P L McRary, R2,Granite Falls,NC	89.00	84.00	82.80	7.95	87.73	65.00	143.50	32.10	11.00	603.08	8799.02
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark,R3,Lenoir,NC		70.00	40.25	28.50	34.55	16.00	50.40	27.00	59.51	326.21	7315.65
Conways Chapel	Mrs D D Braswell, R6,Box 475,Lenoir,NC	3.95	1.84								5.79	707.66
Dudley Shoals	Talley S Reed, R1,Box 123,Granite Falls	713.77	206.00	30.41	70.87	35.80		321.85	50.00	144.70	1573.40	8805.69
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, NC		14.00	10.00	32.60			20.60	10.00		87.20	545.87
Flemings Chapel	D S Reichard, R6, Lenoir, NC	19.56	160.00	43.11	56.00	25.00	45.58	34.20	43.95		427.40	8512.12
Globe	R C Cook, R8, Lenoir, NC									22.25	22.25	414.02
Grandin	Hill C Lackey, R1 Box 568, Lenoir, NC	47.48	56.79	25.00	30.00	27.00		42.16	44.40	68.75	341.58	2452.34
Grandview Park	Betty Hollars, R6, Lenoir, NC	72.00	42.00		11.00	35.00			24.00	124.80	308.80	3283.19
GRANITE FALLS:												
Clover	Fred Estes, Gen Del, Granite Falls,NC	553.28	107.00	53.66	37.43	225.00		10.00	67.00	135.12	1188.49	8754.37
Concord	Miss Faye Moore, 75 Falls Ave,Granite Falls	2296.05	273.18	128.65	35.13	502.90	300.00	569.06	56.71	160.00	4321.68	35489.17
Granite 1st	Willard C Hendrix, Granite Falls, NC	1972.60	202.70	280.58	240.74	356.29	50.00	560.00	107.00	200.00	3969.91	29308.24
Green Rock	Ginelle Conley, Box 4,Ferguson,NC	4.75						2.50	5.00	45.00	57.25	1153.14
Green Valley	B B Greene, Collettsville, NC	9.53						31.00	7.50		48.03	608.44
Harris Chapel	Lewis E Annas,R1,Hudson,NC	150.00	170.00	35.00	177.61	196.06		168.00	80.00		976.67	23093.15
Hartland	James T Sanders,R3, Box72,Morganton, NC	75.00	63.83	25.35	35.00	49.00		50.00	25.00		323.18	6675.53
Hibriten	Mrs C D Brackett,R2,Lenoir,NC	24.00	30.00	18.00	20.00		56.00		14.00	25.00	187.00	3362.04
High View	H M McLean, R2,Granite Falls, NC	10.00	60.00	18.00	4.80	10,20		15.00	30.00		148.00	1243.13
Johns River	Everett Crump, Upton,NC	8.13						15.00			23.13	938.58
Joyceton	Mrs George Hartzog,R9,Lenoir,NC			7.50			15.00	15.00	6.50		44.00	4401.00
Kings Creek	J K Barlow,Jr.,Kings Creek,NC	916.25	167.63	32.42	98.60	115.00		326.00	165.15	375.84	2196.89	9799.17
LENOIR:												
Calvary	Miss Helen Borders, R9,Lenoir,NC	408.05	85.95	3.75	3.45	9.10		92.33	56.73		659.36	9856.03
College Avenue	Mrs Ira Pritchard, R6, Lenoir, NC	11073.40	1791.12	581.30	50.00	3390.00	300.00	550.00	254.37	606.52	18596.71	85107.11
Lenoir 1st	Jack Spainhour,181 S Prospect,Lenoir	14276.30	1701.60	225.30	444.85	1734.46	5522.25	821.00	407.47	970.93	26104.16	79806.27

Lower Creek	Ralph B Laney,R5 Box 7B,Lenoir,NC	8322.87	422.57	240.56	121.81	1317.32	668.43	1203.27	394.83	606.28	13297.94	25276.11
Temple Miss'y	Pany Summerlin,Box338C, Lenoir, NC				19.50			20.00	20.00		59.50	2256.06
West Lenoir	G D Ward, R6, Lenoir,NC	8.83	30.00		25.00	23.60		80.00	60.00		227.43	4322.97
Longford	Fred Campbell, R4, Lenoir,NC	150.00	88.00	60.00	10.00	20.00		70.00	100.00	29.10	527.10	6594.64
Lovelady	Alma Starnes, R1, Granite Falls, NC		4.20	60.00	705.51	354.55		43.10	34.31		1201.67	6522.82
Maple Grove	Lillie Coffey, Mortimer, NC											195.83
Miller Hill	Miss Dovie Mikeal,R3,Box 279,Lenoir,NC	68.52	63.32	5.00	25.39	17.50	7.27	26.91	34.30	62.40	310.61	5814.97
Mountain Grove	Willard Hamlet,R2 Box 166,Granite Falls,NC	150.00	70.50		50.00	112.90	90.26	200.00	34.14	67.60	775.40	12579.20
Mountain View	Mrs Bobby Philyaw,R4 Box 63, Lenoir, NC		12.00	5.00	2.00	5.00					24.00	1589.50
Mt. Zion	Atlas J Icard, R1,Hudson,NC	1352.96	358.48	135.23	171.56	434.65		368.18	112.55	313.45	3247.06	19016.02
Mulberry	H J Greene, R8 Box 364, Lenoir, NC	36.00	49.35					51.54	18.32	155.21	155.21	1551.46
Mulvale	Joe Gloss, R4, Lenoir,NC	9.51	45.52					25.00	24.00		104.03	2858.54
Nelsons Chapel	R M Miller, R8 Box 235, Lenoir, NC	590.81	52.45	38.00	20.00	24.65		166.52	18.00	67.60	978.03	3352.96
New Hope	Albert B Icenhour,R4,Lenoir,NC	16.55	7.23		3.00			10.00	17.00	100.00	153.78	1560.04
Oak Grove	Mrs Mary Bumgarner,Box 4811,Granite Falls	131.00	64.00	25.00	30.00	55.00	150.00		50.00	168.00	673.00	8456.47
Piney Grove	C Arnold Christenbury,Box 800,Lenoir,NC	7.44	75.00	36.80				257.95	51.00		428.19	6825.99
Pisgah	G T Greene,R4 Box 303,Lenoir,NC							25.00	25.00	311.93	361.93	4102.93
Pleasant Hill	Dean Harrold, Box 303,Hudson,NC	5.00							25.45	97.60	128.05	4239.27
Pooveys Chapel	Parks Haas,Box 782, Lenoir,NC	25.00	25.00	30.00	62.00	100.00	262.22	367.20	75.00	627.71	1574.13	5321.00
Pooveys Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, NC	1166.35	142.00	34.28	30.16	124.18	13.00	110.85	69.96	26.80	1717.58	13220.33
Rhodhiss	Miss Virginia Jones, Rhodhiss, NC	945.04	154.64		5.00	31.09		158.86	166.92	316.00	1777.55	7781.99
Rocky Springs	Donald Franklin, R7,Lenoir, NC	4.70	20.01	55.75	13.00			112.24	32.12	20.15	257.97	23742.83
Rufus	W B Greene, R8 Box 373, Lenoir, NC	8.16	6.00	5.00	5.00			77.00	15.00	41.36	157.52	922.96
Sardis	Miss Dryna Carroll, Hudson,NC	1603.90	580.00	59.05	183.13	84.91		328.10	63.40	447.84	3350.33	21438.34
Setzer Creek	Mrs T R Gentry,R5 Box 273,Lenoir,NC	128.44	60.00	15.00	25.00	20.00	8.00	90.00	30.00		376.44	4397.46
Temple Hill	James E Sweet, R1,Granite Falls,NC		16.00	9.48					22.00		47.48	897.21
Union	Mrs John Quinn, R2, Lenoir, NC	120.00	96.81		34.21	146.56	40.00	342.25	121.84		901.67	16598.93
Union Grove	Stacy R Daws, R3,Box 172, Lenoir,NC	416.00	128.35	158.20	30.00	50.00		104.00	104.00		990.55	8232.52
WHITNEL:	Glenn E McCall,R9 Box 84, Lenoir,NC											
Central		752.79	212.67	37.75	75.50	25.00	200.00	99.50	48.07	66.00	1517.28	13178.32
Whitnel 1st	E N Braswell, R9 Box 204,Lenoir,NC	600.00	72.00	68.60	6.21	34.20		206.71	75.00		1062.72	10360.15
Winklers Grove	A J Hildebrand,R5,Box88,Hickory,NC	50.00	50.00			5.00		60.00	75.00	750.00	990.00	15327.63
Worship Point	Velma Gragg, R8,Lenoir, NC	10.00	10.00	10.00	1.60	3.40	2.32	10.00	25.00	5.00	77.32	1659.32
Yadkin	Riley Todd,R8,Box 187, Lenoir,NC	550.00	190.80	119.91	147.81	446.90		95.00	89.37	270.40	1910.19	16171.01
Yadkin Valley	Arney R Woods, R8,Box 148,Lenoir,NC	8.62	20.00		5.00	5.00		20.00	12.81		71.43	1336.08
Zacks Fork	Mrs C A Stokes, R1 Box 608,Lenoir,NC	5.45	10.25	19.10	32.50	29.00		25.25		2.66	124.21	3022.63
TOTALS		50125.58	8617.28	2896.84	3260.42	10389.45	7855.22	8873.07	3662.20	7385.30	103065.36	641101.84

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SEVENTY- FIRST ANNUAL SESSION
CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

September 22, 1955

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

J. Malcolm Laxton ---------- Moderator

Rev. James Holder ---------- Vice Moderator

Frank L. Smith, Sr. ---------- Clerk

Rev. Roy Holder ---------- Chorister

Miss Patricia Roberts ---------- Pianist

9:30 Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. Paul J. Hopkins

9:40 Organization: Presentation of Program; Recognition of New Pastors and Visitors; Naming of Committees.

10:00 Highlights From Our Missionary ---- Miss Elizabeth Campbell

10:30 Reports of Associational Officers:
Sunday School ---------- Mr. George Hollar
Training Union ---------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.
Woman's Missionary Union ---------- Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt
Brotherhood ---------- Mr. Cade Shaver (No Report)
Discussion ---------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

11:00 Congregational Hymn

11:05 Report of our Treasurer ---------- Mr. E. D. Beach
Presenting Next Year's Budget

11:30 Special Music

11:35 Worship ---------- Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
(Alternate) Rev. J. E. Pearson

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. R. C. Cook

1:05 Ministering to the Aged ---------- Mrs. George Wynne
Discussion

1:20 Ministering to the Orphans ---------- Mr. G. G. Steele
Discussion

1:35 Christian Education ---------- Rev. C. B. Bobbitt
Discussion ---------- Rev. M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill

2:00 Ministers' Retirement ---------- Rev. W. W. Jones

2:15 Religious Literature ---------- Mr. Donald Smith

2:25 Hymn

2:30 Analysis of Statistical Report ---------- Mr. B. B. Byers

2:40 Miscellaneous Business

2:45 Report of Temperance and Public Morals ---- Rev. Don L. Peek
Discussion

3:05 Adjournment

THURSDAY NIGHT SESSION — LOWER CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

7:30 Praise and Prayer ---------- Mrs. W. W. Jones
7:40 Announcements
7:50 Special Music
7:55 Report Baptist World Alliance ------ Miss Elizabeth Campbell
8:20 Slides of Travels in Holy Land --------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.
9:00 Adjournment

FRIDAY SESSION — SEPTEMBER 23, 1955 MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

9:30 Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. H. M. McGinnis
9:40 Miscellaneous Business; Announcements
9:45 Our North Carolina Baptist Work -- Dr. M. A. Huggins, Raleigh
10:15 Ministering to the Sick ---------- Rev. J. E. Pearson
Discussion
10:30 Report of our Mission Opportunities:
State ---------- Mr. A. Lee Pearson
Home ---------- Mrs. L. M. Abernethy
Foreign ---------- Mrs. Fred Cline
10:40 Discussion by the Churches — What Our Churches Are Doing For Missions
11:25 Music
11:30 Missionary Message ---------- Mrs. J. T. McRae (Gaza)
12:00 Lunch
1:00 Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. Jack Holland
1:05 Report on Stewardship ---------- Rev. J. J. Buckner
1:15 In Memoriam ---------- Mrs. C. A. Bowman
1:20 Report on Evangelism ---------- Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
1:30 Reports of Committees
Trustees of Associational Property ---------- Mr. E. E. Stafford
Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers ---------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.
Nominating Committee ---------- Rev. Earnest Moore
1:55 Historian's Report ---------- Mr. M. C. Estes
2:05 Report of Committees:
Time, Place and Preacher
Resolutions
2:15 Installation of Officers
2:20 Congregational Hymn
2:25 Message ---------- Rev. Fritz Hemphill, Hickory
2:55 Adjournment



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James Holder, Vice-Moderator ---------- **Whitnel, N. C.**
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk ---------- **P. O. Box 618, Lenoir, N. C.**
Ed. D. Beach, Treasurer ---------- **P. O. Box 205, Lenoir, N. C.**
M. C. Estes, Historian ---------- **Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.**
Floyd Annas, Associational Sunday School Supt. -- **Granite Falls, N. C.**
Clarence Prestwood, Training Union Director ---- **Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.**
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, W.M.U. Superintendent --------- **Lenoir, N. C.**
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Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Supt. Evangelism -- **482 W. Harper Ave., Lenoir**

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

Miss Elizabeth Campbell ---------- **428 South Main St., Lenoir, N. C.**

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

J. Malcolm Laxton, Chairman ---------- Kings Creek, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Secretary ---------- Lenoir, N. C.
James Holder ---------- Whitnel, N. C.
Miss Elizabeth Campbell ---------- Lenoir, N. C.

As provided in the constitution, each active pastor in the association and one lay-member from each church in addition to the above named officers comprise this committee. A list of lay-members may be found elsewhere in the minutes. See index.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS FOR 1955-1956

Superintendent ---------- **Mr. Floyd Annas, Granite Falls, N. C.**
Supt. of Training ------ **Rev. John E. Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.**
Supt. of Enlargement ---- **Rev. J. Louis Price, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.**
Supt. of Evangelism ---- **Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., 482 W. Harper, Lenoir**
Supt. of V.B.S. ------ **Mr. George Hollar, Duke St., Granite Falls, N. C.**
Secretary-Treasurer ---------- **Mr. George Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.**
Pianist ---------- **Miss Betty Hendrix, Box 592, Lenoir, N. C.**
Chorister ---------- **Rev. Niles Compton, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.**

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS

Cradle Roll ---------- Mrs. Thomas Sheppard, Granite Falls, N. C.
Nursery ---------- Mrs. Oliver Grice, 100 Clarks Drive, Lenoir, N. C.
Beginner ---------- Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, 130 Broadway, Lenoir, N. C.
Primary Children - Mrs. Madge Dickson, 100 Powell Circle, Lenoir, N. C.
Miss Betty Sue Sharpe, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Juniors ---------- Mrs. Fred Adams, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mrs. James Holder, Whitnel, N. C.
Intermediates ---------- Miss Lucy Walters, Hudson, N. C.
Intermediate Y. P. -- Mrs. W. W. Jones, 1200 E. Harper Ave., Lenoir
Young People ---------- Rev. Earl Pearson, Kings Creek Station, Lenoir
Adult ---------- Mr. B. B. Byers, 243 N. Fairview, Lenoir, N. C.
Extension ---------- Mr. J. W. Myers, Granite Falls, N. C.

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

Collettsville ---------- Mr. Jasper Moore, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Patterson ---------- Rev. Robert Frye, Patterson, N. C.
Lenoir ---------- Rev. James Holder, Whitnel, N. C.
Hudson ---------- Rev. Paul Hopkins, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Granite Falls ---------- Rev. Thomas Sheppard, Granite Falls, N. C.

TRAINING UNION ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS 1955-1956

Director ---------- Mr. Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Associate Director ---- Mrs. R. J. Smith, 313 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir
Secretary-Treasurer ---------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., Lenoir, N. C.
Chorister ---------- Mr. Joe Pritchard, 121 Wayside Circle, Lenoir, N. C.
Pianist ---------- Mrs. Dewey Annas, Rhodhiss, N. C.
Pastor-Advisor ---------- Rev. C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N. C.

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Adult ---------- Mrs. C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N. C.
Young People ---------- Mr. Wayne Sorrells, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Intermediate ---------- Mrs. Nelson Clay, Granite Falls, N. C.
Junior ---------- Mrs. Niles Compton, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Children's Work ---------- Mrs. Robert Frye, Patterson, N. C.

GROUP LEADERS

Collettsville ---------- Mrs. Arlo Greene, Rt. 8, Box 366, Lenoir, N. C.
Patterson ---------- Mrs. Warren Holder, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
---- Mr. Walter L. Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Lenoir ---------- Rev. Don Peek, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Hudson ---------- Miss Carrie Mae Smith, Hudson, N. C.
Granite Falls ---------- Mr. Charles Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.

THE W.M.U. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS FOR 1955-1956

Superintendent _____ Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, 409 1st St. North, Lenoir
Associate Supt. _____ Mrs. J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek, N. C.
Youth Director _____ Miss Constance Annas, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Mission Study Chairman ____ Mrs. Albert Holden, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Community Missions Chairman _____ Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Route 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Stewardship Chairman _____ Mrs. J. N. Moore, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Literature Chairman _____ Mrs. Nelson Clay, Granite Falls, N. C.

YOUNG PEOPLE LEADERS

Sunbeam _____ Mrs. John Carter, Granite Falls, N. C.
R. A. Leader _____ Mr. Bruce Kirby, Eastover Drive, Lenoir, N. C.
G. A. Leader _____ Mrs. Elihue Miller, Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Y. W. A. Leader _____ Mrs. Fred Cline, Box 4996, Granite Falls, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY TRUSTEES

B. F. Williams (1956) _____ Lenoir, N. C.
Walter Sullivan (1957) _____ Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
J. F. Reece (1958) _____ Lenoir, N. C.
E. E. Stafford (1959) _____ Lenoir, N. C.
George Hollar (1960) _____ Granite Falls N. C.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Ed D. Beach, Chairman _____ Box 205, Lenoir, N. C.
J. Malcolm Laxton _____ ____ Kings Creek Station, Lenoir, N. C.
James Holder _____ Whitnel, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr. _____ P. O. Box 618, Lenoir, N. C.
Robert Frye _____ Patterson, N. C.
Don Peek _____ Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
R. C. Icenhour _____ Penwood Heights, Lenoir, N. C.
C. Lewis Price _____ Route 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Clarence Prestwood _____ Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

M. O. Owens, Jr. (1956) _____ Lenoir, N. C.
Ernest Moore (1957) _____ Granite Falls, N. C.
Luther Snipes (1958) _____ Route 3, Lenoir, N. C.
J. Louis Price (1959) _____ Granite Falls, N. C.
J. J. Buckner (1960) _____ Whitnel, N. C.

COMMITTEES TO MAKE REPORTS IN 1956

Allied Church League _____ Paul Morrow, Route 1, Hudson, N. C.
Brotherhood _____ A. J. Parsons, Box 91, Lenoir, N. C.
Christian Education _____ Thomas Flowe, Granite Falls, N. C.
Foreign Missions _____ Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Home Missions _____ Paul Hopkins, Route 1, Hudson, N. C.
State Missions _____ Mrs. Don Peek, Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Home for the Aging _____ Mrs. J. H. Craig, Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Hospital _____ L. R. Davis, 106 Piedmont Rd., Lenoir, N. C.
Obituaries _____ Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Lenoir, N. C.
Orphanage _____ G. G. Steele, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Relief and Annuity ____ Thomas Sheppard, Box 4815, Granite Falls, N. C.
Religious Literature and
Biblical Recorder _____ Mrs. George Icenhour, Lenoir, N. C.
Statistician _____ B. B. Byers, 243 N. Fairview Dr., Lenoir, N. C.
Stewardship _____ O. L. McGinnis, Route 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION

BATON — Mr. W. M. Bollinger, Mrs. C. B. Bollinger, Miss Joan Cannon and Mrs. John Parker.

BETHANY — Mr. Hardie Bolick, Mrs. Mattie Bolick, Mrs. Paggie Greene.

BLAIRS FORK — Rev. L. R. Davis, Mrs. L. R. Davis, Mrs. Doris Andres, Mrs. Ray Holtzclaw, Sr., Mrs. Virgie Walker.

BUFFALO COVE — Mr. Adair Hawkins, Mr. Granville Robbins, Mr. J. C. Todd.

CEDAR ROCK — Mrs. E. E. Barlow, Mrs. W. N. Cantor, Mrs. S. F. Cantor.

CENTER GROVE — Mrs. Paul Morrow, Mr. VoneLee Bean, Mrs. Lula Lowdermilk, Tula Bumgarner, Christine Cloniger.

CLARKS CHAPEL — Mrs. Mary Craig, Mr. B. A. Cook, Mr. H. C. Walker, Mr. W. R. Stone.

CONWAYS CHAPEL —

DUDLEY SHOALS — Mr. S. L. Reid, Mr. O. L. Smith and Mr. M. H. Taylor.

EDGEMONT — Mr. Tatum Ford, Mrs. Lillian Vines and Mrs. Gertie Killian.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL — Rev. W. L. Sorrells, Mrs. W. L. Sorrells, Mrs. D. S. Richards, Mrs. Maul Word and Mrs. O. L. Benfield

GLOBE — Rev. R. C. Cook, Bobby Cook.

GRANDIN — Miss Cora Greer, Miss Ida Greer.

GRANDVIEW PARK — Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Snyder, Mrs. Emma Baker, Mrs. Earl Nichols and Mrs. C. B. Watson.

CLOVER — T. A. Sheppard, Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mrs. Lonie Wilson, Mrs. R. L. Warlick and Mrs. Fred Cline.

CONCORD — Mr. George W. Hollar, Mr. G. J. Miller, Mrs. White, Mrs. Ernest Moore and Mrs. Nellie Triplett.

GRANITE FIRST BAPTIST — Rev. L. W. Teague, Mrs. L. M. Abernethy, Mrs. C. C. Fincannon, Mrs. O. R. Payne and Mrs. Joel Simmons.

GREEN ROCK — Mr. Ed. Philyaw, Mrs. Ed. Philyaw, Mrs. Hunt Conley, Mrs. Ginelle Conley.

GREEN VALLEY — Rev. O. C. Dellinger, Mrs. Wesley Coffey, Mr. Johnny Franklin and Mrs. R. G. Chambers.

HARRIS CHAPEL — Rev. Tommy Swinson, Mr. Troy Townsend, Mrs. Troy Townsend, Mrs. Lois Duncan, Mrs. Robert Farr.

HARTLAND — Rev. J. W. Ramsey, Mrs. Ronald Story, Mrs. Frank Poarch and Mr. Jonas Mull.

HIBRITEN — Mrs. G. C. Winebarger, Miss Beulah Colvard, Mr. and Mrs. Hane Oakes, Mrs. Tessie Woods.

HIGH VIEW — Mrs. Roy Bentley, Mrs. Jay Ellis, Mrs. Prestwood and Mrs. James Smith.

HUDSON FIRST BAPTIST — Rev. W. R. Moss, Mrs. W. R. Moss, Mrs.

M. Clyde Smith, Miss Lucie Walters, Mrs. Guy Griffin.

JOHNS RIVER — Mr. Homer C. McLean Mr. R. G. Estes and C. E. Crump.

JOYCETON — Mr. Colene Butler, Mrs. Henry Butler, Mrs. Francis L. Prestwood, Mrs. George Hartzog, and Mrs. Clarence Wilson.

KINGS CREEK — Rev. J. E. Pearson, Mrs. Colon Keller, Mr. Fred Price, Mr. J. M. Laxton and A. G. Beach.

CALVARY BAPTIST — Mrs. Cecil Lindsay, Mrs. S. M. Crump, Mrs. Joe Bryant and Mr. Coy Earley.

COLLEGE AVENUE — Mrs. J. S. Green, Mr. N. E. Johnson, Mrs. J. E. Driver, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. Joe McMillan, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, Mr. E. E. Stafford Mr. B. B. Byers.

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LOWER CREEK — Mr. J. A. Boldin, Mr. G. G. Steele, Mr. George Ferguson, Mrs. T. N. Moore, Mrs. Clyde Moore, Mrs. Rufus Wilson, Mrs. Carl Pennell, Mrs. George Ferguson, Mrs. Lucy Rodwell, Mrs. J. A. Boldin.

TEMPLE MISSIONARY — Mr. James Summerlin, Mr. P. Summerlin, Mr. Colean Adams, Mr. R. L. Laws, Mr. Jess Bell.

WEST LENOIR — Mr. Russell Moore, Rev. C. A. McFela, Mrs. C. A. McFela, Mrs. G. D. Ward and Mrs. A. C. Story.

LONG FORD — Rev. A. J. Swinson, Mrs. A. J. Swinson, Mrs. Paul Hollars, Mrs. Carl Borders and Mr. G. W. Keys.

LOVELADY — Mrs. Ed Hollar, Mrs. Able Kirby, Rev. Curtis Morris.

MAPLE GROVE — Shirley Philyaw, Coleen Killian and Mrs. D. W. Philyaw.

MILLER HILL — Rev. L. E. Snipes, Mrs. Raymond Green, Verler Blankenship.

MOUNTAIN GROVE — A. Lee Pearson, Mrs. Frank Hood, Mrs. J. L. Green, Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mrs. J. A. Hollar, J. A. McLeod, J. E. McLeod and Rev. H. M. McGinnis.

MOUNTAIN VIEW — Mrs. Blaine Eggers, Mrs. Douglas Clark, Alice Crisp.

MT. ZION — Mrs. Duff Annas, Paul J. Hopkins, Mrs. J. L. Mills, Mrs. W. C. Caldwell, R. B. Miller, Gale Benfield.

MULBERRY — Bill Bolick, Duey Vines, Mrs. W. C. Coffey.

MULVALE — Mrs. Glen Suddreth, Mrs. F. E. Land, Mrs. R. B. Glass, Mrs. Paul Dalrympler.

NELSONS CHAPEL — Mrs. J. A. Craig, Mrs. R. E. Robbins, Mrs. W. M. Hardin, Mrs. Alvin Carlton, Rev. Gwyn Sullivan.

NEW HOPE — Mrs. George A. Hart, Mrs. C. P. McGee, Mrs. G. D. Greer, Mrs. Albert Icenhour and Mrs. J. K. Barlow.

OAK GROVE — Rev. Thomas B. Flowe, Mrs. Thomas Flowe, Mrs. Charles Wallace, Mrs. J. W. Myers and Charlie Poovey.

PINEY GROVE — Mrs. Walter Sullivan, Mrs. Ellis Frye, Rev. Bernard Tuttle, Albert Winkler, Ollis Frye, W. D. Goble, Sr.

PISGAH — Mrs. Glen Greene, Mrs. C. A. Coffey and Mrs. Bertha Bryant.

PLEASANT HILL — Rev. N. R. Black, Mrs. N. R. Black, Mrs. Ila Hyle.

POOVEY'S CHAPEL — H. R. Harris, Mrs. Glen Hartley. Mrs. Clyde Witherspoon, Mrs. J. Hartley and Mrs. Ruby Hart.

POOVEY'S GROVE — Rev. R. W. Bumgarner, Mrs. James Summerlin, Mr. James Summerlin, Mrs. John E. Carter, Mrs. George McCormick, Rev. John E. Carter, Mrs. Gwynn Hartley, Mrs. Jake Hart, Mrs. Frank Hartley.

RHODHISS — Mrs. Dewey Annas, Mrs. C. B. Bobbitt.

ROCKY SPRINGS — Mrs. Don Franklin, M. C. Estes, Rev. D. A. Newton, Mrs. Donald Franklin.

RUFUS — Dan W. Philyaw, L. H. Moore, Otis Green.

SETZER CREEK — Mrs. T. R. Gentry, Mrs. M. F. Faw, Mrs. Earl Cheek, Mrs. S. W. Andrews.

TEMPLE HILL — Mrs. Finley Pennell, Mrs. Clenard Starnes.

UNION — Mrs. Ernest C. Roberts, Mrs. John White, Mrs. Bingham Kirby, Mrs. Maynard Teague, Mrs. S. R. Ruff, Rev. C. F. Cooke, Rev. Don Peek.

UNION GROVE — Mrs. T. P. Butler, Mrs. Brooks Smith, Mrs. Albert Smith, Rev. L. J. Culler, Ivey Hall, Mrs. Will Bolick.

CENTRAL (Whitnel) — Jack Parson, Mrs. W. C. Lutz, Mrs. Jow Chandler, Mrs. Jack Parson and Mrs. Andy Parson.

FIRST (Whitnel) — Mrs. James Bolick, Mrs. B. W. Setzer, Rev. James Holder.

WINKLERS GROVE — Mrs. Henry L. Winkler, Jack Hollar, Henry L. Winkler, Mrs. Jack Holland, Mrs. J. M. Harkins, J. E. Setzer.

WORSHIP POINT — Rev. Claud B. Suddreth, Mrs. Herbert Pritchard, Mrs. John Day, Mrs. Claud Suddreth.

YADKIN — Mrs. Robert Frye, Mrs. W. A. Suddreth, Mrs. D. J. Miller, Rev. R. A. Frye, Mrs. D. O. Taylor, Mrs. D. E. Collins, Mrs. Dwight Earp, Mrs. Glenn Collis, Mrs. A. F. Green, Mrs. Oscar Pierce, Mr. A. F. Green.

YADKIN VALLEY — Mrs. Arnie R. Wilds, Mrs. Dwight Earp, Mrs. Glenn Collis.

ZACKS FORK — Mrs. Margaret S. Reid, Mrs. C. A. Stokes.

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. —.Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary letters. Any new church applying for membership shall be accepted under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year before being admitted into full fellowship.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
8. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration. and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association

Thursday Morning Session

First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N. C.

1. More than 500 delegates and visitors representing 62 of the 64 churches of the Caldwell Association were registered for its first session. Mr. Roy Holder, director of music of the College Avenue Baptist Church led the singing of hymns, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" and "Crown Him King." Miss Patricia Roberts, organist of the First Baptist Church accompanied at the organ. The Caldwell Association met with the First Church, Lenoir, N. C., in 1890, 1903, 1913, 1934, 1947 and 1955.

2. Mr. J. Malcolm Laxton, moderator and principal of Kings Creek High School, called the session to order. Rev. Paul J. Hopkins, pastor of Mt. Zion Church conducted the praise and prayer devotion.

3. On motion all delegates present and those attending later sessions were officially seated for purpose of transacting the business of the Association.

4. A program covering the several sessions was presented by the clerk. On motion this program was adopted and the moderator announced the appointment of committees to make reports at later sessions:

Petitionary Letters: Rev. W. W. Jones, Chm., Lower Creek; Rev. W. L. Sorrells, Flemings Chapel and Robert Frye, Yadkin Church.

Place and Preacher: Mr. J. A. Boldin, Chm., Mrs. Robert Frye and Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt.

Resolutions: Rev. T. A. Sheppard, Chm., Rev. John E. Carter, Poovey's Grove; Mrs. R. J. Smith, College Avenue, and Mr. Ben Sullivan, Harris Chapel.

Nominating Committee for 1956: Rev. J. Lewis Price, Chm., Dudley Shoals; A. Lee Pearson, Mt. Grove; Dr. J. F. Reece, Lenoir First; Clarence Prestwood, Mulvale and Mrs. W. W. Jones, Lower Creek.

5. The moderator presented new pastors: Rev. George Westmoreland, Hudson First; Rev. Marvin Sanders, Cedar Rock; Rev. Hastings, Calvary; Rev. A. J. Swinson, Long Ford.

6. Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Associational Missionary gave a most interesting account of her activities during the past year. Following is a partial report:

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"Behold I say unto you, lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest." John 4:35.

1. Baton — Taught S. S. Class (2); spoke during dedication of church; spoke for worship services (2); taught Land of Many Worlds.

2. Blairs Work — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star.

3. Bethany — Helped in Vacation Bible School.

4. Buffalo Cove — Planned with Yadkin for V.B.S. here.

5. Calvary — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star. Attended Revival. Spoke at close of service when pastor left.

6. Cedar Rock — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star. Spoke in interest of G. A. and R. A.; planned with Union for V.B.S. here.

7. Center Grove — Attended S. S. and worship; taught Land of Many Worlds; helped plan for the organization of R. A.

8. Central — S. S. Teacher's and Officer's Meeting; taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star. Had Circle meeting in my home.

9. Clarks Chapel— Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star, Y.W.A. Manual; attended S. S. and worship; spoke for 2 worship services; Y.W.A. meeting my home; spoke for G.A. banquet; helped in Vacation Bible School.

10. Clover — Spoke Evening Worship (2); attended T. U. and revival 1.

11. College Ave. — Attended revival service 1; taught in 2 Study Courses, one association and one local church; Evangelistic Committee Meeting; Associational S. S. Mass Meeting; gave charge to new W.M.U. officers; Annual Assoc. meeting; G. A. and R. A. Coronation-Recognition Service and Practices (5); Assoc. W.M.U. Leadership Conf. (3); spoke for Evening Worship; attended 1 Worship Service; attended New Year's Eve Party and Service, reception for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holder; taught Land of Many Worlds.

12. Concord — Spoke S. S. Officer's and Teacher's Banquet; attended Worship and Homecoming service; taught Under the North Star to W.M.S. and Y.W.A.

13. Conways Chapel — Planned with Hartland for V.B.S. here.

14. Dudley Shoals — Taught Land of Many Worlds; showed Filmstrip in connection with same, and Under the North Star, V.B.S. Faculty Meeting; helped in V.B.S.

15. Edgemont — Helped in Vacation Bible School.

16. Flemings Chapel — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star to W.M.S. and Y.W.A.; S. S. and Worship (2); Homecoming Worship.

17. Globe — Taught S. S. Class; provided V.B.S. workers.

18. Grandview Park — Taught Under the North Star; attended Prayer Service; helped in V.B.S.

19. Grandin — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star, Studies in Hebrews.

20. Granite Falls First — Annual Assoc. Meeting; T. U. "M" Night Meeting; S. S. Christmas Party; Prayer Service.

21. Green Rock — Planned with Yadkin for V.B.S. here.

22. Green Valley — Taught S. S. Class (2), spoke to all the people; typed Census; provided V.B.S. workers.

23. Harris Chapel — Taught Land of Many Worlds.

24. Hartland — Taught Land of Many Worlds, Under the North Star; T. U. Study Course (3); attended Homecoming dinner.

25. Hibriten — Attended Evening Worship; planned with Mt. Zion for V.B.S. here.

26. High View — Taught S. S. Class, Worship; planned with Hudson First for V.B.S. here.

27. Hudson First — Attended Dedication Service, read History of Church! taught T. U. Study Course Land of Many Worlds (5).

28. Johns River — Taught S. S. Class; spoke in interest of Missions; provided V.B.S. workers.

29. Joyceton — Planned with Harris Chapel for V.B.S. here.

30. Kings Creek — Spoke for 3 Worship Services; attended 1 other; attended Revival; taught Land of Many Worlds.

31. Lenoir First — Prayer service (6); Training U Program (2); Worship (4); Assoc. T. U. meeting; R. A. Conclave; V.B.S. Clinic and Preview Studies (5); S. S. Mass Meeting; W.M.S. program 1; Circle Program 1; Gardner-Webb Extension Course 1; Executive Council meeting.

32. Lovelady — Provided V.B.S. materials.

33. Longford — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Thro A Cuban Window; attended 1 Worship Service.

34. Lower Creek — Installed W.M.U. officers; taught Land of Many Worlds and Light in Yumuri; attended inter-racial meeting; Y.W.A. Counselors Meeting; Assoc. T. U. meeting.

35. Maple Grove — Helped in Vacation Bible School.

36. Mt. Zion — Taught Teaching Y.P. In the S. S.; Land of Many Worlds to W.M.S. and Y.W.A.; Assoc. S. S. Mass meeting; presented Filmstrip W.M.U. Week of Prayer program; spoke Evening Worship; attended open house at the parsonage.

37. Miller Hill — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star; T. U. Study Course (5); Taught S. S. Class (2); spoke for Worship (2); helped with Census.

38. Mulberry — Provided Vacation Bible School helpers.

39. Mtn. Grove — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star; attended Revival (1).

40. Mtn. View — Taught Under the North Star; provided V.B.S. workers.

41. Mulvale — Taught S. S. Class; spoke Morning Worship; attended W.M.S. meeting; taught Under the North Star.

42. Nelsons Chapel — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star; had games for G.A. and R.A. Christmas party at my home; helped in V.B.S.

43. New Hope — Taught S. S. Class (2); spoke on Evangelistic Crusade; spoke for Morning Worship; Prayer Service; helped in V.B.S.

44. Oak Grove — Spoke to whole Training Union; taught Land of Many Worlds.

45. Piney Grove — Taught T. U. Study Course Good Stewards (5); helped in V.B.S.

46. Pleasant Hill — Taught Land of Many Worlds.

47. Pisgah — Provided V.B.S. workers.

48. Pooveys Chapel — Taught Under the North Star.

49. Pooveys Grove — Showed mission film and spoke Evening Worship (2); taught Under the North Star.

50. Rhodhiss — Taught Land of Many Worlds; showed Mission Films and spoke Evening Worship (2).

51. Rocky Springs — Provided V.B.S. workers.

52. Rufus — Taught S. S. Class, spoke to whole group; provided V.B.S. workers.

53. Setzer Creek — S. S., spoke for Morning Worship; taught Studies In Hebrews.

54. Temple Missionary — T. U. Study Adult Manual; taught Under the North Star; provided V.B.S. workers; had one study at my home.

55. Temple Hill — Planned with Concord for V.B.S. here.

56. Union — Taught Under the North Star and Light In Yumuri; attended T. U. and Worship.

57. Union Grove — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star; spoke in interest of Evangelistic Crusade; helped organize G. A.'s (2); provided a V.B.S. helper.

58. Whitnel First — S. S. and Morning Worship; attended Revival (1).

59. Winkler's Grove — Planned with Poovey's Grove for V.B.S. workers here.

60. West Lenoir — Taught Land of Many Worlds and Under the North Star; provided V.B.S. workers; had one study at my home.

61. Worship Point — Planned with Yadkin for V.B.S. workers here.

62. Yadkin — Spoke Adult Union on Cooperative Program; taught Jr.-Int. Leadership Manual (4); taught Light In Yumuri-Y.W.A.; brought message at dedication of building; attended Revival (1).

63. Yadkin Valley — Taught Studies In Hebrews; provided a V.B.S. worker.

64. Zacks Fork — Provided V.B.S. workers.

In many of the churches that I did not have a meeting in, I had personal contact with them in delivering the Calendars and Minutes and in making plans for V.B.S. and other promotional work. I wish to take this opportunity to thank each one who has helped in any way in our Associational Program during this past year.

SUMMARY IN PART OF WORK DONE DURING YEAR

Prepared V.B.S. Notebook material for Beginners, Primary, Junior, Intermediates.

Taught 52 Mission Study Classes; 4 S. S. Training Courses; 6 T.U. Training Courses.

Traveled from Sept. — Sept. 15,300 miles in the Assoc.; between 20,000-25,000 miles in other parts of the world.

Worked in 9 Vacation Bible Schools in June.

Spoke for 26 Sunday Services.

Spoke Valmead School Chapel Program.

MEETINGS OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION

S. S. Associational Officer's Meeting, Marion First.

W.M.U. Institute, Fruitland.

W.M.U. Divisional Meeting, Mt. Airy. Gave Stewardship Report.

T. U. Assoc. Officer's Planning Meeting, Charlotte First.

Brushy Mtn. W.M.U. Leadership meeting, Stewardship Conference.

Rowan W.M.U. Leadership Meeting — Stewardship Conference.

Baptist State Convention, Greensboro.

V.B.S. Clinic, Gardner-Webb College.

S. S. State Clinic, Winston-Salem (5).

W.M.U. Executive Committee Meeting, Elkin.

Evangelistic Conference, Greensboro.

Taught Under the North Star, Antioch Church, Alexander Association.

Taught Light In Yumuri, Connelly Springs Church, South Mountain Assoc.

Spoke for Valentine Banquet, Love S. S. Class, Valdese First Church.

Program Committee Meeting for Planning State Convention Program 1, Statesville, 1, Raleigh.

Regional T. U. Committee Meeting.

W.M.U. Convention, Asheville, First.

V.B.S. Preview Studies, Catawba River Assoc. (3); Brushy Mtn. V.B.S. Clinic.

Spoke for Ladies Night at the Brotherhood Meeting, Antioch Church, Catawba River Association.

Spoke for the Elkin Associational G.A. Rally.

Regional Training Union Meeting, Mt. Airy.

7. Host pastor, Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., welcomed guest delegates and visitors attending the seventy-first session.

8. The next order of business were reports of associational committees designated to prepare written articles for the delegates. Reports were read as follows:

Sunday Schools, Mr. George Hollar and read by Rev. Ernest Moore.

Training Union read by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

Women's Missionary Union read by Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt.

Brotherhood, no written report.

Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., addressed the association giving briefly the necessity of the several associational organizations and stressed the importance of full cooperation with all organized agencies of the association, State and Southern conventions.

On motion and duly seconded the reports were adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

We are happy to report what we believe has beeen a very good year in Sunday School work in the Caldwell Association. Four mass meetings were held in the following order: November, Mt. Zion; February 20, College Ave.; May 22, First Church, Lenoir; August 21, Lower Creek.

District training schools were held in November with a large number attending. The department teaching books were studied. A Vacation Bible School Clinic was held at the First Church, Lenoir, April 29, with the preview studies May 2-3. We are happy to report vacation Bible schools in all our churches again this year, thanks to the great number of workers from various churches who helped in these churches. Reports seem to indicate that more churches are selecting workers in their own church to do their Vacation Bible Schools. This will strengthen the church in a great way.

Our Sunday Schools did a great work in our simultaneous revivals which were held in April. Our Sunday School work in the Caldwell Association will continue to grow as long as we have a Bible centered teaching program in our Sunday Schools, recognize the worth of the individual, place major emphasis on evangelism, provide space for classes and departments, keep our schools graded, and maintain a program of visitation. The purpose of the Sunday School is to lead people into a closer relationship with God. May we give it our best.

Respectfully,
Geo. W. Hollar,
Associational Superintendent

REPORT OF WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The women and all members of churches in the Caldwell Baptist Association have reason to rejoice for we are continuing to move forward in our mission program. The number of new societies is not as great as our goal, for we continue to wish to make Caldwell Association one hundred per cent in Missionary organizations.

Our records for last year are as follows:

Lottie Moon Offering for Foreign Missions	$11,672.85
Annie Armstrong Offering for Home Mission	1,578.65
Heck Jones Memorial Offering	675.33
State Missions Offering	913.39

Two new Women's Missionary Societies have been organized during the year and seventeen young people's organizations have been begun. The attendance at our associational meetings has shown an increase with both the women and the young people. For example:

1. At the annual associational meeting, 233 were present and 35 of the 46 societies were represented.

2. Eighty-five were present at the Women's Rally in connection with the State Evangelistic Conference.

3. One hundred ninety-five young people were present for the Y.W.A. Banquet on February 14 and all 18 organizations were represented.

4. The one hundred forty-six who attended the Sunbeam Rally represented thirteen churches.

5. Most of the 37 chapters were represented among the 238 boys who attended the R. A. Conclave.

There is no need for anyone to say they are ashamed to be a member of the Woman's Missionary Society. Dr. Courts Redford tells us that forty per cent of the support of Home Missions comes from the women. More of our churches need to realize that the W.M.S. is an organization which has as its purpose the salvation of souls throughout the world. The W.M.S. is a means whereby the missionary program of the church can be strengthened.

Let me urge our women to enlist in the W.M.U. There is no organization that offers more opportunity for service for one of God's children. Jesus has said, "Feed my sheep." The W.M.U. is one of the channels through which this can be done.

Christ for the whole wide world!
Our task has just begun.
For millions wait in every land
The message of God's Son.
Shall they be left in sin?
To die without his word?
Without the Saviour Jesus Christ,
Because they never heard?

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt President

9. The congregation sang "Come Thy Fount of Every Blessing."

10. Mr. Ed Beach, treasurer, gave a detailed report of monies received and disbursed. On motion the report was made a part of the records:

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 21, 1954 to September 20, 1955

Cash in Bank September 21, 1954:			
Regular		$ 396.34	
Building Fund		182.38	$ 578.72
Receipts:			
Regular Pledges		$5,162.08	
Building Fund		532.42	
Baptist State Convention:			
Regular	$ 600.00		
V. B. S.	280.00	880.00	
Minutes		356.25	
V. B. S. - Offerings and Materials		985.79	
Sale of Mimeograph Machine		75.00	
S. S. Books		43.06	
B. T. U. Study Course		120.85	
Miscellaneous		13.33	8,168.78
Total Receipts and Beginning Balance			$8,747.50
Disbursements:			
Elizabeth Campbell:			
Salary	$3,000.00		
Travel	720.00		
Gifts	100.00		
Other Expense	65.90		
S. S. and Retirement - Net	185.02	$4,070.92	
Building and Loan		960.00	
Vacation Bible School		901.62	
Postage		50.00	
Edwin B. Dozier - Program		25.00	
Projector		80.02	
Clerk Expense	$ 117.50		
Less Contribution	45.00	72.50	

Calendars	83.75	
Printing Minutes	486.40	
Ridgecrest	115.00	
Payments on Mimeograph Machine	294.82	
Typewriter	175.00	
Missionary's Home - Expenses	160.18	
Missionary's Home - Fuel Oil	120.79	
H. B. Anderson - Interest	164.35	
Office Supplies	68.80	
Sunday School	69.69	
Baptist Book Store - Various	391.97	8,290.81
Cash in Bank September 19, 1955		$ 456.69
Unpaid Loans September 20, 1955:		
Mutual Building and Loan		$ 6,850.13
H. B. Anderson		2,900.00
Other Miscellaneous		228.64
Equipment		400.00
Total		$10,378.77

Respectfully submitted,

E. D. Beach, Treasurer

11. The budget committee submitted their report and recommendations for the year 1955-1956. On motion the suggested budget was adopted and a figure of 80 cents per resident member was voted. The allotted amount of $600.00 received from the state convention annually for support of Associational Missionaries was reduced by order of the association to $300.00 annually.

SUGGESTED BUDGET FOR 1955-1956 IS AS FOLLOWS:

Estimated Expenses:		
Clerk's Expenses		$ 125.00
Sunday School		150.00
Training Union		150.00
W. M. U.		50.00
Vacation Bible School		1,000.00
Christmas Love Gift		50.00
Music School		400.00
Ridgecrest		100.00
Postage, Printing and Calendars		350.00
Minutes		500.00
Debt Retirement and Interest		1,343.00
Insurance and Maintenance		300.00
Associational Meeting		75.00
Office Equipment - Current	$ 200.00	
Office Equipment - Prior	400.00	600.00
Associational Missionary:		
Salary	$3,300.00	
Travel	780.00	
Convention	150.00	
Retirement and Social Security	192.00	4,422.00
Treasurer's Expenses		50.00
Total Estimated Expenses		$9,665.00

Less Anticipated Receipts from Other Sources:		
Baptist State Convention:		
Missionary's Salary	$ 300.00	
V. B. S. Workers	200.00	
Sale of Minutes	400.00	
V. B. S.	1,000.00	
Music School	125.00	
Training School Books	200.00	2,225.00
Balance Needed from Churches		$7,440.00

It is suggested that churches be asked to contribute $ .80 per resident member for the above amount.

It is also suggested that the price of minutes of the next session be raised to $ .40 per copy.

The Finance Committee

12. Mr. Lyn Pollard, soloist from the First Baptist Church sang "The Lord Is My Light," after which Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., delivered an inspiring address on the topic, "Jesus, the Builder."

13. The association adjourned at noon for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order by Moderator Laxton after Rev. Roy Holder led the singing of "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross." Rev. R. C. Cook read from the first chapter of Corinthians and offered prayer.

15. A report on the Orphanage was read by Mr. G. G. Steele. Speaking to report were Mr. Steele and Rev. R. F. Smith, Jr., pastor of the Kennedy Home Church. On motion the report was adopted.

THE ORPHANAGE REPORT

During the last year the program of child care has moved steadily forward. Probably there has never been a year in the history of the Orphanage when the needs of the children have been more adequately met.

This year the Orphanage cared for 713 children. At the same time it gave services to, and helped in the placement of more than 600 other children.

The Orphanage publication, "Charity and Children," continues to reach our people all over the state in ever increasing numbers. It carries the message direct from the Orphanage to more than 47 thousand homes each week Every church in Caldwell Association should have a club of ten or more copies to be distributed in the Sunday School. The subscription price is 60c per year in clubs of ten or more. Through "Charity and Children," we not only get news about the Orphanage, but a good deal of valuable information about our denominational work.

Special gifts have made possible the continuation of the building program. The new church building at Kennedy Home is almost completed. It is considered one of the most beautiful in the state.

In 1954 the income from churches was at an all-time high. The Orphanage is to receive from the cooperative program that part of its support not otherwise provided for. Under the new plan the vast majority of the churches continue a once-a-month offering just as in the past. It now looks as if about $60,000.00 of the income this year will be through the cooperative program. Under the new plan of support the Thanksgiving offering becomes more important than ever before. Any future expansion of the Orphanage will depend largely upon this offering. Hence every Sunday School Superintendent and Pastor should urge their church to give a larger "Thanks Offering" this year.

Let's support our Orphanage better so it can continue to help more children each year.

Respectfully submitted
G. G. Steele

15. Ministering to the Aging was the topic of an article presented by Mrs. George Wynne. Mrs. Wynne and Rev. James M. Hayes, superintendent of the homes for the aging, Winston-Salem, spoke to the report. On motion the report was adopted.

N. C. BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

This, the fifth year of operation, has been one of encouraging progress — both homes — Resthaven and Albemarle — have had a continuing list of applicants. As soon as a vacancy occurs, there are far more applicants than can be admitted.

Construction of administration and residential building, costing $300,000 will be begun this year and should be completed next year. The new building will provide office facilities, dining room, kitchen, chapel, infirmary, recreational and handicraft, space and rooms for forty additional residents, raising the total capacity of the homes to 95 residents.

Two-thirds of the cost of the new building is in hand, counting the value of real estate turned over to the homes. Personal and corporation gifts are being received, increasing amount on hand.

Memorial gifts may be made as follows: $300 will furnish a room; $1,000 will endow, furnish and maintain a room; $3,000 will pay cost of building a room. In either case a memorial plaque bearing name of donor and name of person memorialized will be placed on door of room.

Miss Nettie Pearl Willis gave her home place at Vale, N. C., as a memorial to her mother, Mrs. Laura Elliott Goode Willis. The property will be sold and proceeds to be used to erect a cottage on the permanent site of our homes. Miss Willis also made her will in favor of the Homes.

So far this year our Special Day Offering has reached almost $70,000 and it is likely that our goal of $100,000 will be reached. In addition, the Homes will receive $39,850 as their share of the nine-year program, according to the estimated budget.

About ninety per cent of the residents are being helped by the Homes — some with about two-thirds of the cost of keep, others with about one-third. Less than ten per cent of the residents have turned over enough assets to pay their cost of keep on the life plan. Regardless of financial condition, applicants are received on the basis of need and available room.

All N. C. Baptists should be proud of the progress made so far. Let us all rally to the challenge to render a greater ministry to the increasing number of aging friends who need the services of our Homes.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Geo. E. Wynne

16. The report on Christian Education was read for Rev. C. B. Bobbitt by Mr. Claude Gaddy. On motion to adopt Mr. M. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College spoke regarding the Baptist colleges of the state convention.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Jesus believed in, and taught Christian Education. He taught and trained twelve men, who were later sent out as Apostles to help christianize a pagan world. These men were instructed to teach, preach and make disciples where they went.

Christian Education is the answer to the world's problems, and these will never be solved aright until they are solved in the light of Christianity as taught in the New Testament. People are never going to be any better than their thinking, and right thinking comes in part from what one reads and studies.

In North Carolina, we have seven Baptist Colleges, and one Seminary (The Southeastern located at Wake Forest). These colleges are: Wake Forest, Mars Hill, Meredith, Campbell, Gardner-Webb, Wingate and Chowan. These seven colleges have a total enrollment of 5,000, with about 750 studying for the ministry and mission service. We, as Baptists support our colleges and seminaries because we believe in the competency of the individual to seek and to know the will of God for his own life, and Christian education is one of the greatest aids to this end. There are forces in the world today which are trying to tear down this belief.

The Southern Baptist schools reached an all-time high of 50,080 during 1954-1955. There are 51 Junior and Senior Baptist colleges in the Southern Baptist Convention territory. Also there are 8 academies and 4 Bible schools. Enrolled in all these schools are 53,457 with 6,628 studying for the ministry. Also, there are 2,011 volunteers for mission service. Southern Baptist also have five seminaries, and contributes to the American Baptist Seminary for Negroes in Nashville, Tenn., and the Carver School of Missions and Social Work in Louisville, Ky.

Let each of us pray more for our institutions, and give more than ever before for the need is greater than ever. God has said, "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge," so let us see that our people have this true knowledge by giving of our time, talents, money and sending our children to Baptist institutions.

Respectfully submitted,
C. B. Bobbitt

17. Rev. Walter W. Jones, pastor of Lower Creek church presented the report on Ministers' Retirement. On motion to adopt, Rev. Jones reviewed the retirement plan. The report was adopted.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT

The Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has reported a hard year in 1954.

Dr. Orville Groner, who had been treasurer of the Board for 30

years, died Jan. 4. On Dec. 31, Dr. Walter R. Alexander, the Executive Secretary, passed away. This made the work very heavy for those who carried on through the most remarkable year of the Board's history.

Due to the inauguration of new plans and the large increase in number of participants, the work of this Board has rapidly expanded. In the year 1950, there were 2519 certificates issued. In 1954, this number jumped to 15,554 new certificates. This was partly due to the inclusion of new groups in the retirement plans.

The Ministers' Retirement plan has been replaced in all states except North Carolina by the Ministers' Security Plan and the Southern Baptist Protection plan. The North Carolina plan calls for 4% of the pastor's salary to be paid by the church, 4% by the pastor, and $18.00 from the denomination. Our Widow's Supplement, 1½% of pastor's salary up to $4000.00, is paid by the pastor.

Under the new plans in other states, these and other benefits, are grouped together, and the pastor pays 5%, the church 5%, and the denomination 5% of the pastor's salary up to $4,000.00.

This Board now has assets in excess of $35,000,000.00.

We mention two problems:

The relief work demanded of the Board is in excess of receipts from the convention for this purpose. January 1, 1955, there were 1530 preachers and widows receiving relief checks. In 1954, the convention provided $186,666.70 for this purpose. The remainder was taken from relief reserves.

Some of the preachers are dropping their Relief and Annuity Board certificates to take out Social Security. Social Security is a good thing, but should not replace our Baptist plan of retirement. Our own Relief and Annuity Board played a big part in getting the law passed making it possible for ministers to receive Social Security on a voluntary basis.

Respectfully submitted,

W. Walter Jones

18. Rev. C. B. Basemore, representative of the Biblical Recorder gave a brief address on Religious Literature. No written report was presented.

19. The delegates and visitors sang "Trust and Obey" after which the clerk read the Statistical Report for Mr. B. B. Byers. Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., spoke regarding the report. On motion the report was adopted.

STATISTICAL REPORT

We submit for your consideration the following significant facts as revealed in the complete statistical tables found in the minutes. You will, of course, want to check individual items of interest as contained therein in addition to the following important and revealing facts:

	1954	1955	Gain
Baptisms	790	706	-84 Loss
Church Membership	15,652	16,302	650
Sunday School Enrollment	14,998	15,358	360
B. T. U. Enrollment	4,151	4,115	-36 Loss
W. M. U. Enrollment	2,504	2,550	46
Brotherhood Enrollment	505	790	285
Mission Gifts	$108,577.00	$106,758.00	-$ 1,819.00 Loss
Total Gifts	$588,345.00	$644,390.00	$56,045.00

The average per capita contributions for the year was approximately $39.53 with $6.55 of this amount going for missions.

Respectfully submitted,
B. B. Byers,
Statistician

20. On motion of Rev. James Holder, pastor of Whitnel First a committee consisting of Rev. James Holder, chairman, Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr. and Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., were appointed to make a survey and report to the Executive Committee the possibility of setting up an Extension Center in Caldwell County.

21. The report on Temperance and Public Morals was read by Rev. Don L. Peek. On motion to adopt the report, Rev. C. B. Basemore and Rev. Peek spoke regarding the report. Same was adopted.

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

The evils which mar our social order are not new, but their unprecedented acceleration today is alarming. Unquestionably, the liquor industry has brought more crime and destroyed more good than any other evil in America. We urge our Christian people to continue their fight against this evil. It would seem as if our young people are not being taught of the harmful influence of alcohol as a beverage upon the individual and in the social life of the community.

Advertisements in magazines and on billboards promote the products of breweries and distilleries, often showing a beautiful girl holding a glass of beer in her hand — always before she has drunk it and never describing what she will look like after she has become an addict. The same billboards are being used to advertise the use of cigarettes by girls and women. A few years ago all this would have not been tolerated, but a cocktail age can put up with any form of social degeneration with

hardly an objection being raised by the church.

The Chinese have a proverb: First the man takes a drink; then the drink takes a drink; then the drink takes the man. The result is a pitiful wretch, thousands of whom are produced each year. Jesus called his disciples "The salt of the earth." Like salt we are to stand against all evils that would corrupt our society, be they war, racial injustices, drunkenness, dishonesty, divorce, disloyalty to the Lord's Day, indifference toward our churches and civic responsibilities. Like salt we are to pervade that society with our saving influence.

We must not only speak out and act against evil whenever we find it; we must speak for the right and lend support and encouragement to those who would do right, whether in local, state or national government. Like salt that has lost its savor, we too may become so mingled with the common soil that we lose our influence and become useless witnesses. Let us in every possible way fight these growing evils.

Respectfully submitted,

Don L. Peek

22. Rev. W. Walter Jones, chairman on Petitionary Letters reported that the application made by the delegates of Clearview Baptist Church, four miles from Hibriten Church, was in order and moved that the new organization be accepted under the watch-care of the association for one year according to the Constitution and By-Laws after which the church, Clearview become a member of the association. The motion carried. The application listed Rev. E. S. Peterson, Blowing Rock, N. C. as pastor and Earl Duncan as church clerk, William Quinn as chairman of the board of deacons.

23. The association adjourned at 3:00 o'clock to meet at 7:30 for a night session with the Lower Creek Church. Prayer by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

NIGHT SESSION

Lower Creek Church — Thursday Evening, 7:30 O'clock

24. A night session was held with the Lower Creek Church at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. W. Jones conducted the devotional period. After some announcements and special music, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, associational missionary gave a very fine report of her impressions at the World Alliance which met in London, England. Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., showed slides of his travels in Europe and the Holy Land. Rev. Owens and Miss Campbell had recently spent some time in traveling throughout Europe, Africa and the Holy Land.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

September 23, 1955

MT. ZION CHURCH

25. The morning session was called to order by the moderator. After being led in song by Mr. Roy Holder with Miss Patricia Roberts accompaning at the piano, Rev. H. M. McGinnis, pastor of Mountain Grove Church led the devotional.

26. The first order of business was the report on Ministering to the Sick. The report was read by Rev. J. E. Pearson. On motion to adopt Rev. Pearson discussed the subject. The report was adopted.

OUR MINISTRY TO THE SICK THROUGH OUR BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Caldwell Baptists gave $3,476.07 through the Mother's Day Offering this year. These offerings are used entirely for the care of service patients. Contributions this year are $254.19 more than last year. 24 churches gave less than in 1954, 25 gave more, 6 gave the same, and 8 gave nothing. Mother's Day Offerings for all N. C. Baptists will probably amount to $200,000.00. With the help of this fund, welfare funds, Duke Endowment, and private contributions, our hospital did more than $500,000.00 worth of free service in 1954.

Patients who wish to be examined and treated by a particular specialist there should have the family doctor call or write the Private Diagnostic Clinic, and ask for the doctor by name, or be referred to some doctor in that clinic. Such patients should not expect financial consideration, though the rates they pay will not be unreasonable.

Slower, but thorough examination and treatment may be received, with finanical consideration, through the Out-Patient Department. The patient or family doctor should not ask for any particular doctor when seen in this department as a service-patient. About 30 days wait is often encountered before a patient can be seen in this department; but a local doctor can secure an early appointment if the patient is too sick to wait.

Chaplains in the Department of Pastoral Care are rendering great service to patients and their families. Staff members try to visit each bed-patient at least once, and usually more, while in that hospital. They worked with 1145 people on an out-patient basis last year, 502 of them referred there by pastors. Ministers are trained here for a better ministry to the sick, or for the hospital chaplaincy.

Here is something Baptist churches should know: Pastors make many of the appointments for patients there; and most people who go to the Out-Patient Department, and many others, are taken there by pastors. Pastors make calls, write letters, drive about 180 miles for each trip, buy meals for themselves (and sometimes for others); and much of the time, do all of this at their personal expense. Where a pastor has no allowances, these things come out of his salary, after he

has probably already returned the tithe and given offerings while trying to lead his church in Scriptural giving. In addition, a pastor loses a day from other phases of the work when the trip is made. When aware of this, churches will probably want to provide allowances for these extra expenses of pastors. Pastors are not going to turn away from these opportunities to minister to people when they really need help. They will help regardless of cost.

Respectfully submitted,
J. E. Pearson

27. Dr. M. A. Huggins of the State Convention discussed North Carolina Baptist work. He showed the growth of the Caldwell Association and the State Convention in membership and how the money received was disbursed among the many channels as sponsored by the convention.

28. Dr. Sylvester Green, vice-president of Wake Forest College was recognized and spoke briefly regarding Wake Forest College.

29. Reports on State, Home and Foreign Missions were read in the following order:

State Missions by A. Lee Pearson.
Home Missions by Mrs. L. M. Abernethy read by the clerk.
Foreign Missions by Mrs. Fred Cline.
On motion the reports were adopted.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

I. State Missions is the missionary effort on the part of North Carolina Baptists to reach the unsaved for Christ and teach, enlist and train the saved in giving, living and serving through the churches and throughout the world.

(1) There are 4,225,000 people in the state. About 2,000,000 of these above the age of eight years are affiliated with some kind of church, 1,900,000 of these above the age of eight years are unchurched. If 25% of the affiliated church members are unsaved, then 62½% of the people of North Carolina above the age of eight years are lost. North Carolina, therefore, is far from being half Christian. Here is our urgent challenge.

(2) We have 781,777 Baptist church members in North Carolina. Perhaps 35% of these are enlisted and are being taught and trained in Christian giving, living and serving. This means that 65% of our church constituency is not dedicated in the Christian profession. In this undeveloped area, the churches have their primary challenge.

(3) The above interpretation of the purpose and challenge of State Missions demand a varied program of mission activity.

A. Our people need to be taught and trained. Therefore, three of the most significant phases of our State Missions work are promoted through the Sunday School, Training Union, and Rural Church Departments. Already 2,200 Vacation Bible Schools have been reported for

1955 — giving $29,000 to the Cooperative Program. Many quarter and half-time churches have been led to actuate full-time programs of service.

B. Over 60% of the people in North Carolina are lost — and need a Savior. State Missions provides a Department of Evangelism that seeks to inspire pastors and churches to evangelize their communities.

C. A growing population demands new and stronger churches. State Missions provides a necessary and significant ministry through aid on the purchase of sites for new churches and some one hundred or more salaries for pastors.

D. A more highly developed and intelligent congregation demands a better trained pastor. Pastors' Schools are promoted through State Missions to meet this growing demand. Each year about 125 pastors receive better training at Fruitland and about 35 at Caswell. Refresher courses are offered from time to time at Mars Hill and Caswell for the benefit of all pastors and their wives — trained or untrained. This summer we reached approximately 400 during these two weeks.

Respectfully Submitted,

A. Lee Pearson

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

The following gives us an idea of the ministry of our Home Mission Board; it includes work with the language groups; Chinese, French, Italians, Japanese, Russians and Spanish.

The Mission Board also works with the Indians, Negroes and Jews. Also a well established work with the deaf.

The Board has mission work in the outposts, Alaska, Cuba and Panama Canal Zone.

The Mission Board has three missionary couples with mobile units who serve in states where there are people called Migrants.

A convention wide conference for Good Will Center Workers is sponsored annually by the Mission Board.

The Mission Board also maintains a Woman's Emergency Home and Baby Placement Center in New Orleans.

People from all walks of life who have become bound by sin have received help from the daily services in the Rescue Missions.

A Church Program which will minister to military personnel is being promoted in cooperation with other convention wide agencies.

All Southern Baptist Chaplains are recruited and endorsed by the Chaplains Commission of the Mission Board. We have 450 active Baptist Chaplains in all branches of services. They report over 10,000 professions of faith annually.

The Mission Board is seeking to promote a positive program in the field of juvenile delinquency and broken homes in cooperation with the local churches, associations and state convention.

During the summer, students serve with our mission board on the various fields.

The Board has a loan fund which is set up to aid churches as they plan for adequate buildings to help them take the opportunities to support all missions.

The Southern Baptist program of Evangelism is promoted by the Home Board.

A part of each dollar given through the cooperative program goes for Home Missions. The Annie Armstrong offering is a special offering sponsored each year by the Woman's Missionary Union in the interest of Home Missions.

Will you as an individual and you as a church, pray and give more that these rich ministries might continue to grow and serve.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. L. M. Abernethy

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

For the first time in the history of Southern Baptists, the number of foreign missionaries has reached the one-thousand mark. On May 15, 1955, the number stood at 1,002. Since January 1, 1948, when the Advance Program was launched, the number has increased 377. Foreign missionaries from Caldwell County include Miss Stella Austin, who is serving in Nigeria; Mrs. Hilda Bean Cowsert, who is serving in Brazil with her husband, George Cowsert. He has adopted Caldwell County as his American home.

To step up the annual number of appointments, the Foreign Mission Board is placing major emphasis on life commitment to special Christian service. Young people who feel the call of God to lifetime service will be asked to consider foreign service in harvest fields where laborers are fewest.

Missionaries of the Board live in 182 centers in 35 geographical areas. Their service touches innumerable surrounding villages and towns. 22,125 baptisms were reported last year.

An increasing number of Baptist in mission countries are catching the vision of missions. Working with the missionaries in the mission churches, schools, hospitals, publishing houses and other institutions are 3,582 national leaders.

Out of a total of $10,739,497 contributed by Southern Baptist through the Cooperative Program last year, $4,772,123 went to the Foreign Mission Board. The total Lottie Moon Offering for last year was $3,957,821.

The circulation of "The Commission," the foreign missions magazine, averaged 106,726 the first four months this year. A special budget rate of 55 cents a year became effective last fall for churches sending the magazine to every church family. The regular church club rate for ten or more subscriptions is 77 cents each per year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Fred Cline

30. Many of the churches gave a minute report on what they were doing for Missions. These reports were very interesting.

31. Special music was rendered by Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr. The title of her rendition was: "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked." Following this solo, Mrs. J. T. McRee, a missionary to Gaza, delivered a very fine address.

32. The association adjourned for the lunch hour. Dr. Sylvester Green led in prayer.

AFTERNOON SESSION

33. Mr. Roy Holder led the congregation in singing a hymn, and Rev. Jack Holland, pastor of Winkler's Grove read from 117 Psalms and led in prayer.

34. The report on Stewardship was presented by Rev. J. J. Buckner. On motion to adopt the report was spoken to by Rev. Buckner. The report was adopted.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Fundamentally Stewardship is the recognition of our responsibility to God as stewards of everything we are and have. We are stewards of life, time, talents, possessions and spiritual influence and resources. This is fundamental to wholesome Christian living, faith and experience. Jesus, our only example said, "For I came down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of Him that sent me." Then at the end of His early ministry He said, "I have finished the work which thou gavest Me to do."

It inspires us as we look upon every phase of our stewardship as members of Caldwell Baptist Association. We have 16,302 members of our churches with an enrollment in our Sunday School of 15,358, B.T.U. 4,115, W.M.U. 2,550, Brotherhood 790, and then the work of the Y.W.A., G.A.'s, R.A.'s and Sunbeams. Reporting 706 Baptisms with gifts to all purposes $644,390.00. This is not our best, but we are happy with it.

Respectfully submitted,
J. J. Buckner

35. Mrs. C. A. Bowman read a list of those having passed to their reward. (See list elsewhere in the minute.)

36. Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., read the report on Evangelism. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Evangelism has struck deep into the life of Southern Baptists. The Sunday School, the Training Union, the Woman's Missionary Union and the Brotherhood are all for the purpose of winning the lost to Jesus Christ. Each of these organizations, and the church in general, must be reckoned a success or failure by the devotion which it has to this supreme task.

Caldwell Association conducted a simultaneous evangelistic effort during the Spring of 1955. Although all of the churches did not enter into this effort at the appointed time, most of our churches have reported at least one revival during the year, and some of them have had two or more. Four of our 64 churches reported no baptisms during the year. 27 churches less than 5. The remaining 60 had a total of 706 baptisms.

No simultaneous effort is planned for 1956. However, every church is urged to stir the fires of evangelism. This can be done if our ministers will embrace the preaching of the message of redemption from the pulpit. Our teachers and leaders should give patient and wise interpretation of the Bible in classes, prayer circles, worker's groups, young peoples' organizations and elsewhere. Every Christian can be an evangelist by exemplifying a happy and sacrificial life, and by presenting the cause of Christ through the medium of personal intercourse.

If evangelism is to sweep our denomination and the world, we must remove it from the realm of being an elaborate propaganda, and cause it to be a searching spiritual appeal. This is a matter of immediate concern. We are living in a time of conflicts and confusions. Men are living divided lives. The gospel is the source of union and united strength. Let it be preached with conviction and its impact upon the human being is electric and powerful.

The churches of Caldwell Baptist Association, the ministers and the members are called upon to clear away the choked channels through which Christ's saving power can operate by personal repentance, personal submission and personal obedience.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman
Committee on Evangelism

37. Mr. E. E. Stafford read his report as chairman of trustees of Associational Property. The report was adopted.

TRUSTEES PROPERTIES REPORT

Our first Board of Trustees meeting was held at the Ridgecrest cabin during the winter. It was at this meeting the trustees agreed to paint the old portion of the cottage, repair the porch and replace some screens. It was also decided that the greatest need for the cottage was an electric refrigerator. Mr. H. B. Anderson agreed to donate the year's interest on the notes payable toward the purchase, and his offer was readily accepted.

Our second meeting was held at our missionary's home on Sunday, February 6, 1955, with Miss Campbell as hostess. At this meeting the type and price of a refrigerator was discussed. It was agreed, by all present, to buy the refrigerator, and that the Trustees and Miss Campbell would donate the balance of the amount — letting the refrigerator be a gift to the cottage from her and the trustees. We also decided

to make another $500 payment on our indebtedness; this leaving a balance due on notes payable of $2,000.

We are very grateful to the W.M.U. of our association who again this year donated gifts of food to the cottage. Also, to the Y.W.A. and W.M.U. of Lower Creek Church who gave dishes and dish-towels for the kitchen.

The condition of our properties is very good, and we do not anticipate any major repairs for the coming year.

Attendance at our Ridgecrest Cottage was very good — with 288 people registering as having used its facilities, and we are looking forward to another successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

E. E. Stafford, Treasurer

CONDENSED REPORT

RIDGECREST CABIN FUND
Submitted by E. E. Stafford, Treas.

Balance on Hand - August 31, 1954	$ 857.21
Receipts	1,331.51
Total	$2,188.72
Disbursements	
Matron Fees	$ 180.00
Water, Lights and Fuel	76.16
Fire Protection	3.00
Traveling and Misc. Supplies	20.00
Cottage Registration	10.00
Repairs and Painting	190.89
Purchase of New Refrigerator	215.97
Payment on Notes Payable	500.00
TOTAL	$1,196.02
Balance in Bank - August 31, 1955	$992.70

225 people signed Register - (Using Cottage 1 to 6 days).
27 from State College on B.S.U. Week.
6 as Visitors.

38. An oral report was given on Constitution of Churches and Ordination of Ministers by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

39. Nominating Committee's report of their recommendations was read by its chairman, Rev. Ernest Moore. On motion their report was adopted and the following were elected.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

J. Malcolm Laxton, Moderator ____ Kings Creek Station, Lenoir, N. C.
James Holder, Vice-Moderator ____ Whitnel, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk ____ P. O. Box 618, Lenoir, N. C.
Ed. D. Beach, Treasurer ____ P. O. Box 205, Lenoir, N. C.
M. C. Estes, Historian ____ Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Floyd Annas, Associational Sunday School Supt. __ Granite Falls, N. C.
Clarence Prestwood, Training Union Director ____ Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, W.M.U. Superintendent ____ Lenoir, N. C.
A. J. Parsons, Brotherhood President ____ P. O. Box 91, Lenoir, N. C.
Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Supt. Evangelism __ 482 W. Harper Ave., Lenoir

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

Miss Elizabeth Campbell ____ 428 South Main St., Lenoir, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY TRUSTEES

George Hollar (1960) ____ Granite Falls N. C.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Ed D. Beach, Chairman ____ Box 205, Lenoir, N. C.
J. Malcolm Laxton ____ Kings Creek Station, Lenoir, N. C.
James Holder ____ Whitnel, N. C.
Frank L. Smith, Sr. ____ P. O. Box 618, Lenoir, N. C.
Robert Frye ____ Patterson, N. C.
Don Peek ____ Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
R. C. Icenhour ____ Penwood Heights, Lenoir, N. C.
C. Lewis Price ____ Route 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Clarence Prestwood ____ Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS CONSTITUTION

J. J. Buckner (1960) ____ Whitnel, N. C.

COMMITTEES TO MAKE REPORTS IN 1956

Allied Church League ____ Paul Morrow, Route 1, Hudson, N. C.
Brotherhood ____ A. J. Parsons, Box 91, Lenoir, N. C.
Christian Education ____ Thomas Flowe, Granite Falls, N. C.
Foreign Missions ____ Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Home Missions ____ Paul Hopkins, Route 1, Hudson, N. C.
State Missions ____ Mrs. Don Peek, Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Home for the Aging ____ Mrs. J. H. Craig, Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Hospital ____ L. R. Davis, 106 Piedmont Rd., Lenoir, N. C.
Obituaries ____ Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Lenoir, N. C.
Orphanage ____ G. G. Steele, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Relief and Annuity ____ Thomas Sheppard, Box 4815, Granite Falls, N. C.
Literature Biblical Recorder ___ Mrs. George Icenhour, Lenoir, N. C.
Statistician ____ B. B. Byers, 243 N. Fairview Dr., Lenoir, N. C.
Stewardship ____ O. L. McGinnis, Route 2, Granite Falls, N. C.

40. The Historians report was read by Mr. G. G. Steele for Historian M. C. Estes.

HISTORY OF LENOIR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lenoir First Baptist Church, with which the 71st annual session of the Caldwell Baptist Association is meeting, was organized on the 18th day of August, 1889, with 18 members. The organizing presbytery was composed of Isaac Oxford, Moderator, Isaac Smith and W. A. Pool, Clerk. The new church adopted a constitution and a church covenant, and called the Rev. W. A. Pool as pastor. Brother Pool served two months, then resigned.

The Rev. I. W. Thomas became pastor in January, 1890, and served for nine years. For the first five years, he preached one Saturday and one Sunday each month. In 1890, a Sunday School was organized. That same year, the Caldwell Association met with the new church. In the spring of 1895, the church held its first big revival. There were thirty additions to the membership. Brother Thomas then began preaching half-time. At the end of his pastorate, the membership had increased to 100. The salary in those early days was $150 a year, of which the State Mission Board paid $100.

Other pastors who have served have been J. G. Pulliam, during whose pastorate a Woman's Missionary Society was organized; A. T. Howell; G. H. Church, during whose pastorate the church was remodelled and and an annex added; R. P. Walker, a graduate of the Southern Seminary; C. A. G. Thomas, during whose ministry the Ladies Aid Society was organized; J. O. Fullbright, during whose ministry 250 members were added, and the brick building on W. Harper Avenue built; B. W. Simms; Baylus Cade; J. E. Hoyle, during whose pastorate a pastor's home was bought and the debt on the church building paid; Dr. W. C. Tyree, under whose leadership the present church building was erected; Richard E. Hardaway, under whose leadership the debt on the new building was paid; Dr. O. R. Mangum, who led in the remodelling of the church building, and the erection of a lodge at Ridgecrest; Adrian E. Blankenship, who left to go back to Brazil as a missionary; and M. O. Owens, Jr., pastor since Feb. 1, 1951. In the present pastorate, a new pastor's home has been built, a mission started at Harrisburg, and plans laid for the erection of a new educational-recreation building.

The following have served the church as clerks: G. R. Clark, J. V. McCall, W. M. Moore, Columbus Andrews, M. G. Shearer, W. T. Beach, R. L. Palmer, Carter Powell, Ralph Trott, and Jack B. Spainhour, who is clerk at present.

Caldwell Association has met with the church five times previously: in 1890, 1903, 1913, 1934, 1947.

The present church membership is 987; Sunday School enrollment is 1,069; Training Union enrollment is 227; Woman's Missionary Union enrollment is 275; and Brotherhood enrollment is 75.

Total gifts this past year were more than $83,000.00. In the past five years receipts have totaled $365,591.58. Of that amount, $11,827.27 has been given for missions and benevolences, with $69,028.78 going through the Cooperative Program.

HISTORY OF MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

The Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Route No. 1, Hudson, N. C., was organized on August 9, 1889. The organization took place in a shack built of slabs from a lumber yard nailed to the post let in the ground with the roof made of brush. However, a frame building was soon constructed on land given by Mr. Joe Turnmyre.

The constituting Presbytery consisted of Issac Oxford, D. W. Conway, J. R. J. Annas, ordained ministers, and W. H. H. Hartley and J. A. Woods, deacons. The church was organized with 26 charter members and according to older members of the church they were as follows: Mrs. Issac Price, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turnmyre, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Annas, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Annas, Miss Polly Annas, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Annas, Mr. Smith Powell, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Miller and Mr. W. A. Annas.

The first pastor was Rev. Washington Conway with Mr. Smith Powell acting as clerk of the church.

In 1912 the church had grown to a membership of 122 with 87 enrolled in Sunday School.

In 1928 the first brick building was erected and the B. Y. P. U. (Training Union) came to life in 1930 with a membership of 30.

In June 1950, the present brick structure was completed. The beautiful and spacious auditorium was planned with a seating capacity of 450.

The second week of November 1954, saw the completion of the beautiful Pastorium and Open House was held on May 27, 1955.

The following have served Mt. Zion Baptist Church as pastors: Rev. Washington Conway, Rev. G. C. Ivery, Rev. W. N. Cook, Rev. R. C. Mace, Rev. S. A. Rhyne, Rev. M. O. Harris, Rev. J. K. Fox, Rev. John Higgins, Rev. R. A. Branch, Rev. J. L. Teague, Rev. I. C. Miller, Rev. W. C. Laney, Rev. H. B. Cranster, Rev. S. B. McCall, Rev. G. W. Sebastine, Rev. C. F. Cook, Rev. Roy Keller, Rev. Grant Miller, Jr., Rev. Paul Hester, Rev. W. R. Moss, Rev. Paul Hopkins.

Mt. Zion Baptist Church has grown from 26 charter members to the present day membership of 620. It has a strong Sunday School, Training Union and W.M.U., with all of its affiliated units and are going forward in the work of the Lord under the able leadership of our present pastor, Rev. Paul J. Hopkins.

41. Report on Time of next annual meeting, place and preacher was read by Chairman J. A. Boldin.

First day session to be held with Lower Creek Church, September 19, 1956. The night session to be announced later. The second day with Central Church, September 20, 1956. Preacher: Rev. Paul J. Hopkins, pastor of Mt. Zion Church. Alternate, Rev. Don L. Peek, Pastor of Union Church.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We the Committee of Resolutions for the Caldwell Baptist Association, meeting in its 71st annual session, wish to express our deep appreciation to the First Baptist Church of Lenoir, N. C. and the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, of Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C., for their generous hospitality, evidenced through a bountiful meal, the lovely flowers, and kind assistance in every way throughout the day.

We are grateful to the program committee for a splendid, inspiring and informative program. We want to thank each person who participated in the program, and to especially commend Miss Elizabeth Campbell on her inspiring messages; Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., for his excellent presentation of "Jesus, The Builder," and for Mrs. Joel T. McRae for her inspiring missionary message, presenting "Jesus, As the Water of Life." We wish to express our thanks to Dr. M. A. Huggins for his challenge on State Missions; Rev. M. H. Kendall for his message on "Christian Education," and Rev. C. W. Bazemore for his discussion on "Religious Literature, and Allied Church League," and for others who came in the interest of the various institutions of our denomination.

We recommend that this association go on record as strongly disapproving anything that would violate the Christian Standard of living, as we believe Jesus lived and taught. For example, Sunday movies of any form; movies that would invite loose moral living; deplorable violations of the law against the sale of alcoholic beverages in this county, and the use of same by Christians.

We wish to thank those schools which responded to our appeal for the discontinuance of games of chance and other questionable amusements at social affairs sponsored by the schools.

With deep appreciation, we commend our association for their response in sending Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our associational missionary, to the Baptist World Alliance and Holy Land.

We recommend that again next year we have a night session of this association for inspiration and fellowship and this meeting be held in a church other than those in which the day sessions are held. We further recommend that the Moderator be authorized to contact immediately, as a possible speaker, Dr. Baker James Cauthen, Executive Secretary of our Foreign Mission Board, and if he cannot be secured that the program committee plan a special Mission Emphasis for this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Carter,

T. A. Sheppard,

Mrs. R. J. Smith,

Mr. Ben Sullivan,

Resolutions Committee

42. Rev. W. W. Jones reported that his committee on Petitionary Letters had received and investigated an application to join the Caldwell Association from Flat Rock Baptist Church near Gamewell School. On motion and properly seconded East Flat Church was received under the watchcare of the Association until proper letter had been received from Stoney Fork Association, advising that the name of Flat Rock had been taken from its roll of churches.

The following were listed as officers of East Flat Church: Rev. Claude Suddreth, pastor; Dallas Jenkins, clerk; Paul Gentry, Sunday School Superintendent; Miss Estelle Suddreth, Training Union director, and Mrs. Reba Houck, W. M. U. president. Chairman of Board of Deacons, Joe Cardwell. The address of these officers are Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.

43. Rev. Ernest Moore led a prayer of dedication at the installation of the associational officers.

44. The final message was delivered by Rev. Fritz Hemphill, pastor of East Hickory Baptist Church. He used as his text a portion of the 54th chapter of Isaiah.

45. The association adjourned having experienced one of its finest and most spiritual gatherings ever attended.

J. Malcolm Laxton, Moderator

Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk

MINUTES OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION

The Forty-Second Annual Session of the Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union was called to order at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday morning, April 26, 1955, at the First Baptist Church, Hudson, North Carolina by the superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt. 227 women representing 35 societies of the association were present for the roll call.

"Go Quickly and Tell!" was the theme of the program for the day. The Devotional period was led by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holder of College Avenue Baptist Church. The urgency of the meaning of the theme was vividly portrayed to all present by the messages, devotionals and special music of the day. Mrs. Leland H. Kitchin, first vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina, and Mrs. J. D. Franks, retired missionary from Switzerland, who is now living at Wake Forest, N. C. were the guest speakers for the day, and their messages were inspiring and timely.

The W. M. U. Association is proud to report much progress in all phases of the work. It is very significant to note that with the gain of some 3 or 4 hundred increase in the number of tithers reported, 1012 compared with 645 last year, there has been also a big increase in the special gifts during the year. Mrs. J. N. Moore, Stewardship Chairman, reports the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, $8,746.75; Annie Armstrong Offering, $1,727.01; Heck Jones Memorial Offering, $548.97; State Missions $922.39. Total gifts reported $11,945.12. 1954 total gifts were $6,096.83. This year we have 2161 members enlisted in all organizations with 1690 giving to the cooperative program and 1012 tithers.

Mrs. Albert Holden, Mission Study Chairman reports a very gratifying increase in Mission Study reading. Our women are realizing the importance of the advice given by Paul in Second Timothy 2:15, "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." There were 1,824 women and young people enrolled in Mission Study classes, with 1,487 Mission Books taught in Caldwell County. There were 1,338 Mission approved books read.

Along with our Mission Study report comes the report of our literature chairman, Mrs. Nelson Clay. We want to have a well rounded W. M. U. and in order to have this, we must have our Mission Magazines — of the 49 societies this is the number of persons taking the different magazines: Royal Service 387; Biblical Recorder 428; Tell 89; Ambassador Life 39; Sunbeam Activities 19; Window of Y. W. A. 47. We do not have the report of the number taking the Southern Baptist Home Missions and the Commission. We ask ourselves what the reports mean to us? Our

missionary magazines should have important part in our lives. We will gain knowledge of the world conditions and need the light of Christian truths found in these magazines.

The golden thread of service gleams in its most beautiful pattern in a needy world today. So does every vexing problem challenge Christians to this ministry to weary suffering soul-sick humanity today. As christian women minister to people in need today, we are following the example of Jesus. Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Community Missions chairman, reports much is being done by the women of our association in all phases of Community Missions work. Many of our organizations are engaged in definite activities promoting soul-winning, Christian Fellowship and was to strengthen moral standards among our people.

Before leaving for the Seminary, Miss Faye Turnmire, who was at that time Young People's Director, gave us the following report, "Go, Grow, Glow." Where are we going? It depends on how we train our young people. Will we grow? We will if we do greater things and lead our young people into greater things. We must glow for Christ so let us keep the light bright as we lead our young people. We now have 90 young people's organizations in 28 churches. A total of 861 young people enlisted.

Mrs. Ira Pritchard submits the following treasurer's report: Contributions for associational expenses were $228.34 for the year. With a balance of $54.00 we had an expense account of $282.34. $60 of this amount was sent to the division for the Divisional Expense Fund. Checks written for local work amounted to $222.34, which leaves a balance of $13.23 as of September 19, 1955.

The report of the Appreciation Committee read by Mrs. C. B. Bobbitt, chairman, was as follows: We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the W. M. U. of this church for the privilege of holding our meeting in this beautiful and worshipful building, and for every courtesy they have shown to us today; all the smiles of welcome and for the fellowship we have had in eating together. We are thankful to our father for speakers, Mrs. Leland Kitchin and Mrs. J. D. Franks, Dr. McGee and Miss Elizabeth Campbell for their urgent and challenging messages; to Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, our superintendent, to our Young People's leader, Miss Connie Annas, and all the other officers and committees serving so well and to each one on program today, we owe a debt of gratitude. To these and all others for all you have done and are doing through your prayers, your gifts and your personality, as you are "Looking on the Fields," in our association and to the end of the earth we wish to say, thank you.

The Time and Place Committee brought an invitation from the Miller Hill Baptist Church for the meeting of the association in 1956, which was very heartily approved by the women present.

Officers for the year 1955-1956 were elected and installed:

Superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt; Associational Supt., Mrs. J. M. Laxton; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ira Pritchard; Young People's Leader, Miss Connie Annas; Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. Albert Holden; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. J. N. Moore; Librarian, Miss Eller Dickson; Community Missions Chairman, Mrs. C. A. Bowman; Literature Chairman, Mrs. Nelson Clay; Margaret Fund Chairman, Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.; Y. W. A. Leader, Mrs. Fred Cline; R. A. Leader, Mr. Bruce Kirby; G. A. Leader, Mrs. Elihu Miller; Sunbeam Leader, Mrs. John Carter; Pianist, Mrs. Boyd Benfield; Chorister, Mrs. Dewey Annas. Mrs. Leland Kitchin led in a prayer of dedication and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Supt.
Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Secretary

OUR BELOVED DEAD - - - YEAR ENDING AUGUST 30, 1955

The following have gone to their eternal reward since we last met:

BETHANY
Mrs. Mary Storie

BLAIRS FORK
Mr. W. N. Pendergrass

CENTER GROVE
Mrs. H. H. Bumgarner

CLARKS CHAPEL
Mr. Frank Clerk

CONWAYS CHAPEL
Mrs. Nancy McCall

FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Mr. John Hall
Mr. John Setzer
Mr. Lawrence Dills

GLOBE
Miss Doskie S. Coffey

GRANDVIEW PARK
Mrs. A. C. Gentry
Mr. Pete Smith

CLOVER
Mr. Massie Mullinax
Mrs. George Hubbard
Mr. Jasper Stowe

GREEN ROCK
Mrs. Amelia Hartley Laney

HARRIS CHAPEL
Deacon O. W. Cloer
Mr. Noah Bentley
Mr. Cecil Green
Mr. C. G. Hartley

HARTLAND
Rev. G. L. Swanson

HUDSON
Mrs. L. C. Shell
Mrs. W. W. Keller

JOHNS RIVER
Mrs. Newton Hartley

JOYCETON
Mrs. T. G. Watson

TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mrs. R. L. Summerlin

LOVELADY
Mrs. Sue Massagle
Mr. Bill Duffey

MAPLE GROVE
Mrs. Ollie Ford
Mr. Grayson Gragg

MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mrs. Nellie Price

MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mr. John Prestwood

MT. ZION
Mrs. Henry Harris
Mrs. Luther Baughn
Mrs. Hebrew Barker
Mr. Will M. Carter

MULBERRY
Mrs. Carry Greene

NEW HOPE
Mrs. Bakter Thelma Adams
Mrs. Maggie Crotts

PISGAH
Mr. George A. Branch

POOVEY'S GROVE
Miss Ruth Byers
Mrs. Annie Keller

RHODHISS
Mr. Clyde Massogle

RUFUS
Deacon W. Carey Coffey
Lt. John P. Moore

UNION
Mrs. Lula Poarch
Mr. John Hice
Mrs. Leland Anderson
Mrs. Laurie Powell

WHITNEL FIRST
Lyda Saunders

KINGS CREEK
Mrs. Luther Icenhour
Mrs. Blair Laxton
Mrs. John Keller

CALVARY
Mr. Lee Crump
Mrs. Ruth Ritch

COLLEGE AVENUE
Mr. F. C. Odem
Mrs. Rob Bradford
Mr. Joseph Eller, Jr.

LENOIR FIRST
Deacon Oliver L. Grice

WINKLERS GREEN
Mr. George Hice
Mr. H. M. Eggers
Mr. J. W. Keller
Mrs. James Carswell

WORSHIP POINT
Mrs. Marie Laney

YADKIN
Miss Mede Sharpe
Mr. Roy Laws

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Church	College
Paul Sorrells	Flemings Chapel	Carson-Newman
Rodney B. Setzer	Joyceton	Gardner-Webb
L. D. Craig	Poovey's Grove	LeTourneau Tech
Robert Chester	Union	Wake Forest College
Wayne Pennell	Whitnel, First	S. B. Theological Seminary

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Paul Sorrells	Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel
Cecil Arney	Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel
James C. Wilson	Route 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Joyceton
Vonley Huffman	Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir
Ambros Bryant	Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Pisgah
Dean Harrold	P. O. Box 303, Hudson, N. C.	Pleasant Hill
Boyd Curtis	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Clifford Bradshaw	Route 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove
Rolen Daye	Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Joe Richards	Icard, N. C.	Oak Grove
Marvin Sanders	Whitnel, N. C.	Poovey's Chapel
Perry Smith	Hickory, N. C.	Temple Hill

HISTORICAL TABLE
CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1885 - 1955

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir First	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	M. O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	C. R. Hinton
1953 Mt. Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	K. E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls 1st	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	E. B. Dozier
1955 Lenoir First	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	Dr. T. L, Cashwell, Jr,
1955 Mt. Zion	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	Mrs. McRae

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Ordained Ministers	Address	Church Membership	Present Work
Adams, Jesse	Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	Inactive
Austin	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Lovelady	Inactive
Arney, Cecil	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Setzer Creek	Setzer Creek
Beane, L. B.	Mortimer, N. C.	Maple Grove	Inactive
Barnes, E. M.	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Temple Hill	Inactive
Buchanan, Aster	Spruce Pine, N. C.	Spruce Pine	Pisgah
Benfield, H. S.	Lenoir, N. C.	Hudson First	Inactive
Black, N. R.	Box 156, Whitnel, N. C.	Pleasant Hill	Pleasant Hill
Bobbitt, C. B.	Rhodhiss, N. C.	Rhodhiss	Rhodhiss
Bolick, Will	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove	Yadkin Valley
Buckner, J. J.	Whitnel, N. C.	Central	Central
Bumgardner, Alfred	Rt. 2, G. Falls, N. C.	Pooveys Grove	Inactive
Cannon, George	Connelly Springs, N. C.	Winklers Grove	--------
Carter, John E.	Rt. 2, G. Falls, N. C.	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove
Cashwell, Dr. T. L.	Lenoir, N. C.	College Avenue	College Avenue
Compton, Niles	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Baton	Baton
Cook, Will	Lenoir, N. C.	Mt. Vernon	Buffalo Cove
Curtis, Boyd	Rhodhiss, N. C.	Rhodhiss	Inactive
Culler, Lloyd J.	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Union Grove	Union Grove
Daye, Roley	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Inactive
Davis, L. R.	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Blairs Fork	Blairs Fork
Driver, J. E.	Lenoir, N. C.	College Ave.	Inactive
Dula, Walter	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Inactive
Eggers, Carter	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	--------
Flowe, Thomas B.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Oak Grove	Oak Grove
Flowers, W. H.	Rutherford College, N. C.	Pleasant Hill	Inactive
Frye, Robert A.	Patterson, N. C.	Yadkin	Yadkin
Ellis, Jay	Hudson, N. C.	Hudson, First	High View
Gragg, Ashley	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	--------
Greene, Alvin	Granite Falls, N. C.	Lovelady	Lovelady
Greene, Johnny	Stoney Fork, N. C.	Buffalo Cove	Buffalo Cove
Hart, Dale Ira	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	--------
Harless, W. C.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	--------	--------
Haas, Charles	Granite Falls, N. C.	--------	--------
Harris, Horace	Lenoir, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel
Hastings, Buren	Blowing Rock Road	Calvary	Calvary
Helton, Calvin	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Hibriten	Conways Chapel
Hice, Wade	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Union Grove	Inactive
Hice, C. C.	Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	Union Grove	Inactive
Harold, Dean	Hudson, N. C.	Pleasant Hill	--------
Haas, L. O.	Edgemont, N. C.	Edgemont	Inactive
Holder, James	Whitnel, N. C.	Whitnel	Whitnel
Holland, Jack	Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Winklers Grove
Hopkins, Paul J.	Rt. 2, Hudson, N. C.	Mt. Zion	Mt. Zion
Huffman, Voney	Grassy Creek, N. C.	West Lenoir	Inactive

Huffman, Claude	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
Jones, W. Walter	Lenoir, N. C.	Lower Creek	Lower Creek
Keller, W. G.	Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
Kent, Billy	Armed Services	Granview Park	Armed Services
Knight, Frank	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	Pooveys Chapel	Hibriten
Miller, Brodus	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Mt. Zion	Inactive
Morrow, Paul L.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Center Grove	Center Grove
Moore, Ernest	Granite Falls, N. C.	Concord	Concord
Moss, W. R.	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Hudson	Inactive
Myers, J. W.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Oak Grove	Inactive
Morris, Curtis W.	Rt. 1, Granite Falls N. C.	Lovelady	Lovelady
McFelea, C. R.	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	West Lenoir	West Lenoir
McGinnis, H. M.	Rt. 2, Granite Falls	Mt. Grove	Mt. Grove
Owens, M. O., Jr.	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir	Lenoir
Newton, Dewey	Collettsville, N. C.	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs
Paige, Roy	Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	--------
Pearson, J. E.	Kings Creek, N. C.	Kings Creek	Kings Creek
Peek, Don L.	Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	Union	Union
Phillips, M. S.	Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	New Hope	Inactive
Phillips, R. H.	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Mountain View	Inactive
Pitts, Horace E.	Globe, N. C.	Maple Grove	Inactive
Prestwood, F. L.	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Joyceton	Joyceton
Prestwood, R. L.	Lenoir, N. C.	Joyceton	Retired
Price, J. Lewis	Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	Dudley Shoals	Dudley Shoals
Pritchard, Hubert	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Worship Point
Ramsey, J. W.	Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	Hartland	Hartland
Revelt, J. A.	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
Rhodes, Joe	Hickory, N. C.	Winklers Grove	Inactive
Saunders, Marvin	Hudson, N. C.	Pooveys Grove	--------
Setzer, Rodney	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Joyceton	Inactive
Sheppard, T. A.	Granite Falls, N. C.	Clover	Clover
Shores, Robert	Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	Blowing Rock	Johns River
Shores, Howard	Hudson, N. C.	Bethany	Bethany
Shumaker, T. P.	Lenoir, N. C.	Lenoir First	Inactive
Silver, J. S.	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Zacks Fork
Snipes, L. E.	Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	Clarks Chapel	Clarks Chapel
Sorrells, W. L.	Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	Flemings Chapel	Flemings Chapel
Suddreth, Claude	Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	Worship Point	Worship Point
Sullivan, Gwyn	Bollings Springs	Nelson Chapel	New Hope
Sumpter, Dewey	Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	Calvary	Inactive
Swinson, A. J.	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Long Ford	Long Ford
Swinson, Tommie	Hudson, N. C.	Harris Chapel	Harris Chapel
Tuttle, Bernard	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Piney Grove	Piney Grove
Watson, Thomas	Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	Long Ford	Inactive
Westmoreland, George	Hudson, N. C.	Hudson First	Hudson First
Wilson, James C.	Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	Joyceton	Inactive
Walker, Ira	Lenoir, N. C.	Temple	Temple
Younce, J. E.	Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	Conways Chapel	--------

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP–

CHURCHES	1 Location Rural V-T-C	2 Date Organized	3 Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Total Resident Members	TOTAL 7A Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL 8 Grand Total Present Members	TOTAL 9 Number Jews Baptized	SPECIAL INFORMATION 10 Revival Meetings Held	11 Number Tithers	11A Every Member Canvass	12 State Paper in Budget	13 No. Missions Supported by Church	14 Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Baton	R	1950	All	Niles E. Compton, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	9	10	---	61	1	62		2	55	No	No	--	1,601.23
Bethany	R	1902	2	Howard Shores, Box 283, Hudson, N. C.	3	4	13	34	62	96		1	---	No	No	--	355.25
Blairs Fork	R	1891	All	L. R. Davis, Piedmont Rd., Lenoir, N.C.	2	2	6	100	3	103		2	33	Yes	No	--	2,340.00
Buffalo Cove	R	1857	2	Johnny Greene, Stony Fork, N. C.	4	--	--	66	42	108		1	---	--	--	--	549.22
Cedar Rock	R	1942	All	Marvin Sanders, Whitnel, N. C.	8	7	7	56	15	71		2	---	No	No	--	288.80
Center Grove	R	1912	All	Paul Morrow, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	5	10	6	167	4	171		2	29	--	--	--	3,120.00
Clarks Chapel	R	1900	All	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	4	8	14	202	51	253		2	25	--	No	--	2,080.00
Conways Chapel	R		2	Calvin Helton, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	5	6	7	30	48	78		2	--	No	No	--	431.00
Dudley Shoals	R	1861	All	J. Louis Price, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	12	7	17	252	68	320		1	15	No	No	--	3,380.00
Edgemont	R	1915	2	Horace Pitts, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	1	0	2	21	11	32		-	--	No	No	--	----
Flemings Chapel	R	1867	All	W. L. Sorrells, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	17	6	11	258	74	332		2	32	Yes	No	--	3,640.00
Globe	R	1832	2	Claude B. Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir,N.C.	1	--	2	47	49	96		-	--	No	No	--	96.54
Grandin	R	1914	2	John L. Wells, 309 E., N. Wilkesboro	9	3	5	87	20	107		1	15	No	No	--	1,200.00
Grandview Park	R	1930	2		12	2	9	122	30	152		2	--	No	No	--	2,272.80
GRANITE FALLS																	
Clover	T	1942	All	T. A. Sheppard, Granite Falls, N.C.	10	32	9	188	63	251		2	75	No	Yes	--	3,380.00
Concord	T	1908	All	Ernest W. Moore, Granite Falls, N.C.	43	6	32	431	84	515		3	128	--	--	--	4,770.00
Granite Falls First	T	1890	All		35	21	14	616	-	616		1	--	Yes	Yes	--	4,680.00
Green Rock	R	1889	2	L. B. Beane, Edgemont, N. C.	1	3	4	38	23	61		-	--	No	No	--	156.72
Green Valley	R	1888	2	G. C. Hice, Granite Falls, N. C.	2	2	1	25	37	62		1	--	--	--	--	----
Harris Chapel	R	1912	All	Tommie Swinson, Hudson, N. C.	15	23	16	402	84	486		2	93	--	--	--	4,112.50
Hartland	R	1938	All	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N.C.	2	10	1	214	24	238		1	18	--	--	--	3,640.00
Hibriten	R	1950	All	Frank Knight	5	1	22	130	45	175		1	12	--	--	--	2,080.00
High View	R	1950	All	Jay Ellis, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	14	36	18	116	7	123		1	--	--	--	--	780.00
Hudson First	T	1831	All	George Westmoreland	16	17	26	442	95	537		2	87	--	--	--	3,600.00
Johns River	R	1890	1	Robert Shore, Rt. 1, Blowing Rock,N.C.	-	-	4	41	68	109		1	--	--	--	--	177.46
Joyceton	R	1952	All	Francis L. Prestwood, 160 Spainhour St.	14	12	12	79	7	86		2	16	--	--	--	2,075.00
Kings Creek	V	1779	All	J. E. Pearson, Kings Creek Station	8	3	10	326	89	415		1	20	--	--	--	3,400.00

LENOIR																	
Calvary Baptist	C	1945	All	Buren Hastings, B 565, Blowing Rock Rd.	10	9	13	327	100	427		2	40	No	No	—	4,160.00
College Avenue	C	1910	All	T. L. Cashwell, Jr.,482 W. Harper Ave.	35	31	69	1012	336	1348		2	125	Yes	Yes	—	5,868.00
Lenoir First	C	1889	All	M. O. Owens, Jr., 219 Highland Ave.	16	25	28	804	183	987		1	75	Yes	Yes	1	6,600.00
Lower Creek	C	1826	All	W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	18	14	13	550	75	625		1	115	No	No	—	4,680.00
Temple Missionary	C	1941	All	Ira Walker, 106 N. Fairview, Lenoir, N	20	2	1	75	—	75		4	7	No	No	—	1,070.00
West Lenoir	C	1943	All	C. R. McFelea, Morganton Rd., Lenoir	17	11	1	206	—	206		1	-	No	No	—	2,400.00
Long Ford	R	1934	All	A. J. Swinson, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	8	18	163	117	280		2	16	No	No	—	3,640.00
Lovelady	R	1864	All	Curtis W. Morris, Granite Falls, Rt. 1	-	1	8	165	31	196		1	30	—	No	—	2,920.80
Maple Grove	R	1936	2	H. E. Pitts, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	32	8	6	50	70	120		1	—	No	No	—	269.61
Miller Hill	R	1935	All	L. E. Snipes, Route 3, Lenoir, N. C.	10	14	10	178	54	232		2	22	No	No	—	2,080.00
Mountain Grove	R	1884	All	H. M. McGinnis, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	11	2	9	317	42	359		1	48	No	No	—	3,945.00
Mountain View	R	1948	2	Hubert Pritchard, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	19	7	4	56	44	100		1	—	No	No	—	560.00
Mt. Zion	R	1889	All	Paul J. Hopkins, Rt.1, Hudson, N. C.	22	28	20	565	55	620		2	70	No	No	—	4,426.07
Mulberry	R	1853	1	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	3	—	3	57	15	72		1	—	No	No	—	660.00
Mulvale	R		All	Gwyn Sullivan, 306 E. Harper Ave.	4	—	2	84	29	113		1	5	No	No	—	1,563.15
Nelsons Chapel	R	1905		Gwyn Sullivan, Lenoir, N. C.	0	2	-	57	13	70		1	—	No	No	—	1,099.94
New Hope	R	1939	2	Horace Harris, 211 Prospect St.Lenoir	3	—	3	63	30	93		1	—	—	—	—	720.00
Oak Grove	R	1938	All	Thomas B. Flowe, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	8	1	16	130	22	152		2	40	Yes	No	—	3,202.89
Piney Grove	R	1869	All	Bernard Tuttle, 112 Wayside Circle	5	—	8	159	56	215		1	—	—	—	—	2,375.90
Pisgah	R	1877	All	Bennie McDonald, Lenoir, N. C.	5	—	1	125	35	160		3	25	Yes	No	—	1,680.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	All	N. R. Black, Box 156, Whitnel, N. C.	6	3	9	172	25	197		2	17	No	No	—	2,860.00
Poovey s Chapel	R	1932	All	Horace Harris, 211 N. Prospect St,Lenoir	18	9	12	193	20	213		2	20	No	--	—	2,400.00
Poovey s Grove	R	1898	All	John E. Carter, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	10	2	5	220	57	277		2	—	No	No	—	3,120.00
Rhodhiss	T	1906	All	C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N. C.	24	8	16	206	167	373		2	30	No	No	—	3,900.00
Rocky Springs	V	1845	2	Dewey Newton, Rt. 3, Lawndale	3	3	6	92	36	128		2	—	—	--	--	1,245.38
Rufus	R	1940	2	R. C. Cooke, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	4	71	14	85		1	—	—	—	—	480.00
Setzer Creek	R	1948	All	Cecil Arney, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	15	12	21	131	23	154		2	13	No	No	—	2,880.00
Temple Hill	R	1946	All	W. E. Keller, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	5	10	3	61	70	131		1	17	No	No	—	1,300.80
Union Baptist	R	1814	All	Don L. Peek, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	22	17	10	331	86	417		2	25	No	No	—	3,120.00
Union Grove	R	1898	All	L. J. Culler, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	21	19	9	387	-	387		1	44	No	No	—	3,290.00
WHITNEL																	
Central	T	1938	All	J. J. Buckner, Whitnel, N. C.	8	13	11	265	81	346		3	—	—	--	—	4,505.00
Whitnel First	T	1910	All	James Holder, Whitnel, N. C.	17	9	9	229	41	270		2	45	—	--	—	70.00
Winkler s Grove	R	1886	All	Jack Holland, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	37	11	11	398	159	557		2	—	—	--	—	4,390.00
Worship Point	R	1946	2	Claude B. Suddreth	8	4	1	80	10	90		2	5	—	--	—	720.00
Yadkin Baptist	V	1791	All	Robert A. Frye	11	9	9	337	90	427		2	80	—	No	—	3,380.00
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	2	Will Bolick, Lenoir, N. C.	4	6	—	50	21	71		2	4	—	--	—	1,040.00
Zack s Fork	R	1951	All	J. S. Silver, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	2	60	10	70		-	7	—	--	--	1,200.00
				Totals	705	529	639	12,977	3,321	16,298		99					48,028.26

Table B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL–

CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																
		15 Cradle Roll	16 Nursery	17 Beginners	18 Primaries	19 Juniors	20 Intermediates	21 Young People	22 Adults	23 Extension Department	24 Officers Not Counted Classes And Departments	25 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	26 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	27 Average Attendance	28 Vacation Bible School Enrolment	29 Average Attendance V.B.S.	30 January Bible Study	31 Number Training Schools
Baton	Elbert Bollinger, 113 Cumberland St.,Lenoir	—	8	23	20	22	8	7	37	—	3	—	128	67	63	58	Yes	2
Bethany	Hardie Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	10	--	6	-	9	16	--	-	—	41	35	27	25	No	-
Blairs Fork	R. B. Holsclaw, Jr., 120 Wayside Circle,Lenoir	—	6	8	6	8	7	14	49	—	-	—	98	73	43	41	No	-
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Ferguson, N. C.	--	--	12	15	15	16	7	15	--	-	--	80	59	89	86	-	-
Cedar Rock																		
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	--	13	37	35	42	35	66	28	--	2	—	258	174	127	113	No	-
Clark s Chapel	Shea Puett, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	13	18	35	27	17	30	--	1	—	141	110	92	80	No	1
Conways Chapel	R. A. Annas, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	12	--	13	--	11	17	—	-	—	53	27	33	30	No	—
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	45	—	25	22	37	36	31	111	11	3	—	321	146	106	99	Yes	1
Edgemont B	William P. Vines, Edgemont	--	—	10	—	6	12	—	20	--	-	—	48	35	22	21	No	—
Flemings Chapel	James T. Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	--	-3	20	30	41	36	30	158	--	2	—	330	—	116	96	Yes	—
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, N. C.	--	—	6	8	--	10	10	—	—	—	—	34	30	30	27	No	—
Grandin	Ernest Hayes	2	4	10	9	14	15	6	34	6	—	—	100	51	21	21	Yes	2
Grandview Park	C. R. Hambkin, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	—	—	16	11	16	15	34	40	—	—	—	132	99	—	—	—	—
GRANITE FALLS																		
Clover	Fred Cline, Granite Falls, N. C.	--	16	26	31	47	43	35	88	—	2	—	288	137	163	152	Yes	4
Concord	George W. Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.	38	66	23	67	68	68	90	180	52	3	—	655	293	245	194	Yes	3
Granite Falls First	Baine L. Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	14	43	35	68	74	74	83	219	10	5	--	625	300	159	151	Yes	-
Green Rock	Roy L. Woodring, Ferguson, N. C.	--	5	--	8	7	-	--	21	—	1	—	42	30	37	32	No	-
Green Valley	Henry Ford, Jr. Collettsville, N. C.	—	—	15	—	8	25	—	25	—	2	—	75	45	46	39	--	-
H arris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	--	24	51	48	53	49	48	160	2	3	—	438	261	186	164	Yes	2
Hartland	Oscar McCall, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.	--	9	18	25	19	23	18	110	0	3	—	225	150	143	130	Yes	1
Hibriten Baptist	C. D. Brackett, Jr. Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	--	—	14	15	14	15	12	50	-	3	—	123	91	82	67	No	—
High View	Troy Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	--	--	10	12	12	16	—	27	-	-	—	77	65	85	66	Yes	—
Hudson First	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	15	46	28	53	60	55	47	195	41	5	—	545	264	178	144	Yes	—
John s River	R. G. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	3	2	3	4	4	5	14	--	-	—	35	24	12	8	No	—
Joyceton	Carl S. Triplett, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	13	13	13	19	--	26	--	-	--	84	72	75	68	Yes	—
Kings Creek	Victor Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	30	20	14	38	41	48	36	79	25	2	--	333	167	123	112	Yes	3

LENOIR																		
Calvery	Mack Carlton, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	23	37	36	44	21	97	-	5	--	263	200	121	116	No	--
College Avenue	Roy E. Holder, Box 592, Lenoir, N. C.	29	122	104	118	161	137	116	403	-	6	--	1196	626	326	287	Yes	--
Lenoir First	Charles W. Johnson, Jr., Lenoir, N. C.	33	82	66	87	100	71	51	396	92	7	84	1069	486	227	185	Yes	1
Lower Creek	G. G. Steele, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	6	46	36	47	72	55	45	228	22	5	--	562	320	246	210	Yes	2
Temple Missionary	George Laws, Cottrell Hill Rd., Lenoir, N.C.	--	5	10	12	12	--	10	18	-	-	--	67	53	50	40	No	-
West Lenoir	Fidel Whittington, Bradford Ave., Lenoir, N.C	--	--	54	40	35	32	45	48	-	2	--	256	172	89	75	Yes	--
Long Ford	Grady Sumpter, 126 Regal Drive, Lenoir, N. C.	--	4	10	20	25	28	26	33	--	3	--	149	100	61	60	Yes	2
Lovelady	Walter Turnmire, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	--	--	32	30	30	30	67	41	--	1	--	231	128	105	90	No	--
Maple Grove	Hattie Shoemake, Edgemont, N. C.	--	20	6	11	14	9	8	25	--	3	--	96	68	31	29	No	--
Miller Hill	Raylo Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	--	17	19	34	38	32	24	91	--	2	--	257	125	62	58	No	--
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	19	17	25	31	44	35	60	137	23	4	--	395	216	107	100	Yes	1
Mountain View	Roy Brown, Merriman Drive, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	15	10	12	7	7	37	--	-	--	88	74	33	28	No	--
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, Box 4807 Granite Falls, N. C.	17	25	39	82	64	66	57	183	23	4	--	569	307	208	186	Yes	3
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	6	7	10	12	8	14	--	-	--	57	55	--	--	--	--
Mulvale	Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	--	6	11	12	11	17	23	34	5	-	--	119	45	60	40	Yes	1
Nelson s Chapel	Joe Dobbins, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	14	9	5	8	10	30	-	2	--	78	53	30	26	No	--
New Hope	Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	16	8	14	19	14	33	-	2	--	106	62	41	36	Yes	--
Oak Grove	Wayne Mitchum, Granite Falls, N. C.	17	7	17	21	14	12	11	39	8	6	--	152	100	105	92	Yes	1
Piney Grove	Walter Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	15	10	8	18	17	22	16	94	-	-	--	200	116	57	51	No	1
Pisgah	James Crump, Box 134', Whitnel, N. C.	--	--	31	--	19	--	45	21	17	-	--	133	110	29	--	No	-
Pleasant Hill	R. E. Harold, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	15	20	30	20	30	60	--	2	--	177	104	97	80	Yes	1
Poovey s Chapel	Lester Bryant, Hudson, N. C.	--	7	32	12	39	30	18	66	--	10	--	214	148	85	80	No	-
Poovey's Grove	Ray Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.	--	31	15	30	38	26	26	82	25	4	--	277	115	130	112	Yes	2
Rhodhiss	Paul Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	24	19	22	61	44	24	142	--	4	--	341	153	134	93	Yes	2
Rocky Springs	M. C. Ester, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	11	9	8	12	10	34	--	-	--	84	84	--	--	--	-
Rufus	Otis Greene, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	10	-	15	8	--	37	--	-	--	70	35	15	10	--	-
Setzer Creek	Tway E. Allen, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	27	23	15	16	27	37	--	-	--	145	120	84	78	No	-
Temple Hill	Andrew Kirby, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	--	--	13	15	12	13	11	31	--	-	--	95	80	39	39	No	-
Union	Ivey Hall, Rt. 3, Lenoir	7	27	21	26	39	40	33	132	18	5	--	348	176	165	148	Yes	1
Union Grove	George McLeod, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	-	17	23	59	52	45	49	163	18	3	--	429	241	113	100	Yes	1
WHITNEL																		
Central	A. J. Parsons, Box 61, Lenoir, N. C.	--	10	30	46	47	36	111	97	--	7	--	384	256	153	144	Yes	3
Whitnel First	E. E. Turnmire, Sr., Third Ave., S.E. Lenoir	--	15	15	27	42	20	30	102	15	5	--	271	147	93	77	Yes	3
Winklers Grove	Eugene Hildebrand, 309 37St. S.W., Hickory	--	--	37	28	44	62	25	157	--	2	--	355	286	153	100	No	--
Worship Point	Earl Nelson, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	--	15	15	10	12	15	15	41	--	2	--	125	80	60	50	No	1
Yadkin	John Suddreth, Virginia St., Lenoir, N. C.	11	27	24	48	65	55	56	122	5	4	--	417	244	184	176	No	-
Yadkin Valley	Ford Baker, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	10	7	5	--	5	12	-	9	--	48	33	47	--	--	-
Zacks Fork	V. G. Sams, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	--	--	13	14	12	12	18	--	-	-	--	69	40	31	29	--	-
	Totals	299	810	1311	1585	1931	1746	1757	5049	418	149	84	15,139	8,536	5,931	5,100	--	46

Table C TRAINING UNION–		TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT										
CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Mission Enrolment	General Enrolled Officers	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Baton	Mrs. J. Carl Green, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	-	2	5	7	6	8	11	-	3	42	34
Bethany												
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor, 602 N. Main St., Lenoir	-	-	8	7	4	8	19	-	6	52	32
Buffalo Cove												
Cedar Rock												
Center Grove	Lonabell Bolick, Rt. 1, Hudson	-	-	8	20	14	7	12	-	3	64	38
Clarks Chapel	S. A. Maynard, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	9	8	16	9	16	-	2	60	37
Conways Chapel												
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austin	-	13	-	30	27	22	15	-	4	111	56
Edgemont												
Flemings Chapel	Wayne Sorrells	-	9	-	15	13	12	50	-	2	101	82
Globe Baptist												
Grandin												
Grandview Park												
GRANITE FALLS												
Clover	Charlie Ingle, Granite Falls, N. C.	12	9	9	27	31	24	45	-	4	161	80
Concord	J. Ralph Penley, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	19	8	21	30	36	31	66	-	3	214	119
Granite Falls First	Wade Kincaid, Granite Falls, N. C.	—	7	8	7	19	14	24	-	4	83	65
Green Rock												
Green Valley												
Harris Chapel	S. Jack Clark, Hudson	2	6	8	25	29	18	76	-	3	167	100
Hartland	Archie L. Cannon	-	-	10	12	15	8	22	-	3	70	53
Hibriten												
High View												
Hudson First	Miss Lucy Walters, Box 226, Hudson, N.C.	4	9	15	36	50	31	34	-	3	182	100
Johns River												
Joyceton	James C. Wilson	-	-	15	10	—	6	12	-	1	44	36
Kings Creek		-	-	10	25	30	20	25	-	-	110	45

LENOIR												
Calvary												
College Avenue	Mrs. R. J. Smith, 313 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir	27	39	35	82	75	51	98	-	5	412	207
Lenoir First	Robert T. Ross, Box 310, Lenoir, N. C.	8	5	22	48	42	25	73	-	4	227	106
Lower Creek	Mrs. June Smith, Rt. 1, Lenoir Mrs. Paul Smith, Rt. 2, Lenoir	6	8	10	29	18	14	50	-	4	139	80
Temple Missionary												
West Lenoir												
Long Ford	Mrs. Charles Andrews, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	-	7	5	14	16	20	19	-	4	85	54
Lovelady	Mrs. Helen P. Yount, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	-	-	14	5	—	13	18	-	1	51	30
Maple Grove												
Miller Hill	Charley Triplett, Rt. 3, Box 952, Lenoir	-	12	12	16	18	12	19	-	3	92	43
Mountain Grove	Earl Rader, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	-	5	10	23	15	6	34	-	3	96	56
Mountain View												
Mt. Zion	Carrie Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Box 330, Hudson	9	11	19	51	38	33	58	-	5	224	135
Mulberry	Eugene Green, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	-	--	6	16	12	—	17	-	2	53	43
Mulvale	Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	-	--	--	6	18	--	15	-	3	42	26
Nelson s Chapel												
New Hope												
Oak Grove	Ralph Helton, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	5	8	--	11	—	6	16	-	3	49	35
Piney Grove												
Pisgah												
Pleasant Hill	J. D. Hambright, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	-	6	5	15	19	8	14	-	3	70	50
Poovey s Chapel	Mrs. Jeanette Laney, 623 4th Ave., S.W. Hickory, N.C.	-	12	-	24	11	12	14		2	75	45
Poovey s Grove	James C. Summerlin, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	-	5	13	13	12	12	—	-	3	58	31
Rhodhiss	Dwight Kirby, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1	14	21	29	20	6	26	-	4	121	65
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	-	--	--	5	—	16	11	-	3	35	31
Rufus												
Setzer Creek	Mrs. Ed Gentry, Rt. 8, Box 476, Lenoir	--	8	--	15	9	14	20	-	2	68	58
Temple Hill												
Union	Ralph Lackey, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	17	15	20	13	27	-	1	93	65
Union Grove	Clifford Bradshaw , Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	6	25	11	16	16	-	2	76	63
WHITNEL												
Central	Jay Allen, 104 5th Ave., S.W., Lenoir	3	21	16	18	17	14	63	-	2	154	76
Whitnel First	Raymond Roberts, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	-	--	9	13	11	22	16	-	3	74	36
Winklers Grove	Mrs. G. C. Barnes, 531 24 St., S.W. Hickory, N.C.		8	5	12	24	11	—	-	6	66	64
Worship Point												
Yadkin	Joe Laws, Rt. 5, Lenoir	8	14	16	44	30	33	35	-	5	185	102
Yadkin Valley												
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Margaret Reid, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.											
	Totals	104	246	367	778	726	575	1086	-	114	3996	2378

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION–		W.M.S. Units	Y.W.A. Units	G.A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W.M.S. Enrolled	Y.W.A. Enrolled	G.A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES											
Baton	Mrs. Niles E. Compton, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	1	-	1	-	2	9	-	13	-	22	20
Bethany												
Blairs Fork	Mrs. Ned Taylor, 114 Wayside Circle, Lenoir	1	-	-	-	1	21	-	-	-	21	33
Buffalo Cove												
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Guy Sherrill, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.											
Center Grove	Mrs. Verda McRary, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1	-	2	-	3	15	-	28	-	43	13
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. A. A. Cooke, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1	-	3	26	10	12	-	48	20
Conways Chapel												
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. J. C. Satterwhite, Jr., Rt. 1, Granite Falls	-	-	-	-	-	24	10	15	-	49	-
Edgemont												
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	2	1	2	-	5	31	9	22	-	62	10
Globe												
Grandin	Mrs. E. F. Bentley, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	-	-	-	1	12	-	-	-	12	12
Grandview Park	Mrs. C. E. Melton, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	-	-	26	-
GRANITE FALLS												
Clover	Mrs. T. W. Williams, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	1	1	2	2	6	46	7	15	10	78	64
Concord	Mrs. Ernest W. Moore, Granite Falls, N. C.	6	1	2	1	10	70	13	28	17	128	50
Granite Falls First	Mrs. O. R. Payne, Granite Falls, N. C.	6	-	2	-	8	68	10	29	28	135	44
Green Rock												
Green Valley												
Harris Chapel	Mrs. Hannah Cowick, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	2	-	2	-	4	58	-	29	-	87	36
Hartland	Mrs. J. B. Crouse, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	27	14	19	-	60	3
Hibriten												
High View												
Hudson First	Mrs. H. B. Smith, Box 177, Hudson, N. C.	4	1	2	1	8	51	12	31	13	107	33
Johns River												
Joyceton												
Kings Creek	Mrs. J. M. Laxton, Kings Creek Station, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	2	1	5	48	9	20	11	88	14

LENOIR												
Calvary	Mrs. Cecil Lindsay, Box 545, Lenoir, N. C.	1	-	-	-	1	22	-	-	-	22	22
College Avenue	Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	119	25	31	14	189	60
Lenoir First	Mrs. R. E. Norment, Sr., 418 Kentwood St., Lenoir, N.C.	9	1	2	2	14	223	8	15	29	275	-
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	2	3	3	9	123	25	51	54	253	93
Temple Missionary												
West Lenoir	Mrs. Frank Martin, 226 North By Pass, Lenoir, N. C.											
Long Ford												
Lovelady	Mrs. Lewis McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	-	-	-	1	18	-	-	-	18	-
Maple Grove												
Miller Hill	Mrs. Raylo Smith, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	-	-	2	21	15	-	-	36	20
Mountain Grove	Mrs. B. B. Bean, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	-	-	-	1	16	-	-	-	16	12
Mountain View	Mrs. S. P. Coffey, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	1	-	-	-	1	12	-	-	-	12	12
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Cecil Starnes, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	1	1	1	4	58	19	17	24	118	20
Mulberry												
Mulvale	Mrs. Gwyn Sullivan, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	23	5
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1	-	1	1	3	11	-	5	8	24	-
New Hope	Mrs. Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	20	-
Oak Grove	Mrs. Charles Poovey, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	1	-	-	-	1	22	-	-	-	22	22
Piney Grove												
Pisgah												
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. R. O. Campbell, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	21	17
Pooveys Chapel	Mrs. Jeanette H. Laney, 623 4th Ave. SW, Hickory, N. C.	1	-	2	-	3	16	-	20	-	36	26
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Ray Starnes, Box 4813, Granite Falls, N. C.	1	-	2	-	3	24	-	27	-	51	30
Rhodhiss	Mrs. J. C. Propst, Rhodhiss, N. C.	1	1	1	1	4	18	9	13	30	70	9
Rocky Springs												
Rufus												
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	14	16	53	-
Temple Hill												
Union Baptist		3	1	1	1	6	34	14	14	10	72	25
Union Grove	Mrs. Ivey Hall, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	19	8	25	-	52	-
WHITNEL												
Central	Mrs. Earl Cline, 204 6th Ave. S.E. Lenoir, N. C.	2	1	2	2	7	46	16	21	25	108	-
Whitnel First	Mrs. B. D. Setzer, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	1	-	1	1	3	25	-	10	14	49	25
Winklers Grove	Mrs. Gladys Waters, 1210 1st Ave., S. W., Hickory, N.C.	1	-	-	-	1	9	-	-	-	9	-
Worship Point	Mrs. Alma Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	12	-
Yadkin	Mrs. Robert Frye, Patterson, N. C.	1	1	2	2	6	37	16	18	26	97	85
Yadkin Valley												
Zacks Fork	Mrs. James Curtis, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	10	-
Totals		56	15	36	19	126	1514	249	542	329	2634	835

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK–BUILDING–GOALS–CHURCH LIBRARY–CHURCH MUSIC–VISUAL EDUCATION–

CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	BROTHERHOOD								BUILDING			GOALS		CHURCH LIBRARY	CHURCH MUSIC					VISUAL EDUCATION	
		49A Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	49B No. Meetings Held	50A Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	50B No. Meetings Held	51A R. A. Enrolment	51B No. Meetings Held	52A Total Brotherhood Enrolment	52B No. Meetings Held	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Cooperative Program Coming Year	Goal Association missions coming Year	Does your church have a library?	Number Choirs	Total Choir Enrolment	Music Budget	Use Church Music Magazine	Church Read Music Training Course	Film-strip Projector	Motion Picture Projector
Baton	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,000	25,000	8,900	---	---	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bethany	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	1,000	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-
Blairs Fork	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	25,225	---	---	---	---	2	30	-	-	-	-	-
Buffalo Cove	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	12,250	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cedar Rock	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	3,500	661	---	---	---	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Center Grove	Tom Callaway, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	15	12	-	-	24	13	39	25	15,000	45,000	6,010	96.	51	---	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarks Chapel	Carter Hendrix, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	14	12	-	-	-	-	14	12	---	40,000	7,535	75	70	---	1	12	-	Yes	Yes	-	-
Conways Chapel	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dudley Shoals	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,000	75,000	6,804	647	104	---	2	35	35	No	No	-	-
Edgemont	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	2,500	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Flemings Chapel	Donald Pennell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	28	12	-	-	-	-	28	12	20,000	25,000	14,566	300	100	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Globe	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandin	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	6,000	1,398	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandview Park	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GRANITE FALLS																						
Clover	None	-	-	-	-	13	-	13	-	5,000	50,000	25,000	---	150	---	2	37	-	Yes	No	-	-
Concord	J. V. McKinney, Jr. Rhodhiss, N. C.	42	1	-	-	30	2	72	3	20,000	120,000	19,888	---	---	---	1	25	-	---	-	-	yes
Granite Falls 1st	Jessie Bowman, Granite Falls, N. C.	44	11	-	-	10	24	54	35	8,000	200,000	40,000	2,100	285	---	2	35	-	-	-	Yes	-
Green Rock	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,000	---	---	---	---	---	-	---	-	-	-	-	-
Green Valley	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,000	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	50	11	-	-	22	18	72	29	20,000	90,000	---	240	150	---	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hartland	Robert Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	22	12	8	2	19	24	49	38	15,000	65,000	15,520	75	75	---	1	36	-	Yes	Yes	-	-
Hibriten	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
High View	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	6,500	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hudson First	Sanford Laws, Rt. 4, Lenoir	55	12	-	-	-	-	55	12	7,500	125,000	---	2,000	360	---	1	19	100	Yes	No	-	-
Johns River	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	3,500	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Joyceton	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	5,000	750	---	---	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kings Creek	Colon Keller, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	16	4	-	-	19	12	35	16	8,000	73,000	29,117	1,000	255	Yes	2	32	50	Yes	No	-	-

LENOIR																							
Calvary	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	35,000	6,604	780	60	---	1	35	150	-	Yes	-	-
College Avenue	Manley Phillips, 341 S. Main St.,Lenoir	52	12	-	-	16	12	68	24	10,000	291,486	12,000	13,200	780	---	4	110	150	Yes	No	-	-
Lenoir First	Clarence Keever, 208 Olive Ave., Lenoir	75	6	-	-	-	-	75	6	50,000	575,000	None	16,800	720	Yes	4	110	750	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Lower Creek	Claude Seila, Box 623, Lenoir, N. C.	25	10	-	-	50	52	75	62	12,000	150,000	None	9,000	360	Yes		-	460	-	-	Yes	Yes
Temple Missionary	James Summerlin, Plaza Circle, Lenoir,N.C	9	52	-	-	-	-	9	52	---	---	600	---	---	---	1	15	-	-	-	-	-
West Lenoir	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	4,532	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Long Ford	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,850	15,800	---	235	---	---	1	20	-	-	-	-	-
Lovelady	John Austin, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	28	12	-	-	-	-	28	12	6,000	28,000	1,300	---	---	---	1	18	-	-	-	-	-
Maple Grove	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	1,800	---	---	---	---	1	-	-	-	Yes	-	-
Miller Hill	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	11,557	100	60	---	2	-	-	-	Yes	-	-
Mountain Grove	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,000	80,000	16,938	150	60	---	2	40	-	-	-	-	-
Mountain View	Elmer Philyaw	14	1	-	-	-	-	14	1	---	4,500	None	---	---	---	1	20	-	-	-	-	-
Mt. Zion	Bill R. Penson, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	-	-	-	-	19	20	19	20	20,000	75,000	10,500	1,500	350	Yes	2	30	100	Yes	Yes	-	-
Mulberry	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	3,000	---	36	24	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mulvale	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,000	9,000	3,700	---	---	---	1	25	-	-	-	-	-
Nelsons Chapel	Raymond Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	8	12	-	-	4	12	12	24	---	5,000	---	---	---	Yes	1	-	-	No	No	-	-
New Hope	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	6,000	925	50	15	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oak Grove	J. W. Myers, Box 4917, Granite Falls,N.C	8	24	-	-	-	-	8	24	5,500	85,000	10,000	---	---	---	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Piney Grove	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	30,000	---	---	---	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pisgah	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,000	1,500	3,000	---	---	---	2	50	-	No	Yes	-	-
Pleasant Hill	J. D. Hambright, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	16	104	-	-	-	-	16	104	---	5,500	---	25	25	---	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pooveys Chapel	None	-	-	-	-	11	12	11	12	---	20,000	---	---	---	---	2	30	-	-	-	-	-
Pooveys Grove	None	-	-	-	-	15	40	15	40	4,000	44,000	---	---	---	Yes	1	20	-	-	-	-	-
Rhodhiss	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,000	20,000	---	---	---	---	1	30	-	-	-	-	-
Rocky Springs	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	30,000	---	---	---	---	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rufus	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	2,000	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Setzer Creek	None	-	-	-	-	21	52	21	52	---	15,000	---	150	75	---	1	25	-	-	-	-	-
Temple Hill	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	3,000	---	---	37	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union	John White, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	22	12	-	-	15	24	37	36	18,000	68,000	---	1,000	250	---	2	35	50	-	-	-	-
Union Grove	Burl Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	16	24	-	-	18	12	34	36	7,500	50,543	4,449	---	---	---	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
WHITNEL																						
Central	Melvin Maltba, 205 6th Ave., Lenoir, N.C	22	18	-	-	12	12	34	30	7,000	51,000	10,266	---	150	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whitnel First	E. N. Braswell, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	17	1	-	-	7	1	24	2	10,000	32,000	---	500	25	Yes	1	25	-	-	Yes	-	-
Winklers Grove	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	27,000	---	---	---	---	2	75	-	-	-	-	-
Worship Point	Melvin Childers, Lenoir, N. C.	15	12	-	-	-	-	15	12	---	6,000	125	10	10	---	1	20	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin	None	-	-	-	-	2	20	2	20	5,000	45,000	---	624	190	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin Valley	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zacks Fork	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---	5,450	166	---	---	---	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Totals	613	387	8	2	327	362	948	751	325,350	2,819,055	268,283	55,225	4,791		63	994	1,845				

Table F and G TOTAL GIFTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES–		Total Gifts for All Purposes	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance, Repair, etc.	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES												
Baton	C. E. Bollinger, Rt. 2,Granite Falls	5,648.68		62.40	1,614.92	155.08	24.28	164.70	1,890.00	45.00	3,956.38	1,601.23	5,557.61
Bethany	Harley Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	565.00	75.00	25.37	---	59.54	---	33.10	---	---	193.01	355.25	548.26
Blairs Fork	Ned L. Andrews, 123 Wayside Circle Lenoir, N. C.	5,205.58	225.00	306.63	511.72	228.00	19.50	152.00	660.00	37.12	2,139.97	2,340.00	4,479.97
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Fred Hawkins, Ferguson, N.C.	---	---	182.68	---	86.83	115.93	45.35	---	---	430.79	549.22	980.01
Cedar Rock	Collette P. Cantor, Rt. 1, Lenoir,N.C.	911.54	---	145.13	29.81	136.67	24.43	50.00	180.00	15.00	481.04	288.80	769.84
Center Grove	Mrs. Pearl Parsons, Rt. 1, Lenoir,N.C.	9,208.55	240.00	108.07	1,233.35	313.26	238.22	576.32	1,425.00	671.61	4,805.83	3,120.00	7,925.83
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George Craig,Rt. 3, Lenoir,N.C.	5,609.63	157.00	164.82	---	223.25	96.46	157.50	1,552.18	413.98	2,765.19	2,080.00	4,845.19
Conways Chapel		---	---	60.00	39.20	56.00	42.65	91.78	95.00	52.00	436.63	431.00	867.63
Dudley Shoals	Clifton D. Sigmon, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	8,412.48	260.00	488.90	---	594.18	25.00	160.00	1,254.00	425.10	3,207.18	3,380.00	6,587.18
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N.C.	715.03	---	30.20	---	22.44	---	17.75	---	156.00	226.39	447.32	673.71
Flemings Chapel	Grady Pennell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	15,327.45	220.00	239.48	4,923.80	134.41	158.00	175.00	3,570.00	150.30	9,570.99	3,640.00	13,210.99
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Globe, N. C.	204.06	---	---	---	77.69	---	23.60	---	---	101.29	96.54	197.83
Grandin	William L. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir,N.C.	3,365.41	---	137.79	38.75	150.66	14.06	100.00	1,029.29	32.11	1,502.66	1,200.00	2,702.66
Grandview Park	Mrs. Faye Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir,N.C.	3,515.04	260.00	47.00	---	92.12	345.16	113.37	---	127.31	984.96	2,272.80	3,257.76
GRANITE FALLS													
Clover	I. W. Williams, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	12,484.79	445.00	220.40	1,144.13	849.73	85.95	344.68	3,120.00	632.03	6,841.92	3,380.00	10,221.92
Concord	J. N. Clay, Granite Falls, N. C.	24,476.01	2,005.00	2,254.94	500.00	1,844.65	511.09	545.50	4,147.00	1,761.79	13,569.97	4,770.00	18,339.97
Granite Falls First	J. D. Milstead, Granite Falls, N.C.	31,612.68	2,382.00	1,370.92	1,326.03	1,042.03	151.87	826.00	12,308.29	3,265.40	22,672.54	4,140.00	26,812.54
Green Rock	Hartley H. Conley, Rt. 5, Lenoir,	288.90	---	12.00	667.33	14.94	---	---	---	7.30	701.57	156.72	858.29
Green Valley		676.01	---	---	162.99	44.17	80.00	36.06	---	59.97	383.19	235.01	618.20
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	20,502.65	390.00	418.18	305.50	1,069.81	833.53	250.00	4,166.50	784.12	8,217.64	4,112.50	12,330.14
Hartland	Robert S. Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir,N.C.	18,491.69	364.00	1,155.00	9,640.51	312.57	203.42	75.00	1,920.00	626.88	14,297.38	3,785.00	18,082.38
Hibriten	L. E. Winebarger, Rt. 4, Lenoir,N.C.	3,219.77	240.00	137.42	32.88	121.46	91.22	95.78	915.20	---	1,633.96	2,080.00	3,713.96
High View	W. R. Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	3,107.10	122.00	145.58	1,676.09	63.24	134.16	56.57	---	---	2,197.64	780.00	2,977.64
Hudson First	Cade Shaver, Box 13, Hudson, N. C.	21,614.88	1,791.00	3,322.28	333.01	1,559.02	64.67	560.00	4,000.00	640.63	12,270.61	3,650.00	15,920.61
Johns River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	509.67	---	2.00	---	33.00	109.66	55.37	---	38.66	238.69	177.46	416.15
Joyceton	Willard W. Triplett, Rt. 4, Lenoir	267.45	---	---	---	79.30	181.35	74.35	180.00	86.99	601.99	2,075.00	2,676.99
Kings Creek	Mrs. Louis Land, Kings Creek Sta. Lenoir, N. C.	14,341.41	300.00	302.30	40,289.04	672.19	28.82	110.00	2,100.00	539.50	44,341.85	3,400.00	47,741.85

LENOIR														
Calvary	Cecil Lindsay, Box 545, Lenoir, N.C.	9,430.11	760.00	141.30	---	252.84	481.32	200.00	1,740.00	1,652.94	5,228.60	3,120.00	8,348.60	
College Avenue	Vaughn Summerlin, Spainhour Dev. Lenoir, N. C.	62,319.06	8,960.23	7,393.16	2,197.10	4,296.87	662.66	711.34	8,132.50	4,727.74	37,081.60	5,868.00	42,949.60	
Lenoir First	R. Carter Powell, Lenoir, N. C.	83,865.28	10,354.50	8,225.82	---	3,997.01	3,396.36	1,181.34	---	10,068.67	37,223.70	6,750.00	43,973.70	
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, 101 Pinehurst, Lenoir	29,554.00	1,960.00	3,817.67	---	1,246.98	100.00	394.31	---	2,650.47	10,169.43	4,595.00	14,764.43	
Temple Missionary	Mrs. Pansy Summerlin, Rt. 5, Lenoir	2,153.00	---	50.00	13.40	12.24	70.65	145.00	360.00	400.00	1,051.29	1,070.00	2,121.29	
West Lenoir	Robert Woodring, Rt. 8, Lenoir,N.C.	4,475.88	120.00	418.16	---	175.04	73.79	75.00	840.00	179.28	1,881.27	2,400.00	4,281.27	
Long Ford	Clyde E. Hollar, Jr. Blowing Rock Rd. Lenoir, N. C.	4,495.39	180.00	658.00	---	251.39	31.50	110.00	---	173.44	1,404.33	2,798.30	4,202.63	
Lovelady	Miss Gladys Starnes, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N.C	7,048.65	165.00	116.97	---	190.74	---	128.40	1,270.00	1,486.09	3,357.20	2,920.80	6,278.00	
Maple Grove	Mrs. Lottie Beane, Edgemont, N. C.	1,038.76	---	79.83	---	52.29	429.22	123.89	---	13.92	699.15	269.61	968.76	
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Green, Rt. 3, Lenoir,N.C.	6,202.07	250.00	602.12	1,155.43	386.17	82.84	263.56	1,800.00	86.06	4,626.18	2,080.00	6,706.18	
Mountain Grove	Allen Hamby, Rt. 2, Granite Falls,N.C.	12,838.46	720.00	1,341.44	524.92	637.46	178.25	110.00	4,527.50	653.64	8,693.21	3,945.00	12,638.21	
Mountain View	Bob Philyaw, 104 Ervin Ave., Lenoir	2,022.63	52.00	226.30	---	75.37	190.14	36.41	732.00	155.43	1,467.65	560.00	2,027.65	
Mt. Zion	Albert J. Barker, Rt. 1, Hudson,N.C.	19,980.61	---	1,434.46	4,696.69	1,642.37	89.00	385.00	1,430.00	2,235.00	11,912.52	4,426.07	16,338.59	
Mulberry	H. J. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1,494.97	---	---	---	97.00	---	---	---	---	97.00	600.00	697.00	
Mulvale	Mrs. T. J. Moore, Rt. 7, Lenoir,N.C.	3,209.01	180.00	58.50	---	64.03	174.89	80.00	600.00	157.80	1,315.22	1,563.25	2,878.47	
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. R. M. Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir,N.C.	3,984.51	156.00	81.00	---	122.02	100.00	82.10	---	1,054.25	1,595.55	1,099.94	2,695.49	
New Hope	Mrs. G. D. Greer, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	1,308.30	---	75.00	---	47.62	35.00	50.00	270.00	135.00	612.62	540.00	1,152.62	
Oak Grove	Charles R. Poovey, Rt. 1, Granite Falls	7,451.83	400.00	580.00	2,674.50	631.30	88.00	200.00	2,286.00	947.59	7,807.39	3,202.89	11,010.28	
Piney Grove	Betty Sue Sharpe, Rt. 5, Lenoir,N.C.	5,589.96	---	1,283.13	410.75	245.78	213.00	---	---	468.00	2,620.66	2,375.90	4,996.56	
Pisgah	John Pope, Rt. 6 Lenoir, N. C.	4,266.38	220.00	290.00	260.00	138.00	225.00	498.38	480.00	150.00	2,261.38	1,680.00	3,941.38	
Pleasant Hill	Tom Land, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	4,599.45	60.00	---	28.08	165.02	85.87	88.31	201.20	691.84	1,320.32	2,745.00	4,065.32	
Pooveys Chapel	E. C. Austin, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	6,357.63	300.00	52.30	925.06	314.22	408.24	341.67	---	200.00	2,541.49	2,400.00	4,941.49	
Pooveys Grove	Earl Bumgarner, Rt. 2, Granite Falls	11,203.82	720.00	516.10	616.00	443.03	---	160.00	2,745.19	1,053.09	6,253.41	3,120.00	9,373.41	
Rhodhiss	Boyd Brown, Rhodhiss, N. C.	11,421.09	384.00	378.15	3,976.94	568.86	293.11	225.00	---	115.05	5,941.11	3,744.00	9,685.11	
Rocky Springs	Miss Lois Tolbert, Collettsville, N.C.	3,458.92	240.00	150.11	178.80	118.33	30.44	120.00	975.00	246.70	2,059.38	1,245.38	3,304.76	
Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir,N.C.	947.76	72.00	48.55	---	45.17	---	91.31	---	86.30	343.33	480.00	823.33	
Setzer Creek	T. R. Gentry, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	10,366.76	240.00	169.60	5,918.64	198.77	250.70	215.00	---	80.00	7,072.71	2,880.00	9,952.71	
Temple Hill	James G. Sweet, Rt. 1, Granite Falls N. C.	2,231.36	---	21.75	---	127.80	---	103.50	---	768.13	1,021.18	885.00	1,906.18	
Union	Bingham Kirby, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	10,621.02	600.00	442.35	---	1,042.88	129.52	493.50	2,782.88	1,880.17	7,371.30	3,120.00	10,491.30	
Union Grove	J. B. Myers, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	12,591.77	360.00	2,375.22	---	573.14	1,206.89	231.39	3,517.84	30.00	8,294.48	3,290.00	11,584.48	
WHITNEL														
Central	Henry S. Turnmire, E. Harper Ave.	15,396.29	520.00	578.36	1,072.26	686.49	796.24	431.21	3,776.46	564.52	18,425.54	4,505.00	22,930.54	
Whitnel First	J. Howard Swanson, Rt. 4, Lenoir,N.C.	10,009.56	390.00	153.28	2,572.43	478.28	34.50	168.12	791.42	555.47	5,143.50	3,640.00	8,783.50	
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, 309-37th St., Hickory, N. C.	19,814.58	820.00	575.00	4,700.00	250.00	1,000.00	215.00	1,837.32	5,723.98	15,121.30	4,390.00	19,511.30	
Worship Point	Mrs. Katie V. Hatton, Rt. 8, Lenoir.	2,531.85	---	50.00	700.00	58.99	86.82	89.75	673.85	253.34	1,912.75	595.25	2,508.00	
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	9,729.64	832.00	730.10	250.00	681.73	452.23	217.00	---	848.12	4,011.18	3,380.00	7,391.18	
Yadkin Valley	Don R. Watson, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	1,811.61	60.00	182.63	135.08	50.32	---	130.00	---	142.26	700.29	1,040.00	1,740.29	
Zacks Fork	John R. Whistnant, Rt. 1, Lenoir,N.C.	2,652.42	180.00	81.25	---	66.66	94.81	---	261.45	115.48	799.65	1,200.00	1,999.65	
	Totals	618755.85	39731.73	44717.30	107475.14	30368.45	15070.42	12985.27	86543.07	51318.75	388210.13	149068.24	537278.37	

Table H and I MISSION EXPENDITURES AND TOTAL EXPENDITURES–

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Other objects Relief and Annuity, etc.	Total Mission Expenditures	Grand Total Expenditures for All Purposes
Baton	Miss Clyde Smith, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N.C.	125.00	---	30.00	---	185.73	---	60.00	---	---	400.73	5,958.34
Bethany	Junior Goins, Rt.8, Box 223, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	---	12.30	---	5.13	17.43	565.69
Blairs Fork	Jennings Taylor, 602 N. Main St., Lenoir,N.C.	4.23	9.16	43.87	35.00	44.05	26.05	224.65	27.05	26.05	440.11	4,920.08
Buffalo Cove	J. Bernard Hawkins, Ferguson, N. C.	11.36	11.36	---	---	---	---	19.00	18.63	---	60.35	1,040.36
Cedar Rock	Mrs. G. H. Correll, Rt. 1, Box 303, Lenoir,N.C	3.60	14.53	10.00	2.00	7.40	---	---	30.00	---	67.53	843.07
Center Grove	P. L. McRary, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N. C.	119.22	51.00	75.25	22.00	117.31	7.30	162.50	30.72	14.15	599.45	8,525.28
Clarks Chapel	Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	68.85	66.64	14.65	15.00	25.60	8.12	58.00	32.38	36.36	325.60	5,170.79
Conways Chapel		6.01	2.00	---	---	---	---	---	7.00	---	15.01	904.65
Dudley Shoals	Talley S. Reed, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N.C.	947.74	152.50	9.00	---	---	---	325.42	76.00	136.00	1,646.46	8,233.64
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.	---	---	10.00	12.00	3.97	5.35	---	10.00	---	41.32	715.03
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	150.00	100.00	15.00	50.00	27.00	50.41	52.60	100.00	316.07	861.08	14,072.07
Globe	Mrs. R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Box 332, Lenoir,N.C.	6.23	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	6.23	204.06
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Box 568, Lenoir, N.C.	16.00	---	15.30	32.50	53.00	18.00	37.38	41.16	55.53	268.87	2,971.53
Grandview Park		72.00	42.00	7.00	10.00	10.00	10.28	96.00	---	10.00	257.28	3,515.04
GRANITE FALLS												
Clover	Miss Annie Rose Estes, Granite Falls, N. C.	541.18	167.35	9.53	36.08	149.53	86.38	13.84	---	258.98	1,262.87	11,484.79
Concord	Miss Faye Moore, Granite Falls, N. C.	4,021.91	436.85	57.86	96.14	572.00	300.00	232.70	62.42	356.16	6,136.04	24,476.01
Granite First	Willard C. Hendrix, Granite Falls, N. C.	1,750.00	342.41	250.75	226.28	724.25	50.00	520.00	148.05	160.00	4,171.74	20,984.28
Green Rock	Miss Ginelle Conley, Box 4, Ferguson, N.C.	3.00	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3.00	861.29
Green Valley	B. B. Greane, Collettsville, N. C.	---	5.05	---	---	---	---	38.25	14.51	---	57.81	676.01
Harris Chapel	Lewis Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	163.50	125.00	2.53	18.05	175.64	150.00	100.00	70.00	---	804.72	13,134.86
Hartland	James T. Sanders, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C.	85.97	75.58	25.00	43.88	88.88	10.00	50.00	30.00	---	409.31	18,491.69
Hibriten	Miss Beulah Colvard, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	15.00	60.00	11.00	---	---	---	18.00	20.00	---	124.00	3,837.96
High View	Nelson Prestwood, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	4.66	60.00	10.00	4.70	4.70	---	16.06	30.00	---	130.12	3,107.10
Hudson First	Miss Dryna Carroll, Box 185, Hudson, N. C.	2,089.90	380.82	139.38	212.29	307.99	---	171.66	79.78	347.62	3,729.44	19,650.05
Johns River	C. E. Crump, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	7.00	10.00	---	---	6.00	---	---	---	---	23.00	439.15
Joyceton	Mrs. George Hartzog, Rt. 4, Box 883, Lenoir,NC	3.10	---	14.85	---	15.05	---	15.00	20.00	---	68.00	2,744.99
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlow, Jr., Kings Creek Station, Lenoir, N. C.	853.30	228.89	---	17.00	50.00	---	135.35	156.26	156.36	1,597.16	49,337.01

LENOIR												
Calvary	Miss Emma Early, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N. C.	780.00	60.00	---	24.51	106.42	---	100.00	100.00	161.79	1,332.72	9,681.32
College Avenue	Miss Betty Hendricks, Box 592, Lenoir, N. C.	12,884.84	869.00	59.10	295.66	4,119.73	400.00	332.25	595.34	3,475.37	21,031.29	63,980.89
Lenoir First	Jack Spainhour, 181 S. Prospect St.,Lenoir,N C	15,600.00	700.00	262.60	250.42	1,838.80	3,044.00	780.00	281.03	946.01	23,702.86	67,676.56
Lower Creek	Ralph B. Laney, Rt. 5, Box 20, Lenoir, N. C.	9,793.77	360.00	202.42	400.00	1,307.22	---	725.58	400.00	1,022.49	14,211.48	28,975.91
Temple Missionary	Mrs. Bolena Adams, 248 Underdown Ave.,Lenoir	20.00	---	3.50	---	8.00	---	20.00	---	---	51.50	2,172.79
West Lenoir	G. D. Ward, 113 Abingdon Rd., Lenoir, N. C.	11.67	30.60	7.00	---	20.00	---	42.00	60.00	---	171.27	4,452,54
Long Ford	Fred L. Campbell, 103 Elizabeth Dr.,Lenoir	217.26	25.00	75.00	10.00	14.00	---	70.00	30.00	31.50	472.76	4,675.39
Lovelady	Miss Alma Starnes, Rt. 1, Granite Falls,N C	---	4.20	25.00	224.90	232.45	---	46.89	22.40	---	555.84	6,833.84
Maple Grove	Lillie Coffey, Edgemont, N. C.	---	---	1.91	---	---	---	---	10.00	13.00	24.91	993.67
Miller Hill	Mis Dovie Mikeal, 210 Overlook Drive, Lenoir	108.57	69.34	22.43	15.00	22.00	6.00	22.25	26.31	10.00	301.90	7,008.08
Mountain Grove	Willard C. Hamlet, Rt. 2, Granite Falls,N.C.	150.00	60.00	50.00	---	97.09	---	311.05	50.76	26.06	744.96	13,383.17
Mountain View	Mrs. Elmer Philyaw, 113 Ervin Ave., Lenoir, N C	---	---	---	2.00	15.00	---	15.00	15.00	---	47.00	2,074.65
Mt. Zion	Atlas J. Icard, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.	1,766.21	358.48	113.58	82.05	1,030.00	4.30	351.00	63.00	206.00	3,974.62	20,314.01
Mulberry	H. J. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	36.00	24.00	---	---	---	---	53.86	22.12	562.00	697.98	1,394.98
Mulvale	Burma Estes, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.	11.63	---	10.00	---	---	---	25.00	24.00	16.80	87.43	2,965.90
Nelsons Chapel	R. M. Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	548.37	48.02	20.00	16.00	32.00	15.00	151.56	15.62	38.61	885.18	3,380.67
New Hope	Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Box 576, Lenoir, N. C.	13.32	---	---	---	---	---	14.27	6.75	43.50	77.84	1,308.30
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mary A. Bumgarner, Box 4811, Granite Falls	185.03	15.00	---	13.51	16.00	35.00	50.00	---	206.40	520.94	11,531.22
Piney Grove	C. Arnold Christenbury, Box 800, Lenoir, N. C.	50.00	110.00	50.00	---	---	---	327.43	50.00	124.98	712.41	5,708.97
Pisgah	Glenn Greene, Rt. 7, Box 654, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	---	---	---	---	25.00	25.00	275.00	325.00	4,266.38
Pleasant Hill	Howard Hollar, Rt. 4, Box 312, Lenoir, N. C.	---	---	16.25	10.32	---	---	5.50	9.81	---	41.88	4,107.20
Pooveys Chapel	D. P. Haas, Sr., 101 Jennings St.,Lenoir, N C	17.00	45.00	30.00	79.57	98.18	---	408.00	103.00	500.00	1,280.75	6,222.24
Pooveys Grove	Donald Smith, Granite Falls, N. C.	1,135.98	103.37	25.45	64.47	189.90	85.00	66.80	45.53	13.85	1,730.35	11,103.76
Rhodhiss	Virginia Jones, Box 544, Rhodhiss, N. C.	828.00	132.00	---	5.00	108.69	---	161.10	132.00	312.00	1,678.79	11,373.90
Rocky Springs	Miss Vernie Tolbert, Collettsville, N. C.	5.10	---	25.64	---	---	---	58.30	35.37	29.75	154.16	3,458.92
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Box 373, Lenoir, N. C.	5.12	9.15	6.00	10.00	---	---	65.00	10.00	35.00	140.27	963.60
Setzer Creek	Mrs. T. R. Gentry, Rt.8, Box 470, Lenoir,N. C.	138.55	75.00	12.00	30.00	62.50	---	60.00	36.00	---	414.05	10,266.76
Temple Hill	James E. Sweet, Rt. 1, Granite Falls, N. C.	10.83	18.00	---	---	---	---	15.00	10.00	---	53.83	1,960.11
Union	Mrs. R. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.	355.06	82.66	53.93	18.75	414.53	---	480.02	64.19	---	1,469.14	11,960.44
Union Grove	Stacy Davis, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	416.00	111.80	80.96	30.00	90.00	---	104.00	104.00	16.90	953.66	12,538.14
WHITNEL												
Central	Mrs. Jay Allen, 104 5th Ave.,S.W.,Lenoir, N.C	849.09	20.00	53.85	161.00	230.00	200.00	104.30	39.23	116.00	1,773.47	24,704.01
Whitnel First	E. N. Braswell, Rt.2, Box 354, Lenoir, N. C.	480.00	98.00	15.95	13.55	214.34	---	169.10	75.00	---	1,065.94	9,849.44
Winklers Grove	A. J. Hildebrand, 309 37th St.,S.W. Hickory	50.00	50.00	---	---	5.00	---	32.00	41.28	125.00	303.28	19,814.58
Worship Point	Mrs. Velma Gragg, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	---	3.85	---	---	---	---	10.00	10.00	---	23.85	2,531.85
Yadkin	Riley Todd, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.	650.97	243.36	121.31	80.31	753.11	---	110.00	82.00	297.40	2,338.46	9,729.64
Yadkin Valley	Arnie R. Woods, Rt. 5, Box 672, Lenoir, N. C.	7.36	20.15	7.75	8.00	---	---	10.25	11.75	6.13	71.39	1,811.61
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Stewart Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	3.18	---	15.00	18.63	5.00	---	50.00	18.63	44.39	154.83	2,154.48
	Totals	58,197.67	6,086.92	2,117.60	2,696.57	13,598.06	4,511.19	7,731.22	3,629.08	8,534.34	107,102.65	634,194.74

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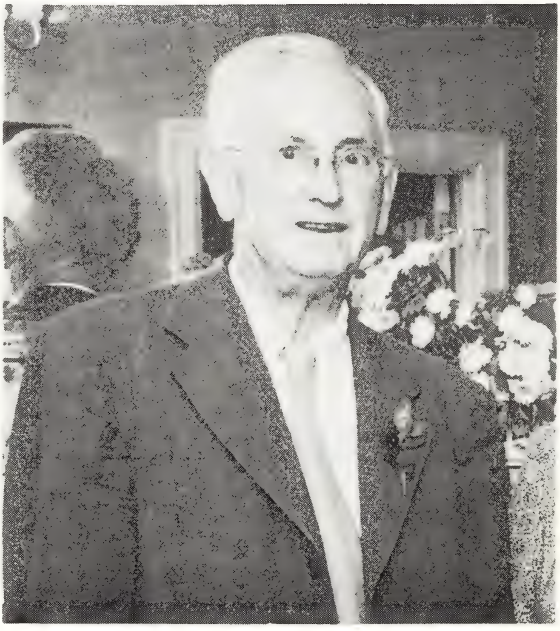
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The next annual session will be held Thursday, September 19, 1957 at Yadkin Baptist Church, Patterson, N. C. and September 20, 1957 at Harris Chapel, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C. Rev. Paul E. Bruce, pastor First Baptist Church, Granite Falls to preach the annual sermon, Alternate Rev. Gwyn Sullivan, pastor Mulvale Church.

IN MEMORIAM

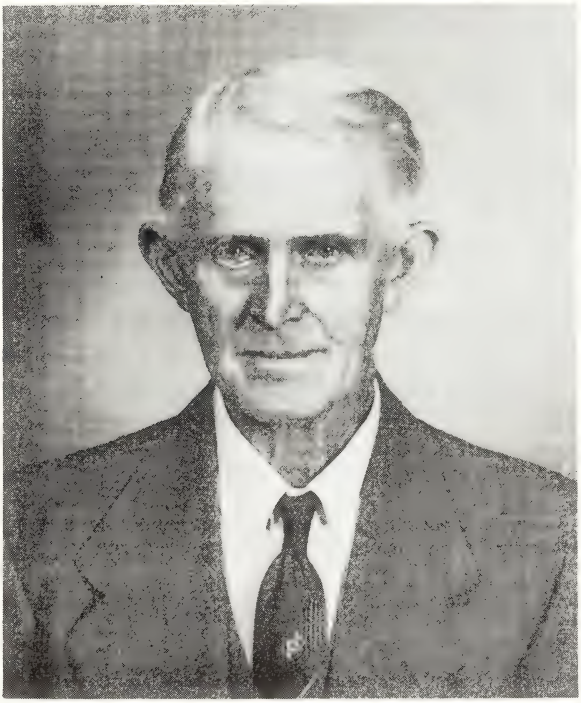


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Mr. M. C. Estes

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Rocky Springs, Miss Betty Lou Boyette, Collettsville, N. C.
Rufus, Mrs. Augestine Hart, Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Setzer Creek, Mrs. Frances Crisp, Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Temple Hill, Miss Gladys Williams, Granite Falls, N. C.
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Central, Mr. Melvin Hines, Route 4, Lenoir, N. C.
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Zacks Fork, Mrs. Jo Ann Yannoy, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.

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Harrisburg Mission, Lenoir First Church, Lenoir, N. C.

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Grandin, Miss Clara Greer, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Harris Chapel, Miss Mary Austin, Hudson, N. C.
Joyceton, Mr. George Hart, Hudson, N. C.
Lower Creek, Mrs. Walter Jones, Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
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Mt. Zion, Mr. Charles Haas, Granite Falls, N. C.
Nelsons Chapel, Mrs. R. N. Miller, Route 8. Lenoir, N. C.
Pooveys Chapel, Mrs. Coleen Coffey, R.F.D., Hickory, N. C.
Winklers Grove, Miss Dorothy Willit, Route 5, Hickory, N. C.

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

Seventy-Second Annual Session
Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association
Thursday, September 20, 1956
Lower Creek Baptist Church

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J. Malcolm Laxton ---------- Moderator
Frank L. Smith, Sr. ---------- Clerk
Rev. Roy Holder ---------- Choirster
Pianist

ASSOCIATIONAL ACTIVITIES

9:30—Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. N. R. Black

9:40—Organization: Presentation of Program
Recognition of New Pastors and Visitors
Naming of Committees

9:50—Report and Message from Our Missionary
Miss Elizabeth Campbell

10:20—Report from Associational Officers
Training Union ---------- Mrs. Clarence Prestwood
Brotherhood ---------- Mr. A. J. Parsons
Sunday School ---------- Mr. Floyd Annas
Discussion ---------- Rev. Jack Bagwell
Woman's Missionary Union - Mrs. Wilber Honeycutt

10:55—Congregational Hymn

11:00—Committee on Constitutional Amendments
Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

11:10—Report of Treasurer ---------- Mr. E. D. Beach
Presentation of Next Year's Budget

11:25—Special Music

11:30—Sermon ---------- Rev. Paul J. Hopkins

12:00—Lunch

BENEVOLENCES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

1:00—Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. Lawrence A. Miller

1:05—Our Ministry to the Aged ..... Mrs. J. H. Craig
Discussion

1:20—Our Ministry to the Orphans ..... Mr. G. G. Steele
Discussion

1:35—Ministers' Retirement ..... Rev. Ernest W. Moore

1:45—Our Ministry to the Sick ..... Rev. L. R. Davis
Discussion

2:05—Report of Satistician ..... Mr. B. B. Byers

2:15—Congregational Hymn

2:20—Public Morals and Temperance .. Rev. Paul R. Morrow
Discussion

2:40—Christian Education ..... Rev. Thomas B. Flowe
Discussion ..... Dr. Phil. L. Elliott

3:00—Religious Literature ..... Mrs. G. M. Icenhour
Discussion ..... Rev. C. W. Bazemore

3:15 Adjournment

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Thursday Night

First Baptist Church, Lenoir

OUR OUTREACH TO MISSIONS THROUGH OUR ASSOCIATION

7:30—Praise and Prayer ..... Rev. Vernon S. Sparrow

7:35—Announcements

7:50—Our Home Base — Slides .. Miss Elizabeth Campbell

8:10—Foreign Missions Via Home
Missions ..... Miss Faye Turnmire
Special Music ..... Lenoir First Choir

8:40—Missions in Alaska ..... Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

Friday, September 21, 1956

Central Baptist Church, Whitnel

MISSIONS

9:30—Praise and Prayer ------ Rev. George Westmoreland

9:40—Miscellaneous Business - Announcements

9:45—Church and Pastoral
Relationships ---------- Rev. J. E. Pearson

10:15—Business - Action on Constitutional Amendments

10:25—State Missions Report ---------- Mrs. Don Peek
Home Missions Report ---------- Rev. Paul Hopkins
Foreign Missions Report -------- Mrs. Ira Pritchard

10:45—Message ---------- Rev. Guy Cain

11:15—Report of Special Committee ---- Rev. J. E. Pearson

11:25—Congregational Hymn

11:30—Missionary Message ---------- Miss Faye Turnmire

12:00—Lunch

1:00—Praise and Prayer ---------- Rev. A. J. Swinson

1:05—Report on Evangelism ------- Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr.

1:15—In Memoriam ---------- Mrs. J. A. Boldin

1:20—Report on Stewardship -------- Rev. O. L. McGinnis

1:30—Report of Committees
Trustees of Associational
Property ---------- Mr. E. E. Stafford
Constitution of Churches and Ordination
of Ministers ---------- Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.
Nominating Committee ---------- Dr. J. F. Reece

1:50—Report of Historian ---------- Mr. M. C. Estes

2:00—Report of Committees
Time, Place and Preacher ------- Mr. Hill C. Lackey
Resolutions

2:10—Installation of Officers

2:15—Congregational Hymn

2:20—Missionary Message --- ---------- Mrs. J. T. McRae

2:55—Adjournment

DIRECTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

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Mr. Walter Sullivan, Vice-Moderator _____ Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
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Mr. E. D. Beach, Treasurer _____ P. O. Box 205, Lenoir, N. C.
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Mr. Floyd Annas, Sunday School Supt. __ P. O. Box 4864, Granite Falls
Mr. Clarence Prestwood, Training Union Director __ Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, W. M. U. Superintendent _____ Lenoir, N. C.
Mr. J. Malcolm Laxton, Brotherhood President ____ Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. Roy E. Holder, Superintendent of Music __ 201 Maple Dr., Lenoir
Rev. Paul Bruce, Supt. of Evangelism _____ Granite Falls, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

Miss Elizabeth Campbell _____ 428 South Main St., Lenoir, N. C.

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Mr. Frank L. Smith, Sr., Secretary _____ P. O. Box 618, Lenoir, N. C.
Mr. Walter Sullivan _____ Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Miss Elizabeth Campbell _____ 428 South Main St., Lenoir, N. C.

As provided in the constitution, each active pastor in the association and one lay-member from each church in addition to the above named officers comprise this committee. See index for list of lay-members.

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY

Mr. Walter Sullivan, Route 5, Lenoir, N. C. _____ 1957
Dr. J. F. Reece, Lenoir, N. C. _____ 1958
Mr. E. E. Stafford, Box 148, Lenoir, N. C. _____ 1959
Mr. George Hollar, 95 Archer St., Granite Falls, N. C. _____ 1960
Mr. Hill Lackey, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C. _____ 1961

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Mr. Walter Sullivan, Vice-Moderator _____ Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Mr. Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk _____ Lenoir, N. C.
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Dewey Bostian, Hudson District _____ Route 1, Hudson, N. C.
Lee Boddie, Lenoir District _____ Lenoir, N. C.
Robert Frye, Patterson District _____ Lenoir, N. C.
Gwyn Sullivan, Collettsville District _____ Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.

COUNCIL ON ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND CONSTITUTION OF CHURCHES

Ernest Moore, Granite Falls, N. C. ---------- 1957
Luther Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1958
W. L. Sorrells, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1959
J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N. C. ---------- 1960
J. E. Pearson, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C. ---------- 1961

COMMITTEES TO MAKE REPORTS IN 1957

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Home for Aging ---------- Mrs. O. R. Mangum, Lenoir, N. C.
Hospital ---------- Dr. Paul Moss, Lenoir, N. C.
Home Missions ---------- Miss Connie Annas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
Obituaries ---------- Rev. W. R. Moss, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.
Relief and Annuity ---------- Rev. Paul Hopkins, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.
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Intermediates ---------- Rev. H. H. McManus, Granite Falls
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Junior Pupils ---------- Mr. Carl Summerlin, Rt. 2, Granite Falls
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Lenoir ---------- Rev. Don Peek, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
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Supt. of Evangelism _____ Rev. Paul Bruce, Granite Falls, N. C.

Supt. of V. B. S. _____ George Hollar, Granite Falls, N. C.

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ROCKS SPRINGS — Mr. M. C. Estes, Mr. Leighton Hart, Mr. Donald Franklin.

RUFUS — Mrs. Robert Coffey, Mr. George Nichols and Mr. W. H. Moore.

SETZER CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Faw, Mr. Earl Cheek, Mr. Levi Cheek and Mrs. S. W. Andrews.

TEMPLE HILL — Miss Nettie Sweet. Miss Magie Starnes and Mrs. L. P. Davis.

UNION — Mrs. Ollie Smith, Mrs. Everette McRary, Mrs. Shirley Roberts, Mr. C. A. Bolick, Mrs. Odell McRary and Mr. Ralph McRary.

UNION GROVE — Mr. Stacy Davis, Mr. Mike Craig, Mrs. Brooks Smith, Mrs. John Bean and Mr. C. V. Harmon.

CENTRAL — Rev. Hugh Kincaid. Mr. W. C. Lutz, Mr. A. J. Parsons, Mrs. Hugh Kincaid and Bill Covington.

WHITNEL FIRST — Mrs. James Bolick, Mr. W. R. Pennell, Mrs. Lucy Keller.

WINKLER'S GROVE — Rev. Jack Holland, Mr. Henry Winkler and Mr. Ezra Miller.

WORSHIP POINT — Rev. Calude B. Suddreth and Rev. Hubert Pritchard.

YADKIN — Mrs. D. R. Collins, Mrs. Amos Greene, Mr. Amos Greene, Mrs. W. A. Suddreth and Green Miller.

YADKIN VALLEY — Mrs. Zack Clark and Mrs. Collis.

ZACKS FORK — Mrs. C. A. Stokes and Mrs. Stuart Barlow.

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Caldwell County, (and or other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.)

Section 3. Each church having 50 members or less shall be entitled to five messengers, and one additional messenger for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof; provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. In all cases the pastor shall be an ex-officio messenger.

Article II. —.Objects.

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for increasing the intelligence and spiritual power of the churches, in this way seeking to develop and direct their energies, resources, and gifts, in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the whole world.

Article III. — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational Training Union Director, and Statistician shall be elected at each regular annual meeting of the Association. The Associational Sunday School Superintendent and the Associational Training Union Director shall be elected at the same time, but nominations for these offices shall be made by theiri respective organizations meeting prior to the Association. Nominations by these groups, however, shall not preclude nominations from the floor. All officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which elected, and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall be fraternal visitor, counselor, and advisor with the churches regarding their work through the year.

He shall be elected for a one year term, and cannot succeed himself after the third consecutive term.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside in the absence of or at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches affiliated with the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment.

Section 5. The Statistician shall fill in from the church letters a digest of the records of the churches, and shall present this information in mimeographed form to each messenger present when he brings his report to the Association. We shall include other statistical data as he may deem profitable.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds raised by the Association, and shall disburse the same upon instruction by the Association or upon approval of the Moderator. He shall render an itemized report of his receipts and disbursements to the Association and to the Moderator on request.

Article IV. — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. An Associational Committee shall be composed of one lay member elected by each cooperating church, the pastor of such churches, the officers of the Association, and the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union. Twelve members of said Committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business after notice of such meeting has been given all members of the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this Committee. This Committee shall co-operate with the churches of this Association in informing them about all the causes fostered by this Association. This Committee shall act as the Association ad interim. The Moderator shall call a meeting as soon as is deemed advisable, allowing time for each church to elect its lay member.

Section 2. The committees to report at the next annual session of the Association shall be nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee at the regular time for this committee to report.

These committees shall be requested to bring brief written reports on State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Christian Education, Orphanage, Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union, Ministerial Relief and Annuity, Hospitals, Religious Literature, Temperance and Public Morals, Stewardship, Obituaries, and any other report that might be deemed necessary by the Associational Committee.

The Committees to report back at the Association in session shall be appointed by the Moderator. The committees on (1) Place and Preacher and (2) Resoltuions, (3) Committee or Petitionary Letters shall be so appointed.

Section 3. The Committee on Order of Business shall be composed of the Moderator, Clerk, and Host Pastor or Pastors. This committee shall prepare a program for the annual meeting of the Association, and present a printed suggested order of business at the beginning of the annual session.

Section 4. There shall be a finance Committee of five nominated by the Associational Nominating Committee, which will be responsible for preparing and submitting an Associational Budget to the Association for the work of the following year. It shall be the duty of this committee to secure the cooperation of the churches in raising the budget.

In case one item presented in the budget should not necessitate the use of the full amount allotted, the Finance Committee will have the authority to use the surplus funds where they may be needed.

Section 5. There shall be a nominating committee of five appointed by the Moderator at the regular meeting of the Association to report a year hence.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate Associational officers; Council on ordination of Minister's and Constitution of churches; Trustees of associational property; Convention messengers; Superintendent of Evangelism; Standing committees to report a year hence; and a Finance Committee of five.

Article V. — Constitution

This Constitution may be changed at any regular meeting of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the messengers present, on the second day only, provided notice of the change be read at the Association during the morning of the first day of the Annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene on Thursday and Friday morning following the third Sunday in September.
2. The Association year shall begin September 1 of each year, and close August 31 of the following year.
3. All questions of order shall be decided by Kerefoot's parliamentary law.
4. The written reports to this body, with the exception of that of the Association Committee, shall be limited to 300 words.
5. All newly formed churches desiring admission into the Association shall present their petitionary letters to the Association at its first session, that they may be referred to the committee on Petitionary letters. Any new church applying for membership shall be accepted under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year before being admitted into full fellowship.
6. The expenses incurred by the Clerk in printing the Minutes; the Statistician in mimeographing his report; the Committee on Order of Business, in printing their suggested program; and all promotional expenses as voted by the Association or approved by the Moderator, shall be paid by the Treasurer from the treasury of the Association.
7. At such times as this Association may be employing a Missionary, the Missionary shall be considered a member ex-officio of the Associational committee. The Associational Committee shall have supervision over the work of the missionary. In case there is a vacancy this said committee shall have authority to employ a new missionary.
8. The By-Laws may be changed at any session by vote of the majority of the members present.

ABSTRACTS OF PRINCIPLES OF THE CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. We believe in only one true and living God; and that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father; the Son, and the Holy Ghost—and that these three are one.
2. We believe that the Bible—the Old and New Testament—is the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and in the sovereignty of the Lord Jesus Christ.
4. We believe that a Church is a company of believers, baptized on a profession of their faith in Christ, united in covenant to maintain the ordinances of the Gospel, and the public worship of God; to live godly lives, and to spread abroad the knowledge of Christ as the Savior of men. We further believe that a Baptist Church is a spiritual democracy under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that baptism is the immersion of a believer in water, on the profession of his faith in Christ, and that such is the only form of baptism in the New Testament.
6. We believe that every church and every disciple is under special bonds to Christ to aid in carrying out His Great Commission, namely, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature."
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the saints of grace to glory.
8. We believe that the existence of the righteous and of the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

PROCEEDINGS

Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association

Thursday Morning Session

Lower Creek Church, Lenoir, N. C.

1. Delegates from 62 of the 66 churches of the association were present for the opening session. Nearly 500 delegates and guests were in attendance. Mr. Roy Holder, associational chorister led in the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" and "Crown Him With Many Crowns." Mrs. Dewey Annas accompanied at the piano.

Rev. N. R. Black, pastor of Pleasant Hill Church conducted the Praise and Prayer session.

Mr. J. Malcolm Laxton, moderator for the past three years called the 72nd annual session to order.

2. On motion of Rev. Robert Frye and seconded by Rev. L. E. Snipes, all delegates in attendance and those to attend later sessions would constitute a working body for transacting business.

3. A printed program for the various sessions was presented by the clerk. The program was adopted.

4. The moderator announced the following committees:

PETITIONARY LETTERS
Rev. Don L. Peek, Chairman
Rev. W. R. Moss
Mr. G. G. Steele

PLACE AND PREACHER
Mr. Hill C. Lackey, Chairman
Rev. Cecil Arney
Mrs. Dewey Annas

RESOLUTIONS
Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman
Rev. L. J. Culler
Rev. Paul Bruce

5. New pastors within the association were presented:
Rev. Dean Harold, Cedar Rock
Rev. Robert Marshblank, Clover
Rev. H. C. Coffey, East Hudson
Rev. Ambrose Singley, Baton
Rev. Hugh Kincaid, Central
Rev. Paul Bruce, Granite Falls First
Rev. W. H. Cardwell, Grandview Park

6. Among the visitors recognized were M. H. Kindall, Mars Hill College; Jack Bagwell and Guy Cain, State Baptist Convention, Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Stroup, South Mountain Association; Rev. and Mrs. Rex West, Three Forks Association; Rev. and Mrs. Phil Elliot, Bolling Springs College; Rev. Grant, Mills Homes.
J. M. Hays, Supt. N. C. Home for the Aging; Rev. Horace Grant, Mills Homes; and Rev. W. K. McGee, Baptist Hospital.

7. A written report and message was graciously received from the Associational Missionary, Miss Elizabeth Campbell. On motion the report was adopted.

THE MISSIONARY REPORTS 1955-1956

"Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God." I John 4:7

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." Romans 1:16

"For the Scripture saith, whosoever believeth on Him shall not be ashamed." "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach, except they be sent? As it is written, how beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!" Romans 10:11, 13-15.

1. Baton — Taught S. S. Class, spoke for 2 worship services on Holy Land trip, taught "World Within A World" and "The Tribes Go Up."

2. Bethany — Helped in Vacation Bible School.

3. Blairs Fork — Spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip, helped plan and spoke for Morning Worship for dedication of church, taught "World Within A World" and "The Tribes Go Up."

4. Buffalo Cove — Spoke for Evening Worship on Holy Land trip, provided worker for Vacation Bible School.

5. Calvary — Taught T. U. study "Young People's Administration," Mission Study "World Within A World."

6. Cedar Rock — Taught mission study "The Tribes Go Up," spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip; provided help for Vacation Bible School.

7. Center Grove — Taught Mission Study "World Within A World."

8. Central — Taught G. A. Mission Study "Lives In Papago Land," W. M. S. "World Within A World," Sunday School Bible Study "Teachings of Jesus" in the Sermon On the Mount, spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip, attended 2 Worship Services, helped in Vacation Bible School.

9. Clarks Chapel — Spoke for Morning Worship and Prayer Service on Holy Land trip, helped in Vacation Bible School.

10. Clear View — Attended Sunday School and Worship, spoke few words, met three times with the women in the interest of a Missionary Society.

11. Clover — Had part in service when new pastor came, and when old pastor left, spoke for Worship Service on Holy Land trip; taught "World Within A World."

12. College Avenue — Spoke W. M. S. Circle and for general meeting on Holy Land trip. Attended Evening Worship, Associational Training Union "M" night meeting, Sunday School Mass Meeting, G. A. Rally - 359 in attendance, Seminary Extension Course.

13. Concord — Taught "The Church Using the Sunday School," "The Challenge of Church Membership," "World Within A World," V. B. S. Committee Meeting.

14. Conways Chapel — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

15. Dudley Shoals — Spoke for Evening Worship on Holy Land trip, Evening Worship Southern Baptist Convention, helped in Vacation Bible School, taught Mission Study "World Within A World" and "The Tribes Go Up."

16. East Flat — Taught Sunday School Class, spoke to entire group.

17. Edgemont — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke Prayer meeting, Evening Worship spoke on Holy Land trip.

18. Flemings Chapel — Taught Mission Study "World Within A World," "The Tribes Go Up," spoke on Holy Land trip for evening worship.

19. Globe — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

20. Grandview Park — Provided Vacation Bible School help.

21. Grandin — Taught "World Within A World," "The Tribes Go Up."

22. Granite Falls First — Prayer Service, gave Circle program, attended another Circle meeting, S. S. Class party, taught "World Within A World," showed pictures of Holy Land trip to all the youth organizations; Associational Sunday School meeting - 308 in attendance. Attended 2 Morning Worship Services.

23. Green Rock — Taught Sunday School Class, spoke during worship service, Prayer Service showed pictures of Holy Land trip, provided V. B. S. help.

24. Green Valley — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke for Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

25. Harris Chapel —

26. Hartland — Spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip, spoke for Mother-Daughter Banquet, taught mission study "World Within A World" and "The Tribes Go Up."

27. Hibriten — Spoke for Evening Worship on Holy Land trip, helped to get workers for their Vacation Bible School.

28. High View — Helped in Vacation Bible School 1 night, and helped plan for same. Spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

29. Hudson First — Taught Training Union Study "World Within A World," and showed Holy Land pictures during the week, taught "The Tribes Go Up," gave a W. M. S. program, spoke to G. A.'s, attended Associational S. S. Meeting 239 attendance.

30. Johns River — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip, taught Sunday School Class, spoke to all.

31. Joyceton — Organized W. M. S., taught officers their duties, attended 2 meetings, attended 2 prayer services, showed pictures of Holy Land trip, taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up."

32. Kings Creek — Spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

33. Lenoir First — Program 2 Circles, Worship 8 times, spoke for Brotherhood meeting, to the Intermediate Training Union, attended Revival Services, Sunday School Class, W. M. S. program twice, S. S. Class party, Deacons Dinner, spoke W. M. S. and showed pictures of Holy Land trip, Christmas day service, Association Meetings - Youth Night, W. M. U. Leadership Conference, Sunday School Training course - 300 plus enrolled, T. U. meeting, Hymn Sing, Executive Council Meetings, taught to W. M. S. "The Tribes Go Up."

34. Longford — Homecoming, spoke Evening Worship twice, Morning Worship 1, taught G. A. Mission Study "Mission Doctor."

35. — Lovelady — Attended Sunday School and Worship Service.

36. — Lower Creek — attended Community Sing, Evening Worship, Prayer Service, Associational Meetings - T. U. elimination contest, R. A. Conclave - showed pictures of Holy Land trip - 252 in attendance, Executive Committee meeting, regular Associational Meeting spoke on Baptist World Alliance.

37. Maple Grove — Helped in Vacation Bible School, showed pictures of Holy Land trip.

38. Miller Hill — Taught Mission Study "World Within A World," provided V. B. S. help.

39. — Mt. Zion — Taught Mission Study "World Within A World," spoke Evening Worship (2) on Holy Land trip, Associational Meeting, Associational Executive Committee meeting.

40. Mountain Grove — Training Union and Evening Worship, gave program for Week of Prayer, taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up."

41. Mountain View — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up," Evening Worship spoke and showed pictures of Holy Land trip.

42. Mulberry — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke in interest of W. M. S. twice, spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

43. Mulvale — Taught W. M. S. year book, Officer's Duties, "The Tribes Go Up," and "World Within A World," S. S. Class, spoke for Morning and Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

44. Nelsons Chapel — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught "The Tribes Go Up," attended Sunday School, spoke for Morning and Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

45. New Hope — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught mission studies "The Tribes Go Up" and "World Within A World," spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

46. Oak Grove — Taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up," spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

47. Piney Grove — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke for Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

48. Pisgah — Taught S. S. Class, Worship, provided help for Vacation Bible School.

49. Pleasant Hill — Spoke to W. M. S. and Young People concerning G. A.'s.

50. Pooveys Chapel — Taught "World Within A World," Evening Worship spoke on Holy Land trip.

51. Pooveys Grove — Attended G. A. Banquet; spoke Evening Worship (2) on Holy Land trip, taught Mission Study "World Within A World."

52. Rhodhiss — Taught "World Within A World, spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

53. Rocky Springs — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught "The Church Using the Sunday School."

54. Rufus — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

55. Setzers Creek — Showed Indian filmstrip to W. M. S., taught "World Within A World," spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

56. Temple Hill — Organized W. M. S., instructed officers, spoke Evening Worship (2) on Holy Land trip, helped get workers for Vacation Bible School.

57. Temple Missionary — Helped in Vacation Bible School.

58. Union — Taught Mission Study "World Within A World," Y. W. A.'s "Among the Minarets," Y. W. A. program - Holy Land pictures, spoke Prayer Service on Holy Land trip, Y. W. A. installation of officers and presentations of Bibles, W. M. S. social, Associational Sunbeam Rally 170 in attendance.

59. Union Grove — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught Mission Studies "World With In A World," "The Tribes Go Up," spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

60. West Lenoir — Taught mission study "World Within A World," provided V. B. S. helper.

61. Whitnel First — Installed W. M. S. officers, spoke on Holy Land trip.

62. Winklers Grove — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke Evening Worship on Holy Land trip.

63. Worship Point — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up," spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

64. Yadkin — Taught Y. W. A. "Among the Minarets," spoke for Morning Worship on Holy Land trip. had part in service upon entering new building, Worship Service, Associational T. U. meeting.

65. Yadkin Valley — Helped in Vacation Bible School, spoke for Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

66. Zacks Fork — Helped in Vacation Bible School, taught Mission Study "The Tribes Go Up," spoke Prayer Service on Holy Land trip.

Other meetings in Association participated in:

Associational Y. W. A. banquet - 225 in attendance; chapel programs or school programs - spoke on Holy Land trip - Collettsville, Valmead (2), Gamewell, Whitnel (2), Kings Creek; Hudson Methodist Church — spoke on Holy Land trip; Beattie Memorial Presbyterian Church — Spoke on Holy Land Trip; Quest Club — Program twice on Holy Land trip; State Associational Missionaries Officers Meeting my house.

Meetings outside the Association attended and participated in:

Associational Missionaries Conference, Caswell, vice president of state organization; Camp Butler — Counselor and Bible Study period for Wilkesboro Regional G. A. Camp; Gaston Associational S. S. meeting — East Gastonia Baptist Church — Spoke in interest of Associational Missions.

W. M. U. and Southern Baptist Convention Meetings, Kansas City, Mo., Sunday School and Morning Worship on way home at Corden, Illinois; W. M. U. Executive Council Meeting, Raleigh; Sandy Run Vacation Bible School Clinic, Forest City, 2 days; Glenville — Hamburg Church — Spoke on Holy Land trip; Newton First — Spoke Mother-Daughter Banquet on Holy Land trip; Hickory First — Spoke Mother-Daughter Banquet on Holy Land trip, also to general W. M. S. meeting on trip; Nursery-Beginner-Primary Conference, Training Union, Charlotte.

Brushy Mountain Vacation Bible School Clinic; Regional Training Union meeting, Elkin; spoke for South Mountain Sunday School Mass meeting on Vacation Bible School; State W. M. U. Convention, Winston-Salem; Toast Baptist Church, spoke on Holy Land trip; Sunday School regional meeting, North Wilkesboro; Presbyterian First, Hickory, spoke to Sunday School Class on Holy Land trip; Evangelistic Conference, Winston-Salem; Fruitland — State V. B. S. Clinic; Training Union Enlargement Campaign, Pee Dee Association, worked in Ellerbee Church; Y. W. A. Houseparty, First Baptist Church, Charlotte; Sunday School State Clinic, Durham First Baptist Church.

Regional Training Union Officers Meeting, Elkin; meeting of Associational Missionaries, Fruitland; spoke to Chesterfield P.T.A. — Burke County — showed Holy Land pictures; Baptist State Convention, Asheville; Walnut Grove Baptist Church, Brushy Mountain Association, Holy Land pictures; W. M. U. Divisional meeting, Boone, on program; Mt. Calvary W. M. S. banquet, Morganton, showed Holy Land pictures.

Taylorsville First, Associational Central Training Union Study, taught 3 nights; Three Forks Associational Mission Study Cove Creek Church - "World Within A World;" Penelope, Hickory, Mission Study - showed Holy Land pictures; Hickory First — Week of Dedication of church - attended 2 services; W. M. U. Executive Committee Meeting, North Wilkesboro; Associational Sunday School Officers Meeting, Rutherfordton.

8. Rev. W. Walter Jones, host pastor welcomed delegates and guests.

9. Reports from associational officers were read. The reports on motion and seconded were adopted and made a part of the records. Speaking to the reports were Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt and Rev. Jack Bagwell. The reports follow in order.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

In our Training Union work we have had a prosperous and successful year. In Caldwell Association we have 66 churches. 49 of these churches have Training Unions. This leaves us 17 churches without Training Unions. Four new Training Unions have been organized this year. They are Pisgah, Clear View, Temple Hill, and Calvary.

Through July of this year we had 1,947 awards. 313 more than last year.

"M" Night, December 5th, 1955, was very successful. We had 40 churches represented. 30 pastors and 31 directors.

On October 7th, we launch out into our Training Union Enlargement Campaign which we feel will make even a better year in Training Union.

This coming year we want to have a Training Union in every church in our Association, which leaves us 17 churches to work for.

Respectfully submitted,
Clarence W. Prestwood

CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

A Brotherhood is a group of consecrated Christian men, preferably all of the men in a Missionary Baptist Church seventeen years old and above who have banded themselves together for the sole purpose of promoting the full program of their church and denomination. The Brotherhood is built upon four cornerstones: Evangelism, Stewardship, Bible Doctrine and Church Loyalty.

In North Carolina we have approximately 1100 Brotherhoods with an enrollment of more than 40,000.

In the Caldwell Association the Brotherhood enrollment for the past three years is as follows:

1954	505
1955	790
1956	842

Our 1956 total enrollment for Brotherhood and the R. A.'s is 1160, which represents 30 churches.

In 1957 our state secretary, Horace Easom, plans to give much time in the Caldwell Association to the support and promotion of the Brotherhood movement.

Every church in the Caldwell Association needs an active Brotherhood. Can we reach this goal in 1957?

Respectfully submitted,
A. J. Parsons

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The seed of the Gospel is being planted in the hearts and lives of our ever increasing number of men, women, boys and girls in the Caldwell Association. Better trained officers and teachers are carrying out the Church's God-given task of winning the lost to Christ, and leading the saved to acknowledge the Lordship of Christ in daily living.

Your associational organization is striving to help every church have a better Sunday School through increased evangelism and enlargement, training, and adopting worthy goals. The four quarterly meetings held this year were well attended with an average attendence of 251. Many workers trained in the group and central training school that were held in the association. Our total Sunday School training awards for the year are expected to exceed 1,000. We are now reporting an enrollment of 15,973 in our 66 churches and their missions. The progress of these churches has been and will continue to be directly proportionate to their participation in the suggested program of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board, brought to the local church through your State Sunday School Department and your Associational Sunday School organization.

Our theme for the coming year is: "JESUS ONLY — His Purpose — His Compassion — His Methods — Shall Be the Measure of our Sunday School Work."

Respectfully submitted,
Floyd Annas,
Associational Sunday School Supt.

ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The record of our growth in spirit, in knowledge, and in gifts to missions is evidence that the work of the Woman's Missionary Union in the Caldwell Association has experienced one of its best years

during 1956. During the year two new societies were organized leaving only 16 churches in the Association which report no missionary program for the women. Under the fine leadership of our Youth Director, Miss Connie Annas, who was supported by an active group of leaders, fourteen new Young Peoples organizations were begun. As a result of these efforts, the Woman's Missionary Union of the Caldwell Baptist Association was one of three associations which were recognized at the State W. M. U. Convention for reaching an enlistment goal. Even so we shall continue to pray and work toward that time when our Association can report that we are one hundred percent in W. M. U. organizations.

The special offerings received through the W. M. U. continue to show an increase. The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions totaled $13,916.12. The Annie Armstrong offering for Home Missions amounted to $2,152.91. The smallest offering was the $409.24 received for the Heck Jones special. The amount of $664.31 was given for State Missions.

The grand total of these special offerings received through the W. M. U. amounted to $17,022.58.

The attendance records at our several associational meetings indicate a steady growth. The 233 women who attended the annual meeting of the W. M. U. last March represented thirty-five of the churches in our Association. The Y. W. A. banquet last February was enjoyed by 225. The G. A. Rally in May was attended by 367. A total of 170 were present for the Sunbeam Rally in August. We look forward to the R. A. Conclave in November when we expect 275 Royal Ambassadors to attend.

The spiritual side of our work will be emphasized as we launch our program for the new year. Through this effort we pray that the members of W. M. U. will be brought closer to the real purpose of our organization — the winning of the lost throughout the world for Christ. "For the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea."

Shall we, whose souls are lighted
With wisdom from on high,
Shall we to men benighted,
The lamp of life deny?
Salvation! O Salvation!
The joyful sounds proclaim,
Till earth's remotest nation
Has learned Messiah's Name.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt
Associational Superintendent
Woman's Missionary Union

The congregation sang "Lead On O King Eternal" and "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone."

10. A report of a special committee appointed at the last quarterly meeting was read by Rev. J. E. Pearson, chairman. On motion the report was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY PLANS FOR A MISSIONS COMMITTEE FOR CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The undersigned committee was asked by the Executive Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association, at the last quarterly meeting, to study the work of an Associational Missions Committee, and report on the matter to this annual session of the Association. The following plan is submitted for consideration:

The Missions Committee

This committee shall be a sub-committee of the Executive Committee of the Association. It will be organized by the Executive Committee; it will report to the Executive Committee; and the work of this committee will be ratified by the Executive Committee.

It shall be composed of one Executive Committee member from each district of the association; the heads of the associational organizations, the Sunday School, the Training Union, the W. M. U. and the Brotherhood; the president of the pastors conference; and the chairman of the music committee. The Moderator and the Associational Missionary of the Association shall be ex-officio members of the Missions Committee.

Functions of the Missions Committee

1. To coordinate and help promote through the organizations and committees all phases and activities of the associational program. This includes Sunday School, Training Union, W. M. U., Brotherhood, Pastors Conference, Seminary Extension Center, Music Committee, other sub-committees of the Executive Committee, and/or any other organizations or committees to be formed.

2. To make use of all possible aid from local churches in making surveys of areas which, in the opinion of the Missions Committee, is not being adequately served by local Missionary Baptist churches; to determine the need for, and to promote and develop new Missionary Baptist work in those areas; to study undeveloped phases of Missions work, such as work among minority groups — the Blind, the Silent People, Migratory Workers, Language Groups, or any other groups among whom this committee could help meet spiritual needs — and to promote and develop those new phases of the Missions Program.

3. To act as an Advisory Committee in matters related to the successful discharge of duties pertaining to the office of Associational Missionary.

4. To provide information and assistance to the Department of State Missions of the North Carolina State Baptist Convention in meeting local missionary needs, such as missionary pastor's assistance, promotion of missions causes, etc.

5. To consult with and give guidance and aid to churches anticipating membership in the association.

Meetings

The Missions Committee shall meet prior to the meetings of the Executive Committee of the Association, or at any other times necessary to discharge its duties.

September 20, 1956.

Rev. J. E. Pearson, Chm.
Rev. John Carter
Rev. Robert Frye
Rev. W. L. Sorrells

11. A new constitution was presented by Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., chairman of a committee consisting of Dr. Cashwell, Rev. Ernest Moore and Rev. Paul Hopkins. They were appointed to make a study and recommend to the annual session a new constitution or changes. The report was laid over for action to the second day of the association. (Note: On the recommendation of the Committee and motion by W. W. Jones and seconded the moderator requested that the committee make a further study and report to the next annual assembly which will meet at Yadkin church) in September 1957.

12. Rev. Don Peek read Ephesians 6, verses 10-19 and offered prayer, after which Rev. Paul Hopkins delivered the annual sermon.

The assembly adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Lower Creek Church

13. The afternoon session was called to order by the moderator. Mr. Roy Holder, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Charles Haas led in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers." Rev. Lawrence Miller conducted the praise and prayer session, reading from Ephesians sixth chapter.

14. Mrs. J. H. Craig read the report on Ministry to the Aging. On motion to adopt the report was spoken to by Rev. J. M. Hayes, superintendent of the N. C. Baptist Homes. The report was adopted.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

The homes are in their sixth, and greatest, year of operation.

Construction of the administration and dormitory building began in February. It should be completed by the end of the year, and ready for occupancy by February 1, 1957.

North Carolina Baptists have good reason to be proud of this new building, which, when completed and equipped, will add one-half million dollars to the total value of the Homes.

The added facilities of the new building will make it possible to care for 100 residents—20, at Resthaven, 36 at Albemarle Home, and 44 in the new building.

The Special Day offering this year, to date, is $88,400.03, including personal and corporation gifts. This amount will be increased by churches late in reporting their gifts. It is encouraging to know that the number of churches responding increases each year.

Resthaven and the Albemarle Home have been filled to capacity. When a vacancy occurs, which is rare, there is always a waiting list.

There has been a large number of building memorial gifts. They ranged from $300 to $3,000 — $300 to furnish, $1,000 to endow, and $3,000 to pay cost of constructing a room.

A trustee, Mr. Don G. Matthews of Hamilton, gave, in addition to $3,000 to construct a room in the new building, $1,378 to pay cost of excavating a lake on the grounds of the new building.

Your homes are putting forth their best efforts to render a ministry of security, comfort, congeniality, and Christian love to our residents.

North Carolina Baptists should keep in mind that their special offering and the share of the nine-year program received by the homes help to make this ministry possible to all who come to the homes, and, especially, to a large number who could not come but for such help.

There are some rooms left to be memorialized. Also, a limited number of cottages may be built on the Park Road site. If interested, contact James M. Hayes, General Superintendent, N. C. Baptist Homes, Kentucky Avenue, Winston-Salem, N. C.

"Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth." (Psalm 71:9).

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. H. Craig

15. Mr. G. G. Steele read a report on "Our Ministry to the Orphans." Rev. Horace Grant spoke to the report. The report was adopted.

THE ORPHANAGE REPORT

During the year of 1955 the Orphanage received 824 applications for the care of needy children, but could admit only 137 of them. In 1955 there were 58% more applications than in 1950. Thus the need based on the number of applications, grows greater each year. Last year the orphanage cared for a total of 736 children or 23 more than the year before. The increase was in foster home care and was made possible by an increase in the Thanksgiving offering.

Last year for the first time the orphanage received part of its support through the cooperative program. About ten percent of the total income was given through this channel. Most of the churches continue to place the orphanage in their budgets or else take the once-a-month offering in the Sunday School. Let us remember that the amount received from the above plans and cooperative program is fixed and will be the same amount each year. Therefore the only way for the orphanage to get more money to meet the ever increasing needs for child care is through a greater Thanksgiving offering.

During the past year a new church building and a parsonage have been completed at Kennedy Home. These are buildings of which every Baptist can be proud. A contract will be let this fall for a boy's cottage and a swimming pool at Kennedy Home. Bear in mind that all of these buildings are erected with special gifts or bequests.

We are sure our orphanage publication, Charity and Children, is now making a greater contribution to our Baptist program than ever before. Today more than 51,000 copies are mailed out each week. These are filled with information about some phase of our Baptist program. Each church should be getting a good number of these papers for its members.

Let us urge each pastor and superintendent to give our people an opportunity to make a more liberal Thanksgiving offering this year, to enable the orphanage to care for more children in a better way.

Respectfully submitted,
G. G. Steele, Orphanage Representative

16. A report on Ministers Retirement was read by Rev. Paul Bruce for Rev. Ernest Moore. On motion the report was adopted.

RELIEF AND ANNUITY BOARD

The Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention now has a new executive secretary, having elected Dr. R. Alton Reed after the death of the former executive secretary, Dr. Walter R. Alexander.

The past year has seen growth in plans reached and an all-time high growth in financial strength. There is still one dark spot in the financial year because of the failure of states to provide sufficient funds for administration of the relief benefits.

The relief responsibility which the states delegated to Relief and Annuity Board is financed through special offerings of gifts, and through the cooperative program. This is separate and distinct from the annuity division, which is supported through the member and church dues and through interest earnings as well as earnings on investments. These dues, held in reserve for future security of annuitants, make up the largest percentage of Relief and Annuity assets.

Old ministers and widows in North Carolina received last year more than $24,000.00.

The assets of the Relief and Annuity Board continue to grow and are now more than 42 million dollars.

There is only one plan in all the states in which new members can join, and that is the Southern Baptist Protection plan. All ministers wishing to transfer to the above plan must do so before January 1, 1957. The Ministers Retirement Plan, which North Carolina only had, was closed to new members as of January 1, 1956. All new members in North Carolina must now join the Southern Baptist Protection Plan.

Even though ministers may sign up for Social Security until January 1957, all ministers having a ministers retirement plan should continue to hold it. It would be fine if every minister could have both, especially those who have children under age.

The Relief and Annuity Board now has a new plan called "Family Benefit Endorsement." This is a low-cost death benefit to protect the family.

Respectfully submitted,
Ernest W. Moore

17. The report on the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem was presented by Rev. L. R. Davis. Rev. W. K. McGee of the hospital spoke to the report. On motion the report was adopted.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

The year 1955 was the best in service our Baptist Hospital has ever had. Our churches gave the largest Mother's Day offering they have ever made, and the hospital was able to serve more sick people than ever before. More than 115,000 days of bed-patient care were rendered to almost 15,000 sick people, and more than 100,000 visits were made to the clinics and offices of the medical staff.

The new x-ray department is one example of improvement. Just recently, three new type x-ray machines have been installed at a cost of over $30,000. A small concrete building is now under construction to house a cobalt machine, which is much more safe and much more effective in the treatment of certain types of cancer than any x-ray machines now being used. The cost of this will be $75,000. No other hospital in North Carolina has equipment equal to these new machines. We now have the best x-ray department in the South. The doctor who heads the department is one of the outstanding radiologists in America.

Regular services are being held in the beautiful new chapel which was opened in June. We now have a fine specialist for testing and advising those who have defective hearing. A highly skilled plastic surgeon is joining our staff this fall. Our Baptist Hospital is trying to stay in the forefront in providing for our people the best there is available in medical service.

The most urgently needed new facilities are a new nurses home, in order that the nursing school may be enlarged, and additional parking facilities. Anyone who has visited the hospital recently is probably

aware of the serious parking problem, and the nursing school need is equally acute.

Such medical service as is provided by our Baptist Hospital cannot be made available without great cost. All who can possibly do so should carry hospital insurance with a reliable company. Those of us who can pay for our medical care must do so. Then we need to give generously through our Mother's Day offering to help care for those who cannot care for themselves.

59 churches gave $3,405.33 — 1955, $3,629.08 — 7 churches did not give.

Respectfully submitted
L. R. Davis

18. Mr. Frank L. Smith, Sr. read the Statistical Report for Mr. B. B. Byers. On motion the report was adopted.

STATISTICAL REPORT

We submit for your consideration the following significant facts as revealed in the complete statistical tables found in the minutes for the year ending August 31, 1956.

	1954	1955	1956	
Baptisms	790	706	618	
Church Membership	15,652	16,302	16,891	589 gain
Sunday School Enrollment	14,998	15,358	15,973	615 gain
B. T. U. Enrollment	4,151	4,115	6,332	665 gain
W. M. U. Enrollment	2,504	2,550	2,824	274 gain
Brotherhood Enrollment	505	790	1,160	370 gain
Mission Gifts	$108,577.00	$106,758.00	128,691.00	
Total Gifts	$588,345.00	$644,390.00	$727,472.11	
Cr. New Bldgs. and Eq.		$107,475.14	$153,961.75	

Respectfully submitted,
B. B. Byers,
Statistician

19. The report on Public Morals and Temperance was read by Rev. Paul R. Morrow. On motion to adopt the report was discussed by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

PUBLIC MORALS AND TEMPERANCE REPORT

I would like to begin my report by quoting the last three verses of the thirteenth chapter of Romans. "The night is far spent the day is at hand, let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light; let us walk honestly, as in the day not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and wantonness, not in strife and envying, but put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh to fulfill the lusts thereof."

Temperance is too large a subject to discuss thoroughly, therefore I shall confine my reports to alcoholic beverages which I consider our number one enemy.

Would you like to know how much we are spending in North Carolina for alcohol?

Here are the facts and figures:

Every tick of the clock, every second	$ 10.67
Every Minute	640.25
Every Hour	33,415.38
Every Eight-Hour Day	307,323.05
Every Month, 26 Days	95,884,793.32

What are we North Carolina Baptists going to do about this condition? There are as many Baptists in North Carolina as all other denominations put together. Therefore ours is the greater responsibility. The year 1955 and 1956 are gone, but the years 1957 and 1958 are yet to come if the world stands that long.

In Matthew, chapter 7, verse 7, we have these words, "Ask and it shall be given you, seek and ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you."

Do we believe this? May we rise as one man and with God's help put a stop to this liquor traffic that is destroying our young manhood and womanhood. If we not do, may God have mercy on our souls at the day of judgment.

I close with these words. God give us men. A time like this demands strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Morrow

20. A report on Christian Education was read by Rev. Paul Bruce for Rev. Thomas B. Flowe. On motion to adopt the report Dr. Phil L. Elliott of Bolling Springs College and Dr. M. H. Kindall of Mars Hill College made short addresses. The report was adopted.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The pronounced emphasis which Baptists have always placed upon Christian Education is expressive of our desire and obligation to carry out the teaching of the Master. We hear Him saying to His disciples, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the father, and the son, and the holy ghost: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always even unto the end of the world." Jesus himself was the greatest proponent of Christian Education on record. Twice in this passage, which we call the Great Commission, we are commanded to teach. Jesus' method of dealing with his disciples was a three-fold nature. He first called them into service, next He taught them as to the work they were to do, and then sent them out to do their work in accordance with his instruction.

We as Baptists believe in an educated ministry, and by supporting our fine Christian schools and colleges we are offering to our young men and women the finest and best in Christian Education, but at the same time and in the same degree, are we interested in an education laity, believing that the layman who has received an education in a

Christian school will be a far better and more competent worker in his church and in promoting the work of The Kingdom in general. Therefore we believe that Paul's admonition to Timothy to study in order that he might develop into that workman that "Needeth not be ashamed" was advice to be heeded by all Christians everywhere.

The marvelous progress which has been made in education in America, began in and through the churches. In the early days of our civilization when school houses were few and far between, many of our church buildings were opened up for school purposes. Our fathers, although themselves uneducated, saw the overwhelming need of a Christian education for their children and their neighbor's children.

As we think of world conditions today, and as we stop to consider the turmoil in our nation, and the dark picture which faces us regarding the future and world peace, we are overwhelmed with the conviction that our one and only hope, in the proper adjustment of our problems is in Christ and His program and Christian Education is a vital part of that program.

We point with pride to our North Carolina Baptist schools and colleges, they are all doing magnificent work, always striving to improve in building and enlargement in order that they might be able to accommodate the great hosts of young men and women who each year are knocking for admittance at their doors. All our institutions are crowded to capacity, and are in urgent need of more adequate physical equipment. This need will be met in proportion to our interest in these institutions, and in the measure that we contribute through special gifts and also through the cooperative program.

We realize fully that if our institutions are to grow and expand that they must have financial support through the Cooperative Program, as well as by special donations from time to time, but we also realize that in addition to this they should have our thorough cooperation, our loyal support, and our earnest prayers, to the end that they may remain true to the high ideals for which they were founded, and that the emphasis be placed not only on education but with definite emphasis on Christian Education.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Thomas B. Flowe

21. The report on Religious Literature was read by Mrs. G. M. Icenhour. After a discussion by Rev. C. W. Bazemore the report was adopted.

1956 REPORT ON BIBLICAL RECORDER AND BAPTIST LITERATURE

The Apostle Paul said, "Give attention to reading." He knew them, as we know today, that God's people must read to strengthen their faith, to increase their knowledge, to open their vision, to inspire their

GROUP 1 — COLLETTSVILLE

1 - Conways Chapel
2 - Edgemont
3 - Globe
4 - Green Valley
5 - Johns River
6 - Maple Grove
7 - Mulberry
8 - Mulvale
9 - Mountain View
10 - Rocky Springs
11 - Rufus
12 - Worship Point

GROUP 2 — PATTERSON

13 - Bethany
14 - Buffalo Cove
15 - Green Rock
16 - Longford
17 - Nelsons Chapel
18 - Piney Grove
19 - Setzers Creek
20 - Yadkina
21 - Yadkin Valley

GROUPE 3 — LENOIR NORTH

22 - Blairs Fork
23 - Calvary
24 - Cedar Rock
25 - Grandin
26 - Kings Creek
27 - Lenoir First
28 - Lower Creek
29 - Liberty
30 - Livingston Memorial
31 - New Hope
32 - Temple Missionary
33 - Zacks Fork

GROUP4 — LENOIR SOUTH

34 - College Avenue
35 - East Flat
36 - Flemings Chapel
37 - Grandview Park
38 - Hartland
39 - Pisgah
40 - Union
41 - West Lenoir
42 - Central
43 - Hibriten
44 - Miller Hill
45 - Whitnel First

GROUP 5 — HUDSON

46 - Center Grove
47 - Clark's Chapel
48 - Clear View
49 - Harris Chapel
50 - Hudson East
51 - Hudson First
52 - Joyceton
53 - Mt. Zion
54 - Pleasent Hill
55 - Pooveys Chapel
56 - Union Grove

GROUP 6 — GRANITE FALLS

57 - Baton
58 - Clover
59 - Concord
60 - Dudley Shoals
61 - Granite Falls First
62 - Lovelady
63 - Mtn. Grove
64 - Oak Grove
65 - Pooveys Grove
66 - Rhodhiss
67 - Temple Hill
68 - Winklers Grove

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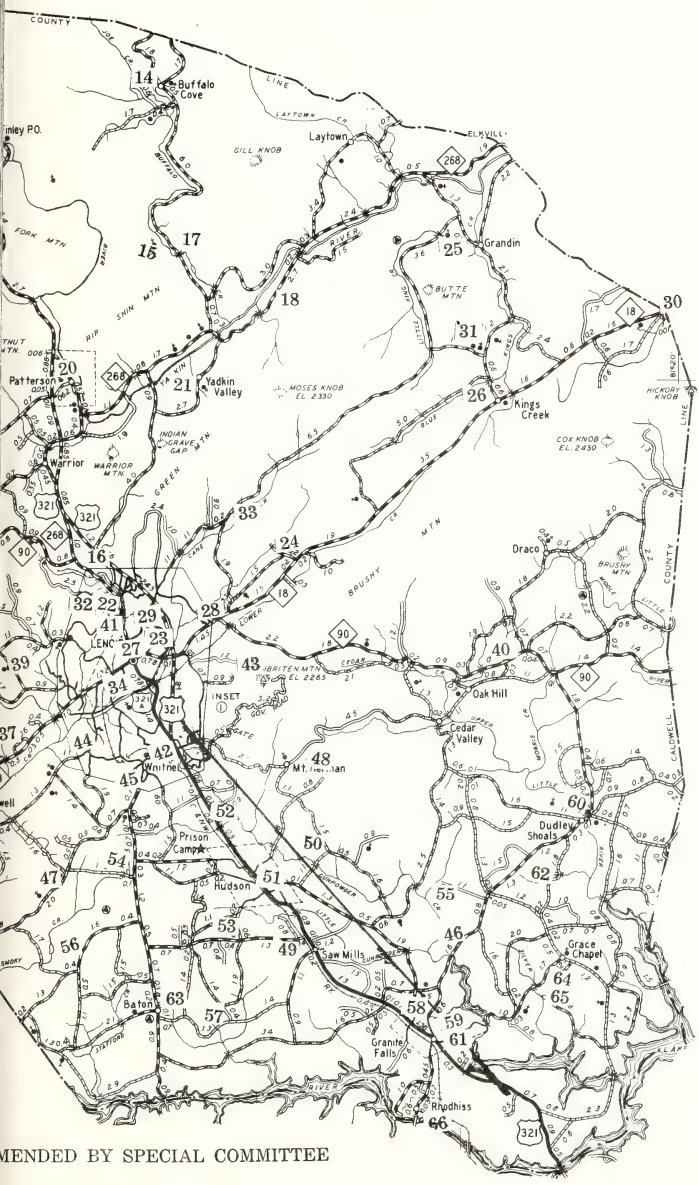
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- PAVED ROAD—HIGH TYPE
- BITUMINOUS SURFACED ROAD—B.S.T.
- METAL SURFACED ROAD
- SOIL SURFACED ROAD
- GRADED AND DRAINED ROAD
- UNIMPROVED ROAD
- PRIMITIVE ROAD
- RAILROAD
- SCHOOL
- 1 CHURCH
- TRIANGULATION STATION
- FOREST SERVICE LOOKOUT STATION



MENDED BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE

minds. Christian literature must forever be dedicated to the furtherance of the Gospel and the work of the Lord through His people and His churches. The swelling tide of bad literature has come to deceive all who will buy, read and absorb the insidious poison. Most of it has fine covers and attractive print as it bedecks every news stand, and lures every heedless person to take and read. To stem this ugly tide is the solid array of well printed, sound Christian periodicals, books and other good literature to meet every age and interest.

Baptists ought to make much use of Christian literature; printed words can get into many places where spoken words cannot reach. It must be read, promoted, and used by our people in their homes and churches, if the whole program of Christ is to be fully carried out in Baptist unity and strength. There is no other means by which so many people can be reached so completely, so constantly, so cheaply and so successfully as through the Baptist state paper. The late Dr. George W. Truett has said, "It is a tragedy for any Baptist family to fail to receive and read regularly the State Baptist paper."

The promotion of Missions, Education, Social Service, and the distribution of sound religious literature was the main purpose of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. The Recorder has borne the message of Baptist life and progress in our state. It ought to be in every Baptist home. Find out about the Recorder's three subscription plan. For no Baptists can keep well informed about Baptist work unless he reads his State Baptist paper. We must all work together in the will of God as we strive to promote every cause dear to the hearts of our Baptist people.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. G. M. Icenhour

An offering of $86.25 was taken as a gift to Miss Faye Turnmyre.

22. On motion the afternoon session adjourned to meet at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Lenoir. Prayer was offered by Rev. S. M. Stroupe.

NIGHT SESSION

First Baptist Church

23. The night session was held with the First Baptist Church. Rev. Vernon Sparrow conducted the devotional reading from the 10th chapter of Romans. Prayer was offered by Rev. Sparrow.

24. The first item of business was the report of associational treasurer E. D. Beach. On motion. the report was adopted.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 21, 1955 to September 17, 1956

Cash in bank September 21, 1955			$456.69
Receipts:			
Pledges		$6,237.47	
Baptist State Convention:			
Regular	$ 425.00		
V. B. S.	385.00	810.00	
Minutes		369.15	
V. B. S. Offerings and Material		1,379.32	
Note - Union National Bank		1,200.00	
S. S. Books		223.52	
Music School		106.42	
Other		33.95	10,359.83
Total Receipts and Begining Balance			$10,816.52
Disbursements:			
Elizabeth Campbell:			
Salary	$3,300.00		
Travel	925.00		
Gift	50.00		
S. S. and Retirement - Net	176.40	$4,451.40	
Building and Loan:			
Principal	$ 599.18		
Interest	360.82	960.00	
H. B. Anderson - Note and Interest		$1,268.00	
Note and Interest - Union National Bank		240.67	
Music School		140.97	
Repairs - Missionary's Home		163.04	
Paid on Mimeograph		400.00	
Tables		54.00	
Clerk Hire - Net		75.00	
Minutes		486.40	
Calendars		88.43	
Refunds		12.38	
Associational Speakers		90.00	
V. B. S. Expenses		1,133.23	
Office Supplies and printing - Various		786.58	
Postage		89.27	
Sunday School		32.40	
Miscellaneous		7.00	10,478.77

Cash in Bank September 17, 1956	$337.75
Unpaid Accounts September 17, 1956:	
Union National Bank	$ 1,000.00
H. B. Anderson	1,700.00
Mutual Building and Loan	6,250.95
Miscellaneous	61.18
Total	$ 9,012.13

Respectfully submitted,
E. D. Beach, Treasurer

25. Mr. Beach also presented a proposed budget for the fiscal year 1956-1957. The suggested budget was adopted.

SUGGESTED BUDGET FOR 1956-1957

Estimated Expenses:		
Clerk's Expenses		$ 75.00
Sunday School		100.00
Training Union		125.00
W. M. U.		50.00
Vacation Bible School		1,000.00
Christmas Love Gift		50.00
Music School		200.00
Ridgecrest		100.00
Postage, Printing and Calendars		200.00
Minutes		500.00
Debt Retirement and Interest		2,900.00
Insurance and Maintenance		300.00
Associational Meeting		75.00
Office Equipment		250.00
Clerical Assistance		125.00
Associational Missionary:		
Salary	$3,300.00	
Travel	780.00	
Convention	150.00	
Retirement and Social Security	192.00	4,422.00
Total Estimated Expenses		$10,472.00
Less Anticipated Receipts from other sources:		
V. B. S. Workers	$ 200.00	
Missionary's Salary	300.00	
Total Baptist State Convention	$ 500.00	
Sale of Minutes	500.00	
V. B. S.	1,000.00	
Music School	125.00	
Other	200.00	2,325.00
Balance Needed from Churches		$ 8,147.00

It is suggested the churches be asked to contribute $ .80 per resident member.

It is also suggested that the price of minutes of the next session be $ .40 per copy.

Respectfully submitted,
The Finance Committee

26. On motion of Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., and seconded by Rev. Walter Jones 80 cents per resident member was set as a working goal to secure funds needed to carry on the work of the association. It was also voted to set the sum of 40 cents per copy for minutes.

27. Miss Elizabeth Campbell gave a very interesting program of slides showing churches and vacation Bible schools held during the past vacation season.

28. Miss Faye Turnmyre, recently appointed missionary to the Philippine Islands spoke of her work with the Home Mission Board in New Orleans, La.

29. Special music was rendered by one of the choirs of the First Baptist Church.

30. Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr., pastor of Lenoir First Church who recently returned from a revival mission to Alaska gave a very inspiring message of conditions in Alaska.

31. The association adjourned to meet the following morning with Central Church in Whitnel, N. C. Prayer by Rev. W. Walter Jones.

SECOND DAY SESSION

Whitnel Baptist Church

Whitnel, N. C.

32. The morning session assembled at 9:30 o'clock. Mr. Roy Holder led in the singing "Come Thou Almighty King" and "Love Divine." Charles Haas accompanied him at the organ. 280 delegates and guests attended the session at Central. Rev. George Westmoreland, pastor of the Hudson First Church conducted the devotional. He read from Deut. 7 chapter and 8th verse.

33. A fine address was given by Rev. J. E. Pearson of the Kings Creek church. His subject was "Church and Pastoral Relationship." This was a very fine address and was highly recommended to the membership of all churches. The article will be printed and distributed to the churches at a later date.

34. On motion the clerk was authorized to print in pamphlet form the address of Rev. J. E. Pearson.

35. The reports on Missions were read in the following order:

State Missions by Mrs. Don Peek.
Home Missions by Rev. Paul J. Hopkins.
Foreign Missions by Mrs. Ira Pritchard.
On motion and duly seconded the reports were adopted.

STATE MISSIONS

North Carolina Baptist missionary effort to reach the unsaved for Christ, and teach, enlist, and train the saved to greater service through the churches and throughout the world, is STATE MISSIONS.

Of the 4,300,000 people in the State, about 2,000,000 above the age of eight years are affiliated with some kind of church. 1,900,00 of these above the age of eight years are unchurched. If 25% of the affiliated church members are unsaved, then 62½% of the people of North Carolina above the age of eight years are lost. North Carolina, therefore, is less than half Christian.

The four most significant phases of State Missions work are promoted through the Sunday School, Training Union, Rural Church and Music Departments. For 1956 over 2,000 Vacation Bible Schools have already been reported with $42,000 in gifts to world missions.

The Department of Evangelism seeks to assist pastors and churches win the lost 62½% of the people of this State to the Saviour.

State Missions provides aid on some church buildings and the purchase of sites for new churches, in addition to some one hundred or more salaries for pastors.

Pastors schools are promoted for the benefit of all pastors and wives at Fruitland, Caswell and Mars Hill.

State Missions seek to minister in a limited degree to the negroes and Indians in our midst.

Other areas of need constantly challenging State Missions are:

The Allied Church League.
The Silent People.
The Assemblies — Fruitland, Caswell.
Other Ministries — Summer Student Work, Baptist History, Student Aid, Ministry through Service Institutions.
Department of Church Planning.
Brotherhood and Royal Ambassador Work.
Baptist Student Union.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Don Peek

HOME MISSIONS

This has been a year of unprecedented growth and achievement for HOME MISSIONS in our Southern Baptist Convention work. Special

emphasis was placed on evangelism and through Convention-Wide Evangelistic Crusade most of our churches were enlisted and gratifying results were obtained. About 25,000 more baptisms were reported than in any previous year.

Dr. Redford, the Executive Director of the Home Mission Board tells us that there are 60,000,000 lost people in our homeland. The HOME MISSION Board has 1,163 regular missionaries. That gives only one missionary, on an average, for every 27,000 people of some 14,000,000 in the South of all racial groups. Twenty-four million people are out of reach of any Baptist church

We are grateful for the support Southern Baptists gave their HOME MISSION program this past year. Through the Cooperative program $1,762,010.26; through the Annie Armstrong offering $1,256,254.48; and through general designations $116,076.02; a grand total from all sources of $3,134,340.86.

"I like the Cooperative Program," said Dr. Redford, to the Carolina Associational meeting recently, because "It enables me to do so many things which I could not do otherwise." He said, for instance, he could not practice medicine, he could not be a nurse, he could not be an educator, he could speak but one language but in giving through the Cooperative Program he could share in all of these phases of work.

Our Home Mission Board is joining heartily in the plans for World Evangelization in 1957 and urges all churches to cooperate fully and enthusiastically with the special committee that is planning this program.

Our churches are urged to make the largest use of the materials and services provided by all agencies, but especially, the Home Mission Board services.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul J. Hopkins

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

Southern Baptist have designated 1956-1957 as special years of emphasis on world missions and have in progress plans for advance on a world-wide scale leading up to 1964, when we will celebrate the 150th anniversary of the founding of the Triennial convention, which came into life when Adnoriram Judson and Luther Rice challenged Baptists to follow Christ in Foreign Missions.

In April at the meeting of the Foreign Mission Board, Elmer S. West, Jr., secretary for missionary personnel, said "What happens to missions around the world depends directly upon what happens to missions in the local church. When concern for missions is cultivated, information is shared, prayers are offered up to God . . . lives will be dedicated, money laid on the altar and, as a direct result, in some far-away place the gospel will be heard and another life will find Christ. Missions is every Christian's business.

Mr. West estimated that it will take 125 missionary appointments each year for eight more years to reach the advance program goal of 1,750 missionaries. With 52 missionaries appointed the first five months, he expects to reach the goal of 125 in 1956. Appointments for 1955 totaled 104. Losses due to retirements, failures of health, deaths, and resignations left a net gain of seventy-three. There were calls for more than 500 new missionaries, so that you can see that we were able to meet only seventy-three out of more than 500 calls for reinforcement. Money follows the same pattern.

As of June 1, 1956 the board has 1,058 active missionaries. They serve in 200 centers in 35 geographical areas. They reported 24,342 baptisms in the 2,250 churches and 3,880 outstations that are affiliated with them. There is a total of 350,154 church members. Working with 130 missionary pastors are 1,541 national pastors. The call for missionary pastors heads the list of calls to service.

The need for doctors and nurses is great. 87 medical missionaries in 16 countries work in 13 hospitals, 30 clinics, and 10 dispensaries, which reported 240,411 patients in 1955. Two new hospitals were dedicated during the year — a four-story, 100-bed hospital in Japan on July 12, 1955 and Wallace Memorial Hospital in Korea, Nov. 29, 1955. Land has been purchased for hospitals, in Mexico and Indonesia.

The need for missionary teachers is continually growing. Among missionaries on the field in 1955 were 229 teachers working in 32 areas with 3,750 national teachers in 791 schools enrolling 115,832 students.

The Commission had a net gain of 15,300 in circulation for the year 1955. Its circulation the first five months this year averaged 120,795.

The total income of the Foreign Mission Board during 1955 was $11,287,775.72. Of that, $5,311,630.83 came from the Cooperative Program. Receipts from the Lottie Moon Offering, May 1, 1955 to May 1, 1956, totaled $4,628,691.03. North Carolina ranks second in her gifts to Lottie Moon. Texas first, then North Carolina.

"You may never go abroad as a missionary, but you can be a missionary right now where you are. If you will be a center of calm in the midst of whatever storms develop, you may influence others to talk wisely, pray much, utilize every opportunity to express Christian love and understanding. There are so many Negro Baptists and so many white Baptists that if we do our duty we can contribute much toward sound thinking, Christian love, and good relationships.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ira Pritchard

36. According to preplans and the constitution the matter of new constitution which was presented on the first day was brought up for attention. After much discussion and on motion

of W. Walter Jones and seconded by Don L. Peek the committee consisting of Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Ernest Moore and Paul Hopkins were authorized to make further study of the constitution and by-laws and report to the next annual convention which meets at Yadkin church in September 1957.

37. Rev. James Peck, industrial chaplain for the Broyhill Industries spoke to the delegates on Human Relations. His message was received with much interest.

38. After a song, "Jesus, Blessed Jesus" Miss Faye Turnmyre was presented. She delivered a very fine missionary address.

The assembly adjourned for lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

39. After singing "Higher Ground" Rev. A. J. Swinson had the Praise and Prayer hour.

40. The report on Evangelism was read by Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr. On motion the report was adopted.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

This report directs your attention not to the past but to the future. However a brief glance at our record will indicate that we have not been idle during this year in the work of winning the lost and enlisting these into the work of Christ. For example, we report only 618 baptisms — the lowest since 1953 — but other gains, such as transfers by letters, etc., bring our total church enrollment up to 16,891. Six of our churches report no baptisms, but the records also show that 94 revivals were conducted during the year within our association.

Today is the challenge of evangelism. From every corner of the globe we are hearing echoes of revival. Could it be to our shame that we hear the echoes when all the time we should have these echoes drowned out by the fever of Pentecostal fires of revival burning hot within our own Association and our own churches.

Let us find some comfort in our gains of yesterday, then today let us lengthen our cords and strengthen our stakes, for there are thousands within our reach who need God's salvation.

May we return to our homes with a determination to unite our hearts, join our hands, and lift up our voices to win those who are in darkness.

Respectfully submitted,
T. L. Cashwell, Jr.
Superintendent of Evangelism

41. Mrs. J. A. Boldin read the list of members who having passed on to their reward. See index.

42. Mr. E. E. Stafford, chairman of the Ridgecrest Cottage committee read his report. The report was adopted.

TRUSTEES PROPERTIES REPORT

The Board of Trustees only meeting during the Associational year was held on January 29th, 1956 at our missionary's home with all members present. The meeting was opened with prayer by George W. Hollar.

The first item of business was the election of officers. Those elected were E. E. Stafford, Chairman of the Board and treasurer of Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest; Dr. J. F. Reece, vice chairman and in charge of our missionary home. Rules, regulations and rental fees for the cottage were discussed and agreed upon. It was also agreed, by all present, that new tables and plain chairs be purchased to replace the two large tables and benches in the dining room. These were our only improvements made to the cottage this year, no repairs being needed. With more than $900.00 in our bank account at the time, we decided to make a payment of $500.00, plus interest, to Mr. H. B. Anderson on our indebtedness, leaving a balance due on notes payable of $1,500.00.

The condition of our Missionary's home was discussed, and after inspection was found to be in good condition. However, during the summer months when we were having heavy rains, water from the rear of the lot was flooding the rear lawn and terrace causing an overflow into the driveway and basement. This situation was handled by Dr. Reece after contacting other members of the board. The condition was corrected by cooperating with the adjoining property owner, and sharing the expense of an open concrete pipe drain being placed on the line and emptying into the street.

Again we wish to express our appreciation to those members of our Associational W. M. U. for the largest donation of food that the cottage has ever received.

Attendance at our Ridgecrest cottage was good again this year — with 232 persons registering as having used its facilities. However, fewer of our own Caldwell folks used the cottage this year than did the previous year. We are looking forward to a greater number of our own local churches using the cottage, and taking advantage of the helpful instruction and inspiration that all receive who attend our Summer Assemblies.

Respectfully submitted,

E. E. Stafford, Chairman
Dr. J. F. Reece, V. Chairman
B. F. Williams
Walter Sullivan
George W. Hollar

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RIDGECREST CABIN FUND
Submitted by E. E. Stafford, Treasurer

Balance in Bank - August 31, 1955	$ 992.70
Deposits	1,133.09
Total	$2,125.79
Disbursements	
Cleaning Cottage and Drapes	$ 13.50
Equipment	186.80
Fire Protection	3.00
Interest on Note	100.00
Lights and Power	64.62
Matron Fee	90.00
Payment on Note Payable	500.00
Registration Fee	10.00
Supplies	21.00
Water and Garbage Disposal	36.82
TOTAL	$1,025.74
Balance in Bank - August 31st, 1956	$1,100.05

43. An oral report on Constitution of churches was made by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

44. Dr. J. F. Reece read the report of the nominating committee. On motion and duly seconded the report was adopted and the new officers officially elected.

45. The report of the Historian, M. C. Estes was read by clerk Frank L. Smith. On motion to adopt the report was spoken to by Mr. Estes. The report was adopted.

HISTORY OF LOWER CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Lower Creek Baptist Church co-host to the 72nd Session of Caldwell Baptist Association, was organized in March 1826. The eleven charter members were granted letters from the three Baptist churches then in existence in Caldwell County, Yadkin, Kings Creek and Union.

The well preserved records of the church contain the original minutes of its organization and a complete record to the present.

During its century and a quarter of service no less than seven other churches have been organized from its membership.

The present pastor, Rev. W. Walter Jones is the twentieth minister to serve Lower Creek Baptist Church.

This church has ordained twelve or more men to the Gospel Ministry. One of these, Dr. George W. Greene, died in China at his Missionary task.

The first house of worship was a one room log house which stood where the present building stands. A second building was erected about 1847. In 1904 a brick auditorium was built and in 1924 thirty Sunday School rooms were added. That building was totally destroyed by fire in 1942. The congregation, stunned but not defeated, erected and paid for the present beautiful building in 1943.

Lower Creek supports today a full and well rounded organization with graded Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union and Brotherhood. The missionary spirit continues to grow.

The present membership is 628 with a resident membership of approximately 553.

To Him be the praise for all that has been accomplished.

HISTORY OF CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH - WHITNEL

Application was made to the ministers of the Caldwell Association for a presbytery to attend a meeting at Central Baptist Church on August 20, 1940, for the purpose of organizing. The following brethren attended: Rev. T. E. Payne, E. M. Bradshaw, A. F. Knight, L. A. Miller, Z. B. Baker, ordained ministers and J. R. Swanson, Layman. After T. E. Payne was made chairman and J. R. Swanson, Clerk, the above named presbytery proceeded to organize, after a thorough examination being made, thirty members going into the organization, they having been dismissed from other Baptist churches in regular order. After the organization was effected the church retained its former name, Central Baptist Church of Whitnel. The Presbytery was dismissed and the newly organized church went into conference by electing W. H. Livingston, Moderator, and W. C. Lutz, Clerk. Rev. Carl Roberts was elected pastor, and followed later by Rev. Dexter Couch, and then by Rev. J. H. Crisp. After Rev. J. H. Crisp, Rev. J. J. Buckner was called and served for 6 years. The Rev. C. H. Kincaid has recently come to the church to serve as pastor.

The church has grown from thirty (30) members when organized to over three hundred and fifty (350) members. It now has all the organizations of a Baptist church — Sunday School, Training Union. W. M. U. and Brotherhood.

Respectfully submitted,
M. C. Estes, Historian
Caldwell Baptist Association

46. Mr. Hill C. Lackey, chairman of the committee on Time, Place and Preacher made the following report:

The first day's session to be held with the Yadkin church at Patterson on September 19, 1957 and with the Harris church, Hudson, Route 1, on September 20, 1957. Rev. Paul Bruce was selected to preach the annual sermon and Rev. Gwyn Sullivan the alternate.

47. The committee chairman, Don L. Peek on Petitionary letters recommended that Clearview, Livingston Memorial and Green Valley churches be placed under the watchcare of the association for one year. At such time the committee will again take the matter up. The committee also recommended that Green Valley community church change its name because of conflict with Green Valley church.

On motion the report was adopted.

East Flat church was received in full fellowship. Deacons Joe Cardwell and David McCall were present representing their church. As a matter of record the churches under watchcare will be shown in the statistician tables.

48. Rev. L. J. Culler read the report of the resolutions committee.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, the Committee on Resolutions, wish to recommend that the Caldwell Baptist Association, at the close of its seventy-second session, express its deep appreciation to the following:

To Rev. Walter Jones and the members of Lower Creek Baptist Church, to Rev. C. H. Kincaid and the members of Central Baptist Church, and to Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr. and the members of Lenoir First Baptist Church for the warm and courteous atetntion given to our needs and comfort during these two days.

To the ladies of Lower Creek Baptist Church and the Central Baptist Church who prepared so bountifully for our physical nourishment.

To our capable Moderator for the efficient manner in which he has conducted this seventy-second session of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

To our Clerk who continues to render valuable service to our Association.

To our Associational Missionary for her efforts to make this the best association in the State.

To all other officers and leaders who have been so faithful and who have carried us a step farther in our efforts to serve our God and our communities.

To the speaker, both local and State, who have inspired and enriched our lives with messages that will challenge our hearts for days to come.

To the local newspapers for their generosity through the year.

For these and all others who have given of time and talent, we thank God, and we do hereby invoke His blessings upon all until we meet. again.

We further recommend a fraternal message of love and deep appreciation be sent by our Associational Clerk to the Rev. H. S. Benfield, whose interest and work continues in our Caldwell Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Chairman
Rev. Paul Bruce
Rev. L. J. Culler

49. The committee on nominations to make report to the 1957 session was named by the moderator.

W. Walter Jones, Chairman
Mrs. Ira Pritchard
Rev. Vernon Sparrow
Mrs. J. E. Pearson
Mrs. Fred Cline

50. After singing "O Zion Haste" the moderator installed the new officers. Prayer was offered by Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr.

51. The Kings Creek Intermediate choir presented a fine number in song.

52. The annual missionary message was ably given by Mrs. J. H. McGee of Hickory. It was a high climax in the two days session. After appreciative remarks by the retiring moderator, J. Malcolm Laxton, the association adjourned one of its finest annual meetings.

J. Malcolm Laxton, Moderator
Frank L. Smith, Sr., Clerk

MINUTES OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION

The forty-third annual session of the Caldwell Woman's Missionary Union was called to order at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday morning, April 24, 1956, at the Miller Hill Baptist Church, Lenoir, North Carolina by the Superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt. There were 233 women representing 35 churches attending.

The theme for the 1956 meeting was "His Commission . . . Our Commission." The devotional period was closed with special music by Miss Connie Annas, Mt. Zion Baptist Church. "His Commission . . . Our Mission" was vividly portrayed to the women by the messages brought by the different speakers of the morning. They told of our mission in the Wilkesboro region, in the Caldwell Association, in Community Missions, in Mission Study, in Stewardship, and in Literature. Miss Connie Annas, Youth Leader, gave the Commission to the youth of the association. The highlight of the morning session was the message brought by Mrs. Worth Grant, missionary to Japan, home on furlough. Her message was "His Commission . . . Our Mission in Japan," which was both informing and inspiring. The morning session was closed with special music by Mrs. Ed Schell and Miss Betty Hendricks. The afternoon session was highlighted by a message by Miss Beverly Neilson, State Sunbeam director and special music by Mrs. Dewey Annas. The meeting closed with a report of the committees and election of officers.

When making a report, we realize that people aren't interested in reading a long list of figures, but some things can't be reported without figures. For instance the progress that Caldwell W. M. U. has made can only be realized when we report that in 1955 there were 1290 women and 729 young people contributing to the Cooperative Program. That we had an increase of 55 women and 87 young people tithing. We are also proud to report an increase in all of our gifts to missions. Mrs. J. N. Moore, Stewardship chairman, gives us this report: Lottie Moon Christmas offering, women, $10,819.56; young people, $855.00; Annie Armstrong offering, women, $1,578.65; young people, $217.07; Heck-Jones Memorial, women, $690.99; young people, $99.90; State Missions. women $579.94, young people $84.37; total gifts for 1955 was $14,925.48.

"Blessed are the eyes which see the things that ye see," are the words found in Luke 10:23. Fortunate indeed are we women in America today who have at our finger tips the riches to be found between the covers of our books. Is it not true that we take his blessings for granted? Perhaps our sense of appreciation would be deepened if we had a periodical check on our bookshelves in our homes, our church libraries, etc., by police officers, as is true in some of the countries of

the world today. Then, truly we would know that the "eyes that see the things that we see are blessed." The wealth of good books available to the women of today amazes me. We should have no trouble getting our women to read the facinating mission books that are being printed, as well as those we treasure so, that have come down through the years to us. I am aware that today women are all busy. But are we busy about the Important Things? Could we not take an hour now and then to read a good book? All of us, I am sure, could read the minimum of one mission book per quarter. What a difference that would mean in our reports. And what, oh what a difference that would mean in our prayer for our missionaries! God is calling the women of America today. Are we heeding? Our women of the Caldwell Association W. M. U. had 182 books taught them this past year. For these 182 books taught we had enrolled in Mission Study classes 2,217 (or 393 more than enrolled in similar classes last year). The members reading one or more books per quarter amounted to 1,188, 150 less than we had last year. We cannot afford a decrease . . . We must see that this figure increases during the coming year. It has been a good year, but has it been Good Enough? Let us read again and heed the exhortation found in Exodus 14:15 "Go Forward." So reports Mrs. Albert W. Holden, Mission Study chairman.

Along with our Mission Study report comes the report of our Literature chairman, Mrs. Nelson Clay. Our literature report is not as good as we would have liked for it to have been. To have good attendance at any of the meetings of any organization in our W. M. U. we must have good and interesting programs and in order to have a program we must have our literature, so let's not deprive our people of the best so that our work may go forward. Subscriptions run as follows: Royal Service 403; Window of Y. W. A. 59; Tell 146; Ambassador Life 55; Sunbeam Activities 26; Biblical Recorder 515; Commission 272; Home Mission 73.

Your community missions chairman has had the privilege of teaching the Community Guide Book to a goodly number of W. M. S. in several churches. We have tried to encourage our community mission chairmen to press on in this worthy phase of our work exemplifying our Master while here in flesh. "Going about doing good." It has been a joy and inspiration to work with our community missions chairmen. Many have reported various soul-winning activities and efforts made to lift moral standards in their communities. We are told that every effort made in His name will be honored. No group of figures or any report can express the fine service that has been rendered. The seed that has been sown, or the hearts that have been touched, or even the brotherly kindness expressed through your effort, God knows and will bless the gift and giver. Ours is a needy world today, "The golden thread of service gleams in its most beautiful pattern against the darkest background; so does every vexing problem challenge Christians to this

ministry to weary suffering soul sick humanity today." If we have not exalted this service this year as we should, God is giving us another chance in 1956. May we do our best. "Others, Lord, yes, others, let this my motto be, help me to live for others, that I may live like Thee." So reads Mrs. C. A. Bowman's report on Community Missions.

Miss Connie Annas gives us the following report on Young People's work for 1954-1955. September 30th marked the close of another associational year. Another year of young people's work passed by. What have we done? Did we go forward? Let's see just where we stand. There are 65 churches in the association with 134 Young People's organizations in 31 of them. 23 Sunbeam organizations with 197 members, with one A-1 organization . . . Yadkin Baptist Church, Miss Louise Bradshaw, leader. 50 G. A. organizations with 398 members; 37 R. A. organizations with 197 members; 24 Y. W. A. organizations with 217 members. We had associational functions for each of the organizations last year and reached many young people. Our total mission gifts through our Young People's organization was $1,256.34. Yes, we have come forward this past year. but we must go even farther this year. Thirty-four churches in our association still have no Young People's organizations. We must remember that the Young People of today will be the men and women of tomorrow and the way we train them today will determine the kind of world we live in tomorrow. Let's lead them to Christ. the Saviour of the world.

Mrs. Ira Pritchard, secretary-treasurer reports that a total of $308. 50 has been collected for associational expenses along with the balance of $13.23 gave a total for expenses for the year of $321.73. Of this amount $87 was given as a Love Offering for Miss Faye Turnmyre, Missionary appointee to the Phillipines, at the annual meeting of the association. $43 was sent to the division for expenses.

Total checks written were $298.51 which left a balance at the end of the year of $23.22.

The Time and Place Committee brought an invitation from the first Baptist Church of Granite Falls for the meeting of the association in 1957, which was very heartily approved by the women present.

Officers for the year 1956-1957 were elected and installed: Superintendent, Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt; Associate Supt., Mrs. J. M. Laxton; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ira Pritchard; Young People's Leader, Miss Connie Annas; Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. Howard Miller; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. J. N. Moore; Librarian, Miss Eller Dickson; Community Missions Chairman, Mrs. C. A. Bowman; Prayer Chairman, Mrs. Grover Triplett; Chairman of Missionary Fundamentals, Mrs. O. R. Mangum; Literature Chairman, Mrs. Nelson Clay; Margaret Fund Chairman, Mrs. M. O. Owens, Jr.; Y. W. A. Leader, Mrs. Fred Cline; G. A. Leader, Mrs. Claude Siler; Sunbeam Leader, Mrs. R. C. Goodwin; Pianist, Mrs. Roy Holder; Chorister, Mrs. Dewey Annas. Mrs. Worth Grant led in a prayer of dedication and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt, Supt.
Mrs. Ira Pritchard, Secretary

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Mr. J. D. Craig (LeTourneau Tech), Pooveys Grove, G. Falls, N. C.
Mr. Boyd Curtis, Rhodhiss, N. C. (Fruitland Institute).
Mr. Robert Chester (Wake Forest), Union Baptist, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Mr. Clifford Bradshaw (Seminary Extension), Union Grove, Rt. 3, Lenoir

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Adams, Jesse, 512 E. Harper Ave., Lenoir, N. C.
Austin, John, Route 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Byerly, W. H., Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Braswell, Paul, Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Bristol, Ira, Collettsville, N. C.
Bumgarner, D. L., Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
Cannon, George, Connelly Springs, N. C.
Church, O. B., Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Cline, E. G., Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Cloer, W. W., Hudson, N. C.
Daye, Roland, Route 8, Lenoir, N. C.
Dellinger, O. C., Collettsville, N. C.
Driver, J. E., 212 Spruce St., Lenoir, N. C.
Dula, Walter, Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Eggers, Curtis, Hickory, N. C.
Ellis, Fred, Route 1, Granite Falls, N. C.
Fox, Lonnie, Route 2, Granite Falls, N. C.
Greene, Ward, Collettsville, N. C.
Holshouser, Charles, Route 4, Lenoir, N. C.
Laws, Taft, Lenoir, N. C.
McDonald, Bennie. 253 Underdown Ave., Lenoir, N. C.
Miller, Brodus, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Miller, Leonard, Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Mull, George, Route 3, Morganton, N. C.
Nelson, J. H., Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.
Prestwood, R L., 161 Spainhour Ave., Lenoir, N. C.
Rhodes, Joe, Connelly Springs, N. C.
Philyaw, Roy, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Phillips, M. S., Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Robbins, Allen, Hudson, N. C.
Sorrells, Paul, Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Sorrells, Wayne, Route 7, Lenoir, N. C.
Simmons, V. H., Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
Sanders, Marion, Hudson, N. C.
Sumpter, Dewey, Route 5, Lenoir, N. C.

OUR BELOVED DEAD - - - YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1956

BLAIRS FORK
Mr. R. L. Marrow
BETHANY
Mr. Dewey Bryant
BUFFALO COVE
Mr. John W. Hamlet, Deacon
CENTER GROVE
Mrs. Laura Kirkman
CONWAYS CHAPEL
Mrs. Oscar Carver
DUDLEY SHOALS
Mrs. Harrett Bolick
Mrs. Willie Lee Reed
EAST HUDSON
Mrs. Avery Davenport
FLEMINGS CHAPEL
Mrs. Henry Reichard
Mr. Spencer Winkler
CLOVER
Mr. Vergil Icard
Mrs. Mollie Stowe
Mrs. Minnie Stafford
Mr. Dixon Watson, Deacon
CONCORD
Mrs. Bessie Barnes
Mrs. Edna Williams
GLOBE
Mrs. Jobie Cook
Mr. Willard Gragg
Mrs. Ollie Belle Hall
GRANITE FIRST
Mrs. W. T. Sherrill
Mrs. M. C. LeFever
Mrs. Mary Moore
Mr. O. R. Payne
GREEN ROCK
Mrs. Mary Ellen Coffey
Mrs. Margaret E. (Bessie) Coffey
HARRIS CHAPEL
Mr. Theodore Cloer
Mr. Howard Sullivan
Mr. D. H. Adams
HIBRITEN
Mrs. Anna Baker
HUDSON FIRST
Mrs. Lex Smith Adkins
Mrs. John A. McLean
Mr. Elijah Clay Potts
Mr. M. P. Sanford
JOHNS RIVER
Deacon Phillip Gragg
Mrs. Ivey Pendley
Mrs. Zora Andrews
KINGS CREEK
Mr. Henry Medlock, Sr.
Mr. H. M. Beach
Mr. Eugene Kincaid
Mr. Charlie Kirby
Mr. Clayton Stamey
CALVARY
Mrs. Walter Morrow
Mr. Sylvester St. John
Mr. Willard Watson
COLLEGE AVENUE
Mr. M. P. Downs
Mr. Booze Nelson
Mrs. Booze Nelson
Mr. Troy Noblet
Mr. G. C. Madison
Mr. James L. Link
FIRST BAPTIST
Deacon T. H. Broyhill
Dr. O. R. Mangum, Pastor Emeritus
Mr. J. R. Mast
Mrs. F. F. Nifong
Mrs. M. G. Shearer
Mrs. W. J. Moore
LOWER CREEK
Mr. Roy Steele
TEMPLE MISSIONARY
Mrs. James Taylor
WEST LENOIR
Mr. Early Robbins
LOVELADY
Mrs. Rosa Lloyd
Mrs. Pearl Kirby
MILLER HILL
Miss Gail Beach

MOUNTAIN GROVE
Mr. Edward Greene
Mr. Robert Williams
Mrs. Virginia Munday
MT. ZION
Mrs. John Harris
Mrs. Alice Bentley
Mr. Parks Rector
MULVALE
Mr. Johnnie Chester
Mr. Joe G. Gragg
NELSON'S CHAPEL
Mrs. A. M. Powell
OAK GROVE
Mrs. Effie Helton
Mrs. Vannie Pope
Mrs. Madeline Carlton
Mr. Maynard Helton
PISGAH
Mr. Andrew Beard
Mrs. Andrew Beard
Mrs. W. W. Price
PLEASANT HILL
Mr. Dock Walsh
POOVEY'S GROVE
Mr. Charles Dula
Mrs. Lucinda Byers
RHODHISS
Miss Hazel Munday
Mr. Lee Bowman
ROCKY SPRINGS
Mr. Melton Clarke
RUFUS
Deacon J. A. Bradshaw
Mr. L. H. Moore
SETZER CREEK
Mr. Roby Coffey
UNION GROVE
Mrs. Alvin Brooks
Mrs. Rose Ann Smith
Mr. Julius Johnson
CENTRAL
Mr. Claude Smith
Mrs. Betty Moore
WHITNEL FIRST
Mrs. S. C. Deal
WORSHIP POINT
Mrs. Mary Daye

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

CEDAR ROCK:
Rev. C. F. Annas, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
Rev. Silas Wineberger, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
FLEMINGS CHAPEL:
Rev. Paul Sorrells, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
HIBRITEN:
Rev. Hamp Simmons, Route 2, Lenoir, N. C.
LONG FORD:
Rev. Clyde R. Hollar, Jr., 309 Blowing Rock Road, Lenoir, N. C.
NEW HOPE:
Rev. Paul Greene, Route 1, Lenoir, N. C.
PLEASANT HILL:
Rev. J. D. Hambright, Route 3, Lenoir, N. C.
WHITNEL FIRST:
Rev. Stewart Johnson, Whitnel, N. C.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

FLEMINGS CHAPEL:
Rev. Cecil Arney, Route 6, Lenoir, N. C.
HARRIS CHAPEL:
Rev. Allen M. Robbins, Hudson, N. C.
OAK GROVE:
Rev. J. W. Myers, P. O. Box 56, Glenville, N. C.
PLEASANT HILL:
Rev. Dean Harrold, Hudson, N. C.

HISTORICAL TABLE
CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1885 - 1956

Time and Place	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W. A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H. D. Lequex	W. F. Marshall	H. D. Lequex
1886 Globe	Isaac Oxford	W. F. Marshall	W. A. Pool
1890 Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A. E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J. V. McCall	J. W. Gwaltney
1892 Yadkin	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	H. M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I. W. Thomas	A. E. Nelson	J. S. Gwaltney
1894 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	J. M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	A. E. Nelson	H. M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E. D. Crisp	J. V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	S. D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	E. D. Crisp
1900 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. V. McCall	W. R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	E. D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir First	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1905 Mtn. Grove	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	J. J. L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J. V. McCall	I. W. Thomas	I. W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J. V. McCall	J. R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	W. N. Cook
1913 Lenoir First	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. D. Moore
1914 Union	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. C. Ivery
1915 Sardis	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	G. W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	C. A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	I. W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I. W. Thomas	J. R. Swanson	J. E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	J. L. Teague
1924 Concord	J. G. Benfield	J. R. Swanson	W. C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	J. L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W. C. Tyree	H. S. Benfield	S. W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	R. E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J. W. Watts	H. S. Benfield	W. R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	J. M. Shaver
1934 Lenoir First	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	T. E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	H. S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	G. C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R. D. Carroll	H. S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G. C. Teague	H. S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	O. R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	R. F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H. S. Benfield	S. M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R. C. Powell	J. H. Crisp
1946 Winklers Grove	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	W. F. Woodall
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir First	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M. W. Stallings
1947 Central Grove	C. M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	W. W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J. F. Reece	E. W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	M. O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	C. R. Hinton
1953 Mt. Grove	W. W. Jones	F. L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	K. E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls 1st	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	E. B. Dozier
1955 Lenoir First	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr,
1955 Mt. Zion	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr,	Mrs. McRae
1956 Lower Creek	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 Center	J. M. Laxton	F. L. Smith, Sr.	

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	1 Location Rural V-T-C	2 Date Organized	3 Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS: Baptisms	GAINS: Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL: Total Resident Members	TOTAL: Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL: Grand Total Present Members	Number Jews Baptized	Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	SPECIAL INFORMATION: Church Have Budget?	Every Member Canvass	State Paper in Budget	No. Local Missions Operated by Church	Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Baton	R	1950	All	Ambrose Singley, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	9	16	8	74	2	76		2	30	Yes	No	No	None	1689.80
Bethany	R	1902	2-4	Howard Shore, Hudson, N.C.		1	8	23	67	90					No	No		354.86
Blairs Fork	R	1891	All	W. R. Moss, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	3	2	12	86	10	96		1	16	No	No	No		2440.00
Buffalo Cove	R	1857	1-3	John R. Greene, Stony Fork, N.C.	3		1	69	41	110		1		No	No	No		569.87
Cedar Rock	R	1942	All	Dean Harold, Hudson, N.C.	3	8	8	59	26	85		2		No	No	No		574.00
Center Grove	R	1912	All	Paul Marrow, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	17	9	6	186	4	190		2	28	Yes	No	No	None	3225.00
Clarks Chapel	R	1900	2-4	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	25	18	7	239	50	289		2	25	Yes	No	No	None	2080.00
Conways Chapel	R				3	2	2	36	50	86		2		No	No	No	None	470.00
Dudley Shoals	V	1861	All		2	1	9	246	68	314		1	13	Yes	No	No	None	3280.00
East Hudson	R	1950	All	Harley Coffey, Rt. 2, Granite Falls, N.C.	2	6	13	57	3	60		2	3		No	No	None	780.00
East Flat	R	1944	1-3	Claude B. Suddreth, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	21	14	1			164		2	22	No	No	No	None	1290.00
Edgemont	V	1915	2-4	Horace Pitts, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.				22	11	33		1		No	No	No	None	
Flemings Chapel	R	1867	All	W. L. Sorrells, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	5	11	12	260	70	330		1		Yes	No	No	None	4160.00
Globe	R	1832	1-3	Leonard B. Beane, Edgemont, N.C.			10	42	44	86			1				None	87.11
Grandin	R	1914	1-3	John Wells, N. Wilkesboro, N.C.		1	11	57	40	97			15	Yes	No	No	None	1430.00
Grandview Park	R	1930	1-3	W. H. Caldwell, N. Wilkesboro, N.C.	6	5	18	120	28	148		2		Yes	No	No		1560.00
GRANITE FALLS:																		
Clover	T	1942	All	Robert Y. Marchbanks, Box 61, G. Falls, N.C.	6	8	15	187	63	250		1	75	Yes	No	Yes		3900.00
Concord	T	1908	All	Ernest W. Moore, G. Falls	11	14	23	389	103	492		2	125	Yes	No	No		4970.00
Granite Falls, 1st	T	1890	All	Paul E. Bruce, G. Falls, N.C.	10	15	21	500	71	575		1	75	Yes	No	Yes		4860.00
Green Rock	R	1889	2-4	Leonard Beane, Edgemont, N.C.	5	1	4	19	44	63		2		No	No	No	None	206.71
Green Valley	R	1888	1-3	G. C. Hice, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	1	0	0	48	14	62		1		No	No	No	None	232.61
Harris Chapel	R	1912	All		12	16	31	344	106	450		2	123	Yes	No	Yes		4422.50
Hartland	V	1938	All	J. W. Ramsey, Rt. 3, Morganton, N.C.	7	7	6	189	47	236		2	21	Yes	No	No	None	3640.00
Hibriten	R	1950		Calvin Helton, Rt.1, Hudson, N.C.	12	3	10	135	40	175		1	12	No	No	No	None	2040.00
LENOIR:																		
Calvary	C	1945	All	Buren Hastings, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	7	18	13	344	75	419		2		Yes	No	No	None	3640.00
College Avenue	C	1910	All	Dr. T. L. Cashwell, Jr., Lenoir, N.C.	21	28	48	1027	370	1397			209	Yes	Yes	Yes		5879.28
Lenoir First	C	1889	All	M. O. Owens, Jr., Lenoir, N. C.	29	28	35	813	196	1009		1	84	Yes	Yes	Yes	1	6600.00
Lower Creek	C	1826	All	W. W. Jones, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.	11	12	22	559	75	634		2		Yes		No		4680.00
Temple Missionary	C	1941		Ira Walker, 106 N., Fairview, Lenoir, N.C.	6	9	2	58		58		1	1	No	No	No		720.00
West Lenoir	C	1942	All	C. R. McFelia, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	5	24	2	205	26	231		1		Yes		No	None	3120.00
Long Ford	R	1934	All	A. J. Swinson Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	11	16	4	171	125	296		2	30	Yes	No	No	7	3640.00
Lovelady	R	1864	All	Curtis Morris, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	32	14	5	199	29	228		3	38	No	No	No	None	3540.00
Maple Grove	R	1936	1-3	H. E. Pitts, Lenoir, N.C.	3	2				100		1		No	No	No	None	168.50
Miller Hill	R	1935	1-3	L. E. Snipes, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	16	9	9	201	40	241		3	22	No	No	No	None	2340.00
Mountain View	R	1948	All	Walter Dula, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	1	5	1	61	47	108		1		No	No	No	None	410.00
Mountain Grove	R	1884	All	H. M. McGinnis, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	20	17	15	302	82	384		1	60	Yes	No	No	None	4160.00
Mt. Zion	R	1889	All	Paul Hopkins, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	20	8	16	577	55	632		2		Yes	No	Yes	None	4420.00
Mulberry	R	1853	1-3	Will Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.				41	16	57		1		No	No	No	None	600.00
Mulvale	R	1941	All	Gwyn P. Sullivan, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	23	6	6	107	29	136		1	15	Yes	No	No	None	2600.00
Nelsons Chapel	R	1905	All	L. A. Miller, 279 E. Harper, Lenoir	2	2	5	58	11	69		1		Yes	No	No	None	1560.00
New Hope	R	1939	2-4	Horace Harris, 211 N. Prospect, Lenoir	7	13		82	30	112		1		Yes	No	Yes		720.00
Oak Grove	R	1938	All	Thomas B. Flowe, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	10	2	8	121	35	156		2	42	Yes	Yes	No	None	3307.20
Piney Grove	R	1869	All	Bernard Tuttle, 112 Wayside Circle, Lenoir	4		4	157	57	214		2	19	Yes	Yes	No	None	2593.50
Pisgah	R	1877	2-4	J. Astor Buchanan, Rt. 2, Spruce Pine, N.C.	5	6	9	160	46	206		2	20	No	No	No	None	2080.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1946	All	N. R. Black, Whitnel, N.C.	7	2	28	154	24	178		1	17	No	No		None	2760.00
Pooveys Chapel	R	1932	All	J. S. Silver, Lenoir, N.C.	3		16	148	50	198		2	26	No	No	No	10	2350.00
Pooveys Grove	R	1898	All	John E. Carter, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	8	1	5	220	64	284		1		Yes		No	None	3470.00
Rhodhiss	T	1906	All	C. B. Bobbitt, Rhodhiss, N.C.	1	7	21	149	194	343		2	30	Yes	No	No	None	4004.00

Rocky Springs	V	1845			1		5	78	47	125		1		No	No	No	None	1241.50
Rufus	R	1940	2-4	R. C. Cooke, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	13		5	68	20	88		1		No	No	No	None	480.00
Setzer Creek	R		All	Cecil Arney, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	3	10	8	138	21	159		2	15	Yes	No	No	None	2860.00
Temple Hill	R	1946	All	L. R. Davis, Lenoir, N. C.	13	11	23	68	93	161		1		Yes	No	No	None	1300.00
Hudson First	T	1831	All	George Westmoreland, Hudson, N. C.	62	78	18	567	92	659		2	200	Yes	Yes	No	1	5100.00
Johns River	V	1884	1	Clyde Cornett, Reece, N.C.	0	3	7	39	66	105		1	0	No	No	No	None	216.00
Joyceton	R	1952	All	Francis L. Prestwood, 160 Spainhour, Lenoir	17	17	1	109	11	120		1	24	No	No	Yes	None	2730.00
Kings Creek	V	1779	All	J. E. Pearson, Kings Creek, Lenoir, N.C.	6	3	9	327	88	415		1	25	Yes	No	No	None	3400.00
Union	R	1814	All	Don L. Peek, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.	12	3	11	340	50	390		1	25	Yes	No	No		3120.00
Union Grove	R	1898	All	L. J. Culler, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.	10	12	18	362	24	386	1	2	29	Yes	No	Yes		3640.00
WHITNEL:																		
Central	V	1938	All	Hugh Kincaid, Whitnel, N. C.	19	24	12	252	113	365		3		Yes	No	No	None	4420.00
Whitnel First	V	1910	All		4	2	13	222	42	264		2	35	Yes	Yes	No	None	3080.00
Winklers Grove	R	1886	All	J. R. Holland, Rt. 5, Hickory, N.C.	20	25	9	413	180	593		2		No	No	No	None	4655.00
Worship Point	R	1946	2-4	Claude B. Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	10	10	1	90	20	110		2	5	No	No	No	None	720.00
Yadkin	V	1791	All	Robert Frye, Patterson, N.C.	8	3	20	300	118	418		1	90	Yes	No	Yes		3900.00
Yadkin Valley	R	1935	2-4	Will Bolick, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	3			59	19	78		2	3	Yes			None	1020.00
Zacks Fork	R	1951	2-4	Paul Wilson, Rt. 3, Morganton, N.C.	1	2		63	10	73		1	4	Yes	No	No	None	1200.00
Clearview	R	1955	All	Edward Peterson, Blowing Rock, N. C.	3	5		25	20	45		2	6					296.76
Green Valley Com.	R	1956	All	Morrison L. Bailey, High Shoals, N.C.	19	9		59	2	61		4	22	No		No		480.00
Livingston Mem.	R	1956	1-3	Thurston Barnes, Rt. 1, Boomer, N.C.		11		11		11		1						
				Totals	639	615	660	12891	3714	16873		105	1680					161484.20

Table B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																		Number Training Schools
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People Single	Young People, Married	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes And Departments	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V.B.S.	January Bible Study	
Baton	Elbert L. Bollinger, Rt. 2, G. Falls		11	19	21	22	12	5	16	21		4		131	64			No	2
Bethany	Hardie Bolick, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.			16		7		9		19				51	40	20	18	No	
Blairs Fork	R. H. Holsclaw, 120 Wayside Cr., Lenoir		5	11	8	6	12	4	5	46				97	71	56	50	No	1
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbin, Ferguson, N. C.			11	12	15	15	7	20				80	61	75	70			
Cedar Rock	Carl Bean, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.			15	8	10	17	6		16		3		85	57	35	29	Yes	
Center Grove	Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.			58	36	44	35		73	29		2		277	168	134	117	No	
Clarks Chapel	Shea Puett, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.		12	9	8	18	37	25	40	44				193	109	74	70	Yes	
Conways Chapel	R. A. Annas, Rt. 3, Morganton			24		11	11			26				78	60	74	51	No	
Dudley Shoals	O. L. Smith, Rt. 1, G. Falls	40		35	20	36	31	12	51	45	9	3		292	145	20	105	Yes	1
East Flat	John Cardwell, Rt. 6, Lenoir			30	24	30	47		27	43				201	128	115	137	No	
East Hudson	Troy Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.			7	5	9	11			31				63	60	159	46	No	
Edgemont	William P. Vines, Edgemont, N.C.			6		6		12		20				44	33	57	18	No	
Flemings Chapel	J. L. Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.			20	30	50	35	25	45	69		2		356	213	19	97		
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Star Rt., Lenoir, N.C.				6	8		15		15				100	25	123	22	No	
Grandin	Hill Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.		5	5	8	1	13	12	2	28	6			86	45	25		No	
Grandview Park	C. R. Lampkin, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.			20	9	12	14	15		43		5		113	85	69	51	No	
GRANITE FALLS:																			
Clover	Fred Cline, G. Falls, N.C.		21	17	35	41	42	53		80		3		292	140	90	78	Yes	1
Concord	George W. Hollar Granite Falls, N.C.	32	51	28	68	67	66	38	36	166	45	4		601	283	235	185	Yes	3
G. Falls 1st.	J. Mack Moore, Rural Rt., G. Falls, N.C.	6	36	39	54	68	74	38	26	213	8	5		558	289	125	111	Yes	2
Green Rock	Wallace E. Coffey, Rt. 5, Lenoir		3	3	3	4	2			18		2		34	22	18	16	No	
Green Valley	H. J. Ford, Jr., Collettsville, N.C.	7	7	10	8	5	10		5	22		2		75	32	39	32	No	
Harris Chapel	J. C. Sullivan, Hudson, N.C.		28	37	46	46	40	58		160		3		418	264	206	198	Yes	2
Hartland	Oscar McCall, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.		13	14	26	20	26	18	12	105		5		239	140	101	77	Yes	1
Hibriten	E. G. Cline, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.			15	16	19	36	18		56		2		162	78	79	62	No	
Hudson First	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N.C.	14	43	36	56	94	75	27	29	230	38	5	67	714	398	248	207	Yes	1
Johns River	Gordon Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir		3	2	5	1	5	4		20				40	20	13	13	No	
Joyceton	Carl S. Triplett, Rt. 4, Lenoir		6	9	16	17	15	18		39				120	92	52	50	Yes	3
Kings Creek	Victor W. Roberts, Rt. 1, Lenoir	23	25	30	38	41	52	25	10	81	40	2		367	176	180	135	Yes	2
LENOIR:																			
Calvary	Mack Carlton, Rt. 4, Lenoir			20	36	52	51	11		95		4		269	200	167	142	No	
College Ave.	Roy E. Holder, 201 Maple, Lenoir	39	111	79	121	143	128	66	56	316	15	8		1082	610	315	290	Yes	1
Lenoir First	Charles W. Johnson, 103 Sharon Rd., Lenoir	29	82	66	96	100	72	33	22	390	79	8	107	1084	516	351	282	Yes	2
Lower Creek	George Steel, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	10	50	3	50	73	61	28	22	238	34	5		609	327	257	196	Yes	3
Temple Miss.			14	1	13	14	14	7	7	25				80	75	34	33	No	
West Lenoir	Bruce Holman, Rt. 6, Lenoir		10	39	42	54	48		67	63				323	205	142	131	Yes	
Long Ford	Grady Sumpter, 126 Regal Dr., Lenoir		4	10	20	25	28	26		33		3		149	106	84	77	Yes	2
Lovelady	Henry Reid, Rt. 1, G. Falls			18	27	34	28	34	22	36		3		202	164	114	100	No	
Maple Grove	Hattie Shumake, Edgemont, N.C.													60	45	20	20	No	
Miller Hill	Bill Triplett, 183 Overlook Dr., Lenoir		15	20	31	32	36	18	17	84		3		256	123	74	65	No	2
Mountain Grove	Ernest Hayes, Rt. 2, G. Falls	11	22	20	29	54	38	25	29	148	18	4		398	206	116	108	Yes	1
Mountain View	Cecil Greer, Rt. 7, Lenoir			28	18	20	16			43		7		125	73	53	50	No	
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, G. Falls, N.C.	37	37	35	66	69	67	67		194	23	6		601	310	212	187	Yes	3
Mulberry	Charlie Chandler, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.			6	6		10	12		14		5		75	48	31			
Mulvale	Clarence Prestwood, Rt. 7, Lenoir		9	18	22	13	15	17	21	44		3		162	65	53	48	Yes	2
Nelson Chapel	Joe Robbins, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.		3	11	5	4	11	10		26		2		72	53	35	33	Yes	
New Hope	Paul Greene, Rt. 1, Lenoir			18	11	23	22	21		33				128	74	60	56	Yes	1
Oak Grove	Walter Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir	11	7	17	21	21	12	13	7	31	13	6		159	93	103	92	No	2
Piney Grove	Walter Sullivan, Rt. 5, Lenoir	20	8	8	17	17	17	18	139	49				193	107	46	43	No	1
Pisgah	James Crump, Whitnel, N.C.			20	10	15	15	30	220	20		2		132	105	43	40	No	
Pleasant Hill	Jack Smith, Rt. 4, Lenoir			15	20	25	30		220	50		3		163	103	89	80	No	
Pooveys Chapel	Floyd Ekard, Rt. 1, Hudson		5	22	11	27	22	18		51		9		165	127	51	41	No	
Pooveys Grove	Roy Starnes, G. Falls, N.C.		23	18	26	38	33	21		99	32	2		260	166	131	112	No	2
Rhodhiss	Paul Bumgarner, Rhodhiss, N.C.	4	10	15	59	36	19	31	99	4	4	4		306	148	102	85	Yes	
Rocky Springs	M. C. Estes, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N. C.			21	10	16	12	16		45				120	75	41	35	No	

Rufus	Bruce Coffey, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N. C.			11		18	13			35				77	45	24	23	No	
Setzer Creek	M. F. Faw, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.		8	22	14	12	11	17	18	43				145	120	71	68	Yes	1
Temple Hill	Andrew Kirby, Rt. 1, G. Falls			7	14	13	19	9		38				100	72	56	47	No	
Union	Odel McRary Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.		13	20	29	39	25	25	38	74	24	4		329	175	138	130	Yes	1
Union Grove	Stacy R. Davis, Rt. 3, Lenoir	20	17	23	59	52	43	25	49	139	15	4		409	244	134	114	Yes	1
WHITNEL:																			
Central	A. J. Parsons, Whitnel, N.C.		18	87	44	45	58	35	93	104		6		490	258	179	168	Yes	3
Whitnel First	Russell Watson, Rt. 2, Lenoir		16	18	27	43	27	34	35	64	13	5		282	137	74	70	Yes	7
Winklers Grove	Eugene Hilderbrand, 309 37th St., Hickory			36	37	60	92	44		162		3		434	300	200	175	No	
Worship Point	Earl Nelson, Rt. 8, Lenoir		6	15	21	19	22		20	27				130	95	90	80	Yes	
Yadkin	Joe Laws, Rt. 8, Lenoir	11	37	16	51	59	46	56		116	5	4		402	212	167	148	No	
Yadkin Valley	Glen Collins, Rt. 5, Lenoir		2	15	8	10		7		16				58	36	39	35	Yes	
Zacks Fork	Grover St. John, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.			13		14	12	12		18				69	49	44	39	No	
Clearview	Lennie Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir			24		11	17			26				78	60	94	51		
Green Valley Com.	Rowland Haire, 305 Beach St.				10	30	28			51				119	100			No	
Livingston Mem.	Mrs. George Auton, Rt. 1, Boomer, N.C.															28			
	Totals	314	796	1405	1647	2038	1951	1230	1098	4729	421	165	254	16143	9338	6498	5469		

Table C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT										
		Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Mission Enrolment	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Bator	Mrs. J. Care Greene, Rt. 2, G. Falls	4	5	4	10	5	10	20		3	61	40
Bethany												
Blairs Fork	Jennings D. Taylor, 605 N. Main, Lenoir, N.C.		6					19		5	30	24
Buffalo Cove												
Cedar Rock												
Center Grove	Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		11		23	10	11	15		3	73	38
Clarks Chapel	Bernard Stone, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N. C.			8	9	10	12	16			55	37
Conways Chapel												
Dudley Shoals	Carl Austin, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N. C.		11		18	14	19	12		2	76	50
East Flat	Vaughn McDonald, Whitnel		15	15		31		21		5	87	50
East Hudson												
Edgemont												
Flemings Chapel	Wayne Sorrells, Rt. 6, Lenoir			13	25	15	10	50		2	115	87
Globe												
Grandin												
Grandview Park	Mrs. Ruth McCall, Rt. 6, Lenoir			8	11	8	9	27		1	64	50
GRANITE FALLS:												
Clover	Charlie Ingle, Gr. Falls, N.C.	11	8	12	23	24	24	43		3	148	50
Concord	Ralph Penley, Rt. 5, Hickory, N. C.	17	8	23	27	33	39	64		4	215	102
G. Falls, 1st.	Tommie Harrison, Rt. 2, G. Falls	1	9	9	22	25	22	35		4	126	73
Green Rock												
Green Valley												
Harris Chapel	Jack Clark, Hudson, N. C.	4	8	7	24	32	16	66		2	159	103
Hartland	Mrs. Archie Cannon, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.		4	8	12	14	8	18	51	3	118	53
Hibriten												
Hudson First	Frank Laws, Hudson, N. C.	5	15	15	49	46	22	88		3	243	138
Johns River												
Joyceton	Kenneth Shell, Rt. 1, Hudson, N. C.		6	9	7	9		17		2	50	32
Kings Creek	Charles Land, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1	5	5	22		32	20	32	1	117	45
LENOIR:												
Calvary	Mrs. Charlie Holshouser, Rt. 4, Box 330, Lenoir			20	21	34	17	32	126	2	128	82
College Ave.	Mrs. R. J. Smith, 313 Woodsway Lane, Lenoir, N.C.	38	33	49	72	74	50	79		6	401	223
Lenoir First	Clarence Helderman, 307 1st St., Lenoir, N.C.	7	14	30	41	58	22	78		6	256	117
Lower Creek	Mrs. June Smith, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	4	6	6	34	30	12	52		3	147	82
Temple Missionary												
West Lenoir												

Long Ford	Mrs. Charles Andrews, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.		5	6	12	16	24	27		5	95	52
Lovelady	Howard Coffey, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.			11	22		12	40		2	87	55
Maple Grove												
Miller Hill	C. M. Triplett, 183 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, N.C.		12	21	16	24	10	18		2	103	45
Mountain Grove	Earl Rader, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.		20		21	12		37		2	92	66
Mountain View												
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Carrie Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	7	10	20	33	43	37	47		6	204	110
Mulberry	Walter Vines, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.		3		10	12		10			35	27
Mulvale	Gene Clarke, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.			5	8	9		19		4	45	23
Nelsons Chapel												
New Hope	Barbara Dean Allen, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.		9	8	9	12	8	18	64	6	70	56
Oak Grove	Ralph Helton, Rt. 5, Hickory, N.C.		11		18		6	11		2	48	38
Piney Grove	Mrs. Warren Holder, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	3	4	6	12	10	10	38		3	86	60
Pisgah	Mrs. Frazier Mikeal, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.				14	16	28	22		2	82	68
Pleasant Hill	Roy St. John, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.		6	6	20	18	10	14		3	77	60
Pooveys Grove	James C. Summerlin, G. Falls, N.C.	2		5	14	17	9	15		3	65	37
Pooveys Chapel	Mrs. Jeanette H. Laney, 632 4th Ave., S.W. Hickory	1	12		12	12	9	12		2	60	35
Rhodhiss	J. C. Munday, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.		10	16	33	15	8	20		4	106	59
Rocky Springs	Donald Franklin, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.				16		14	46		3	49	30
Rufus												
Setzer Creek	Mrs. D. R. Gentry, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	6	8	8	7	8	11	14	6	3	71	53
Temple Hill	Dewey Williams, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.											
Union	Ralph Lackey, Rt. 2, Lenoir	3	7	17	23	31	17	50		4	152	50
Union Grove	Mrs. Stacy R. Davis, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	13	5	5	23	16	5	25	112	3	115	67
WHITNEL:												
Central	Mrs. Jay Allen, 100 5th Ave., Lenoir, N.C.	3	13	24	24	18	7	60		2	151	74
Whitnel 1st.	Mrs. James Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.				12	12	22	19		2	76	35
Winklers Grove	Mrs. C. G. Barnes, 531-24th St., Hickory		6	16	14	22	9			6	73	70
Worship Point												
Yadkin	Riley Todd, Rt. 8, Lenoir	11	5	20	41	26	25	37		5	170	90
Yadkin Valley												
Zack's Fork												
Clearview	Linne Zuinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir											
Green Valley Com.												
Livingston Mem.					8	17		36			61	100
	Totals	141	310	435	872	838	616	1407	391	134	4842	2836

Table D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES	W.M.S. Units	Y.W.A. Units	G.A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W.M.S. Enrolled	Y.W.A. Enrolled	G.A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
Baton	Mrs. Folk Hartley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	1	1	1		3	9	5	10		24	22
Bethany	None											
Blairs Fork	Mrs. Daris Andrews, Wayside Cir.	1				1	17				17	5
Buffalo Cove	None											
Cedar Rock	Mrs. C. F. Annas, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1				1	11				11	
Center Grove	Mrs. Paul Morrow, Rt., Hudson, N.C.	1	1	2		4	20	11	21		52	16
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Clyde Jenkins, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	1	2	1	5	26	8	15	9	58	16
Conways Chapel	None											
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. J. C. Satter White, Jr., Rt. 1, G. Falls	1	1	1		3	28	15	19		47	4
East Flat	Mrs. Roger Haltzclaw, G. Falls, N.C.	1				1	36				36	
East Hudson	None											
Edgemont	None											
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Charles Staten, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	2	1	2		5	38	10	16		64	10
Globe	None											
Grandin	Mrs. J. C. Hawkins, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1				1	10				10	10
Grandview Park	None											
GRANITE FALLS:												
Clover	Mrs. Talmadge Williams, G. Falls, N.C.	4	1	2	2	9	46	9	20	15	101	20
Concord	Mrs. Ernest W. Moore, G. Falls, N.C.	6	1	2	1	10	73	7	24	15	119	52
Granite Falls 1st	Mrs. T. C. High, G. Falls, N. C.	6	1	2		9	73	8	25	34	140	50
Green Rock	None											
Green Valley	None											
Harris Chapel	Mrs. Paul Cloer, Hudson, N. C.	2	1	1	2	6	46	8	15	21	90	38
Hartland	Mrs. J. B. Crouse, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1	1	2	1	5	24	11	26	10	71	11
Hibriten	None											
Hudson First	Mrs. H. S. Benfield, Jr., Hudson, N.C.	5	1	2	1	9	66	17	33	10	126	7
Johns River	None											
Joyceton	Mrs. R. W. Greene, 669 Lenoir Ave, Lenoir	1	1			2	21	4			25	
Kings Creek	Mrs. Jim Laxton, Kings Creek Rural Stat., Lenoir	3	1	2	2	8	42	12	25	13	92	23
LENOIR:												
Calvary	Mrs. Albert Yates, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	1				1	26				26	26
College Ave.	Mrs. Charles Clark, 205 Stonewall St., Lenoir	8	2	1	2	13	129	18	30	18	207	60
Lenoir First	Mrs. Cecil Harmon, 254 Westover, Lenoir	9	1	2	2	14	205	10	24	30	269	60
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marion Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	8	2	3	3	16	130	24	48	45	247	97
Temple Mission.	None											
West Lenoir	Mrs. G. D. Ward, 113 Abington Rd., Lenoir, N.C.	1				1	22				22	5

Long Ford	Mrs. Roy Kirby, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N. C.	1	1	1		3	27	16	10		53	26
Lovelady	None											
Maple Grove	None											
Miller Hill	Mrs. C. M. Triplett, 183 Overlook Dr., Lenoir	1	1			2	22	20			42	20
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Hubert Smith, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	1				1	16				16	10
Mountain View	Mrs. Junior Coffey, Rt. 7, Lenoir	1				1	14				14	
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Howard Bowman, G. Falls, N. C.	4	1	2	1	8	62	18	16	13	109	60
Mulberry	None											
Mulvale	Mrs. Gwyn P. Sullivan, Rt. 7, Lenoir	1				1	24				24	11
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. J. H. Craig, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1		1	1	3	10		4	5	19	
New Hope	Mrs. Paul Greene, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N. C.	1				1	22				22	5
Oak Grove	Mrs. Wayne Mitchum, G. Falls, N.C.	1				1	22				22	12
Piney Grove	None											
Pisgah	None											
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Jack Smith, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	1		1		1	14				14	
Pooveys Grove	Mrs. Garland Keller, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	1	1	2	1	5	24	6	26	20	76	45
Pooveys Chapel	Mrs. Jeanette Laney, 623 41st Ave., Hickory	1		1		2	35				35	12
Rhodhiss	Mrs. Joan Propst, Rhodhiss, N.C.	1	1	2		4	21	8	18		47	9
Rocky Springs	None											
Rufus	None											
Setzer Creek	Mrs. S. W. Andrews, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	2				2	23			22	45	
Temple Hill	Mrs. Keener Keller, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	1				1	17				17	
Union	Mrs. John White, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.	2	2	2	1	6	39	11	15	30	95	15
Union Grove	Mrs. J. B. Myers, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.	2	2	2		5	23	8	26		57	
WHITNEL:												
Central	Mrs. Hugh Kincaid, Whitnel, N.C.	2	1	2	2	7	43	16	35	40	134	25
Whitnel First	E. N. Braswell, Rt. 2, Whitnel, N.C.	1	1	1		3	26	12	5		43	18
Winklers Grove	Mrs. Gladys Waters, 1210 1st Ave., Hickory	1				1	45				45	
Worship Point	Mrs. Alma Suddreth, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1				1	15				15	2
Yadkin	Mrs. Robert Frye, Patterson, N.C.	3	2	2	2	8	25	10	16	15	68	45
Yadkin Valley	None											
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Roy Walsh, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1				1	15				15	3
Clairview	Mrs. Dudley Watson, 105-5th St., S. E.						8					
Green Val. Comm.												
Livingston Mem.												
	Totals	97	31	46	25	195	1690	302	522	365	2881	850

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Chrm. Royal Ambassador Co. and Addresses	Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Junior R. A. Chapters	Junior R. A. Enrolment	No. Intermediate R. A. Chapters	Intermediate R. A. Enrolment	Total Brotherhood Enrolment
Baton	Clyde Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.		9						9
Bethany									
Blairs Fork									
Buffalo Cove									
Cedar Rock									
Center Grove	Tom Calloway, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Hudson	18		1	23			40
Clarks Chapel	Carter Hendrix, Rt. 3, Lenoir		12						12
Conways Chapel									
Dudley Shoals									
East Flat	George Crump, Rt. 6, Lenoir,N.C.		21						21
East Hudson	Fred Angley, Rt. 1, Hudson		12						12
Edgemont									
Flemings Chapel	Wayne Sorrells, Rt. 6, Lenoir	R. L. Amick, Rt. 6, Lenoir	32				1	12	44
GRANITE FALLS									
Clover					2	11			11
Concord	Ivo Yount, Rt. 2, G. Falls	Nelson Clay, G. Falls, N.C.	47		1	18	1	10	75
G. Falls 1st.	Bayne L. Smith, Rhodhiss	Dennis Kincaid, G. Falls	32		1	10			42
Green Rock									
Green Valley									
Harris Chapel	Marvin Annas, Hudson, N.C.		52		1	11	1	9	72
Hartland	Robert S. Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir	Mack Greene, Rt. 6, Lenoir	19	8	1	8	1	12	47
Hibriten									
Hudson First	Calvin Icard, Rt. 4, Lenoir	Hugh Watson, Hudson	72		1	11			83
Johns River									
Joyceton									
Kings Creek	Henry Medlock, Rt. 1, Lenoir	Charles Land, Rt 1, Boomer	16		1	11	1	15	42
LENOIR									
Calvery									
College	Paul Curtis 108 Palmer Ave.Lenoir		54						54
Lenoir First	B. M. Pyatte, 504 Hospital Ave.	Gibbs Roberts, 327 Newland	75		1	10	1	12	97
Lower Creek	Edd Perdue, 257 N. Main, Lenoir	Bruce Kirby, 124 Eastover,	28		1	20	2	26	74
Temple Miss.									
West Lenoir									

Long Ford Lovelady Maple Grove Miller Hill Mountain Grove	Atlas Kirby, Rt. 1, G. Falls		15						15
Mountain View Mt. Zion Mulberry Mulvale Nelsons Chapel	Elmer Philyaw, 113 Ervin Ave. Flowers Woods, Rt. 1, Hudson William Hardin, Rt. 8, Lenoir	 Luther Sudderth, Rt. 8, Lenoir	12 10 10		 1 	 10 	 1 1	 17 5	12 27 15
New Hope Oak Grove Piney Grove Pisgah Pleasant Hill Pooveys Grove	Theodore Cannon, G. Falls, N.C. Mack St. John, Rt. 3, Lenoir Clyde Keller	 John E. Carter, G. Falls	12 13 23		 1	 1	 1 1	 8 	12 21 38
Pooveys Chapel Rhodhiss Rocky Springs Rufus Setzer Creek	 F. E. Crisp, Rt. 8, Lenoir	Paul Witherspoon, Hudson M. F. Faw, R5. 5, Lenoir	 18		1 1	8 8	 1	 11	8 37
Temple Hill Union Union Grove	John White, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C. Rufus Estes, Rt. 3, Lenoir		23 24		1	6	1 1	15 22	44 46
WHITNEL: Central Whitnel 1st Wikklers Grove Worship Point	 Vance Griffin, 506 3rd Ave. Lenoir E. N. Braswell, Rt. 2, Lenoir Herbert Pritchard, Rt. 8, Lenoir	 Thomas Baker, 509 1st Ave. Stewart Johnson, Whitnel 	 42 12 25		 1 	 7 	 1 	 17 	 59 17 25
Yadkin Yadkin Valley Zacks Fork Clearview Green Valley Com. Livingston Mem.	J. C. Triplett, Patterson Earl Duncan, Rt. 2, Lenoir	 	 7		1 	8 	1 	7 	15 7
		Totals	736	8	18	180	17	198	1124

Table F CHURCH MUSIC–CHURCH LIBRARY–BUILDING–GOALS

CHURCHES	CHOIR DIRECTORS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	CHURCH MUSIC: Number Choirs	CHURCH MUSIC: Total Choir Enrolment	CHURCH MUSIC: Total Music Budget (excluding salaries)	CHURCH MUSIC: Use Church Musician Magazine	CHURCH MUSIC: Name of Hymnal Used in Auditorium	CHURCH LIBRARY: Does your church have a library?	BUILDING: Value Pastor's Home	BUILDING: Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	BUILDING: Money Spent on New Construction, Property, and Equipment	BUILDING: Total Church Debt at End of Year	GOALS: Cooperative Program % of Total Budget	GOALS: Associational Mission Goal Coming Year
Baton	Louise Cannon, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	1	10		No	Broadman	No	6000.00	25000	316.00	7129.00	10%	
Bethany	Dillard Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No		No		1000				
Blairs Fork	Joe L. Pritchard, 121 Wayside Cr.	1	20		Yes	Broadman	Yes		25225	106.00			
Buffalo Cove	Granville Robbins, Ferguson, N.C.	1			No		No		12250				
Cedar Rock									1500				
Center Grove	Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Hudson	2	30		No	Broadman	No	15000.00	45000	1368.00	4476.00	96.00	51.00
Clarks Chapel	Parks Underdown, Rt. 3, Lenoir	1	12		No	Broadman	No		40000	433.00	6335.00	3%	60.00
Conways Chapel	Richard Deal, Rt. 3, Morganton, N.C.	1					No		5000				
Dudley Shoals	Claude Smith, G. Falls, N.C.	2	45		No	Broadman	Yes	11500.00	86500	244.00	5284.00	646.00	129.00
East Flat	Fielas Blankanship, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1	25		No	Broadman	No		10000	305.00			
East Hudson	Floyd Davenport, Hudson, N.C.	1	15		No		No		12000	6482.00	4644.00		
Edgemont		1			No		No		25000				
Flemings Chapel	Clarence Arney, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	2	40		No	Broadman	No	20000.00	50000	3096.00	11866.00	900.00	160.00
Globe	Bobby Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No		No		500				
Grandin	Hill Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1			No	Broadman	Yes		10000		529.00		
Grandview Park	Jack Swanson, Rt. 6, Lenoir	2			No	Broadman	No		5000	36.00		2%	42.00
GRANITE FALLS:													
Clover	Miss Sarah Moore, G. Falls, N.C.	2	40	52.00	No	Broadman	Yes	5000.00	50000	2169.00	23000.00	6%	156.00
Concord	Howard Soymoure, G. Falls, N.C.	3	30		No	Broadman	No	20000.00	120000		16134.00	21.00	2%
G. Falls 1st	George W. Davis, G. Falls, N.C.	1	25	50.00	Yes	Broadman	No	8000.00	200000		28000.00	2100.00	285.00
Green Rock	Roy L. Woodring, Ferguson, N.C.	1				R. Messanger	No		5000	260.00			
Green Valley	O. C. Dellinger, Collettsville, N.C.	1	25		No	Carols of Joy	No		2500	186.00			
Harris Chapel	Ted Townsend, Hudson, N.C.	3	45	100.00	No	Modern	Yes	20000.00	90000			.027	150.00
Hartland	James T. Sanders, Rt. 3, Morganton, N.C.	1	35		No	Broadman	No	15000.00	65000	239.00	14653.00	10%	75.00
Hibriten		1	18		No	Church Hymnal	No		6000	126.00			
Hudson 1st	Marlene Simmons, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	2	36	100.00	Yes	Broadman	No	7500.00	150000	265.00	13500.00	10%	480.00
Johns River		1	20		No	Happy Praise	No		3500				
Joyceton	Clyde W. Smith, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	2	40		No	Broadman	No		8000	2996.00	2864.00		
Kings Creek													
LENOIR:													
Calvary	Coy Earley, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	1	40	150.00	No	Broadman	No		53000	783.00	6566.00	680.00	60.00
College Ave.	Roy E. Holder, 201 Maple Ave.	5	146	300.00	Yes	Broadman	Yes	35000.00	319391	18073.00	1500.00		800.00
Lenoir 1st	Miss Betty Miller, 601 W. View	4	104	500.00	Yes	Bapt. Hymnal	Yes	49000.00	603500	26967.00	13500.00		840.00
Lower Creek		1	30	460.00	Yes	Broadman	No	12000.00	150000	462.00		10000.00	480.00
Temple Miss.							No		25000	24044.00	200.00		
West Lenoir	Edward Cheek, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1			No	Baptist	No		21000	801.00	3692.00	10%	75.00
Long Ford	Mrs. Malcolm Bentley, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1	20		No	Broadman	No	7250.00	15800	4070.00		300.00	150.00
Lovelady	James Mull, G. Falls, N.C.	1	20		No	Baptist	No	7000.00	29000	1159.00			
Maple Grove		1			No		No		1800				
Miller Hill	Bill Triplett, Overlook Dr., Lenoir	3	45		No	Broadman	No		12000		10300.00	100.00	60.00
Mountain Grove	A. Lee Pearson, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	2	50		Yes	Broadman	No	8000.00	80000	1231.00	12618.00	150.00	60.00
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 7, Lenoir	2	40		No		No		4500	231.00			
Mt. Zion	Charles Haas, G. Falls, N.C.	2	40	100.00	Yes	Broadman	Yes	20000.00	75000	5836.00	10000.00	3000.00	340.00
Mulberry		1			No		No		3000				
Mulvale	Neil Curtis, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	1	20		No	Broadman	No	5000.00	16000	1379.00	4900.00	.03	.025
Nelsons Chapel	Hugh Curtis, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1	10			Broadman	Yes		5000				
New Hope	Roy Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	1	20		No	Broadman	No		7000		644.00	50.00	15.00
Oak Grove	J. B. Myers, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	1	10		No	Modern	No	5000.00	70000		12152.00		
Piney Grove	Arnold Christenburg, Box 300, Lenoir	1			No	Broadman	No		32000	800.00			
Pisgah	Miss Shirley Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir	2	40		No		No	3500.00	14000	775.00	2877.00		

Pooveys Grove	M. L. Christoper, Rt. 2, G. Falls	1			No	Broadman	No	4000.00	44000	145.00			
Poovey Chapel	Miss Ethel Haas, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	2	30		No	American	Yes		30000	15000.00	5000.00		
Rhodhiss	Mrs. Dewey Annas, Rhodhiss, N.C.	1	30		No	Modern	No	4500.00	20000				
Rocky Springs	J. V. Bean, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No		No		30000				
Rufus	Coy Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No	Modern	No		2000				
Setzer Creek	T. E. Allen, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	2	36		No	Broadman	No		18000	2613.00	7872.00	130.00	85.00
Temple Hill	O. C. Bumgarner, G. Falls, N.C.	1			No		No		25000	12000.00	8135.00		
Union	Mrs. S. R. Ruff, Rt. 2, Lenoir	1	20			Broadman	No	1800.00	50000				
Union Grove	Gaither Bolick, Rt. 3, Lenoir	2			No	Bapt. Hymnal	No	7500.00	50543	767.00		120.00	111.00
WHITNEL:													
Central	Paul Hodge, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C	2	48		No	Broadman	No	8200.00	52400		5897.00	960.00	150.00
Whitnel	Stewart Johnson, Whitnel, N.C.	1	12		No	Broadman	No	10000.00	32000				25.00
Winkler Grove	Sue Holland, Rt. 5, Hickory, N.C.	2	75		No	Modern	Yes		50000	3532.00			
Worship Point	Junior Doye, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	1	25		No	Bapt. Hymnal	No		8000	1278.00	1094.00		
Yadkin	Isaac Miller, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No	Broadman	No	5000.00	150000	45000.00	30000.00	1090.00	270.00
Yadkin Valley	Mrs. Zack Clark, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	1			No		No						
Zacks Fork	Bertha St. John, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1			No	Broadman	No		5400				
Clearview	Dudley Watson								4000		1920.00		
Green Val. Com.	Burman Cornett, Gen. Del., Lenoir	1	18				No		4000				
Livingston Mem.													
	Totals	93	1440	1812.00				320750.00	4971809	185573.00	277281.00	20368.03	5134.00

Table G and H TOTAL GIFTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Total Gifts for All Purposes	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance, Repair, etc.	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Baton	C. B. Bollinger, Rt. 2, G. Falls	5450.17	156.00	316.20		256.34	129.96	180.00	890.00	119.85	3048.35	1689.81	4738.16
Bethany	Harley Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	556.46		60.73		26.19				12.00	98.92	354.86	453.78
Blairs Fork	Ned L. Andrews, 123 Wayside Cir., Lenoir	4309.18	260.00	261.38	106.41	211.96	54.51	75.00	349.46	261.35	1580.07	2440.00	4020.07
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Fred Hawkins, Ferguson, N.C.	1077.61				75.00	128.00	43.00		222.15	468.15	569.87	1038.02
Cedar Rock	C. P. Cantor, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1514.46		189.68		98.37	85.34	184.52	365.00	22.00	946.00	574.00	1520.00
Center Grove	Mrs. Pearl Parsons, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	9898.29	250.00	649.79	1368.39	452.94	289.71	200.00	1800.00	639.22	5750.05	3225.00	8975.05
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. George Craig, Rt. 3, Lenoir	6535.85	156.00	137.23	433.00	207.59	253.94	460.49	1200.00	823.43	3670.66	2080.00	5750.60
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir	1046.56	120.00			21.27	106.08	112.23	90.00	114.48	564.06	470.00	1034.06
Dudley Shoals	Clifton D. Sigmon, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	9001.15	210.00	282.53	244.82	551.02	213.38	160.00	1910.00	640.26	4212.01	3280.00	7492.01
East Flat	Rayford Byerly, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	2978.42	180.00		305.52	186.27	162.00	179.32	546.98	403.11	2008.20	1290.00	3298.20
East Hudson	Mrs. Fred Angley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	2506.86	150.00	46.07	6482.63	41.81	30.50	78.88	495.60	43.22	7373.71	780.00	8153.71
Edgemont	Archie Coffey, Edgemont, N.C.	702.88				21.57	12.00	55.38		146.54	235.49	364.59	500.08
Flemings Chapel	Grady Pennell, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	13603.25	240.00	87.60	3096.10	235.11	191.38	240.00	2340.00	1186.11	7616.32	4160.00	11776.32
Globe	Robert E. Coffey, Star Rt., Lenoir, N.C.	289.76				80.91		45.75				87.11	213.77
Grandin	W. L. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir	3127.83		104.11		156.57	155.80		898.63	20.06	1335.17	1430.00	2765.17
Grandview Park	Mrs. Poovey Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	3181.94	260.00	76.50	35.79	110.14	8.98	300.50		270.94	1062.85	1635.00	2697.85
GRANITE FALLS:													
Clover	Talmadge Williams, Rt. 1, G. Falls	13481.65	175.00	2169.00		865.00	147.00	700.00	3570.00	2117.00	9744.00	1985.00	11728.90
Concord	James Nelson Clay, G. Falls, N.C.	24479.97	2180.00	2716.47		1619.26	615.91	297.50	4465.50	2106.94	14001.58	4970.00	18971.58
Granite Falls First	J. D. Milstead, G. Falls, N. C.	30763.27	2843.00	1496.23	1440.40	1192.49	192.80	975.00	2366.00	3521.40	24023.32	3510.00	27537.32
Green Rock	Hartley H. Conley, Rt. 5, Lenoir	741.58		16.23	263.36	40.45	65.62	93.80		33.14	512.60	206.71	719.31
Green Valley	Mrs. Mattie Franklin, Collettsville	2348.46			1869.78	35.00	60.00	71.00		21.00	2050.78	232.61	2289.39
Harris Chapel	Ben Sullivan, Hudson, N. C.	20523.74	600.00	563.30	447.32	1122.49	442.16	179.50		1158.56	4513.33	4422.50	8935.89
Hartland	Robert S. Watson, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	8753.35	364.00	239.21	73.32	369.77	257.98	175.00	1920.00	576.07	3864.01	3789.51	7676.02
Hibriten	Earl Wineberger, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	2975.55	240.00	25.99	126.20	98.76	124.70	115.50			721.00	2040.00	2761.00
Hudson First	Cade Shaver, Hudson, N. C.	31917.30	2096.40	3358.58	26470.19	2353.32	459.22	235.00	5000.00	2959.74	42932.45	5100.00	48032.45
Johns River	R. C. Estes, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	380.00		36.00		30.00	50.00			30.00	146.00	216.00	362.00
Joyceton	Mrs. Willard Triplett, Rt. 4, Lenoir	9558.92		20.32	2996.75	162.35	1148.83	37.00	1661.68	218.00	6745.76	2730.00	9475.76
Kings Creek	Miss Betty Parlier, Kings Creek, Lenoir	12428.59	600.00	185.87	3263.39	556.26	113.84	124.60	3300.00	1133.75	9277.71	3403.45	12681.16
LENOIR													
Calvary	Cecil Lindsay, Box 545, Lenoir, N.C.	11137.63	1375.00	419.23	783.00	353.93		350.00	1685.00	1341.95	5948.11	3640.00	9585.11
College Ave.	Vaughan Summerlin, Box 201, Lenoir	71183.54	11535.80	5307.53	18073.70	4833.13	367.85	74.33	10792.74	4305.84	55290.92	5879.28	61170.20
Lenoir 1st.	R. Carter Powell, 308 Woodsway Lane	135264.58	14200.04	3636.25	29967.28	4301.16	2106.95	566.00		10361.57	62139.25	6600.00	68739.25
Lower Creek	Powell Hartley, 101 Pineherst Rd.	34013.60	2425.98	3570.72	1192.85	1462.34	596.45	415.00		2604.79	12268.13	4680.00	16948.13
Temple Miss.	Mrs. Pansey Summerlin, 123 Plaza Cr.	1683.43		128.59	192.00	84.34	20.00	25.00	330.00	156.50	936.43	720.00	1656.43
West Lenoir	Robert Woodring, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	5720.61	120.00	180.00	801.45	224.42	26.04	100.00	840.00	511.40	2741.38	2900.00	5641.38
Long Ford	Clyde E Hollar, 319 B. Rock Rd., Lenoir	7528.47	180.00	126.25	1070.00	200.00	150.00	280.00		208.63	2214.38	3640.00	5854.88
Lovelady	Gladys Starnes, Rt 1, G. Falls, N.C.	11366.82	200.00	1669.01	1159.85	501.78		520.32	1298.68	1376.66	6746.30	3540.00	10286.30
Maple Grove	Mrs. Lottie Bean, Edgemont, N.C.	523.73				102.50	85.00	121.99		45.74	355.23	168.50	523.73
Miller Hill	Mrs. R. A. Greene, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	7295.85	260.00	212.80	733.75	325.91	187.48	396.31	1800.00	494.06	4410.31	2340.00	6750.31
Mountain Grove	Willard C. Hamlet, Rt. 2, G. Falls	15384.24	720.00	249.70	1231.34	602.47	284.90	446.07	5060.00	429.48	9025.96	4160.00	13185.96
Mountain View	Bob Philyaw, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	1126.14	84.00	231.50		45.00	25.00	21.45		118.00	524.95	410.00	934.95
Mt. Zion	Albert Barkery, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	22668.30	15.20	672.49	5836.36	1114.87	258.15	402.50	1560.00	3108.16	14509.38	4505.00	19014.38
Mulberry	H. D. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	1509.20										600.00	
Mulvale	Charles Glass, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	5075.65	180.00	879.61	500.00	223.26	131.62	162.20	550.00	291.64	2918.33	2600.00	5518.33
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. R. M. Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	4299.52	302.00			156.98	186.50	93.18		248.42	685.08	1128.71	1813.99
New Hope	Mrs. G. D. Grier, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	1431.36		75.00		72.52	23.50	50.00	270.00	84.76	575.78	720.00	1295.78
Oak Grove	Charles R. Poovey, Rt. 1, G. Falls	8343.70	540.00	106.00	250.00	677.87	264.20	200.00	1830.00	1137.11	4799.08	3307.20	8106.28
Piney Grove	Bettie Sue Sharp, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C.	6730.60		1152.20	830.00	278.97	439.35	238.70	705.00	450.40	4094.62	2593.50	6688.12
Pisgah	John Pope, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	4680.06		830.60		103.00		329.80	480.00	50.00	1792.38	2080.00	3872.38
Pleasant Hill	Tom Land Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	3561.32	100.00			222.03	48.00	60.35		589.16	929.13	2760.00	3689.13
Pooveys Grove	Earl W. Bumgarner, Rt. 2, G. Falls	12364.78	728.00	1105.26	145.19	677.47	83.38	134.00		4033.55	6706.85	3470.00	10376.85
Pooveys Chapel	Robert E. Hartley, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	8450.00	300.00	52.00	3551.00	158.00	516.00	164.00		168.00	4910.00	2350.00	7260.00
Rhodhiss	M. C. Smith, Rhodhiss, N. C.	10137.70	384.00	1625.66		642.11	122.34	195.00		1673.65	4642.76	4004.00	8646.76
Rocky Springs	Lois E. Tolbert. Collettsville. N.C.	2940.63	240.00	98.91		107.73	200.49	96.55	780.00	114.80	1638.48	1241.50	2879.98

Rufus	Mrs. W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	1177.25	72.00	22.70		56.40		120.00		46.70	317.80	480.00	797.80
Setzer Creek	I. R. Gentry, Rt. 8, Lenoir	7659.45		216.73	2613.14	271.91	270.08	170.00	1620.00	80.20	5242.05	2012.15	7254.20
Temple Hill	James G. Sweet, Rt. 1, G. Falls	14779.00		78.00	12000.00	91.00	48.00	65.00	627.00	428.00	13337.00	1300.00	14637.00
Union	Bingham Kirby, Rt. 2, Lenoir	9317.96	600.00	495.45	177.50	1001.99	11.00	478.46		681.26	3445.66	3120.00	6565.66
Union Grove	J. B. Myers, Rt. 3, Lenoir	12859.24	360.00	865.37	767.53	571.24	1367.80	175.00	4501.27		8608.21	3640.00	12248.21
WHITNEL:													
Central	Mrs. Thelma Abel, Whitnel	16179.77	725.00	1542.46		733.49	903.34	1445.00	4620.00	836.48	10805.77	1475.00	12280.77
Whitnel	J. Howard Swanson, Rt. 4, Lenoir	12056.28	390.00	151.58	5622.63	536.36	48.47	493.00		627.30	7870.34	3008.00	10950.34
Winklers Grove	A. J. Helderbrand, 309 37th St. Hickory	25229.20	84.00	325.00	3532.00	450.00	525.00	375.00	2067.82	7481.99	15596.81	4655.00	20251.81
Worship Point	Mrs. Katie Hatton, Rt. 8, Lenoir	2870.93	120.00	143.41	1134.86	77.67	150.94	150.00	287.00	33.84	2097.72	720.00	2817.72
Yadkin	Douglas Greene, Rt. 5, Lenoir	24742.41	1024.00	65.90	14395.36	1018.82	435.93	185.00	400.00	1531.42	20756.43	3640.00	24396.43
Yadkin Valley	Walter Moretz, Rt. 5, Lenoir	1838.08	60.00	174.37		59.79	13.00	180.00		169.24	656.40		1676.40
Zacks Fork	Johnny R. Whisnant, Rt. 1, Lenoir	1778.20	180.00	9.00	10.00	51.63	110.11	60.00	168.56	89.84	679.03	1200.00	1879.03
Clearview	William Quinn, Rt. 2, Lenoir	151.71									1398.33	296.76	1595.14
Green Val. Comm.	Rowland C. Haire, 305 Beach St.		48.00		750.00						798.00	480.00	1278.00
Livingston Mem.	Mrs. Stella Jolley, Rt. 1, Bommer	125.00				8.08				5.00	13.08	50.00	
	Totals	777472.11	45642.42	37833.46	153961.75	32272.40	15187.63	13545.95	72655.92	60923.48	434600.06	17499.26	581488.54

Table I and J MISSION EXPENDITURES AND TOTAL EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Other objects Relief and Annuity, etc.	Total Mission Expenditures	Grand Total Expenditures for All Purposes
Baton	Mrs. Clyde Smith, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	451.41	48.80		30.00	100.00	11.44	68.00	23.80		733.45	5471.61
Bethany	Junior Goines, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	8.63						11.07	12.90	70.08	102.68	556.46
Blairs Fork	Jennings D. Taylor, Box 605 N. Main	5.57	50.00	33.85	27.91	69.44	13.24	213.85	23.35	16.00	437.41	4457.48
Buffalo Cove	J. Bernard Hawkins, Ferguson, N.C.		8.86					17.00	13.73		39.59	1077.61
Cedar Rock	Mrs. G. H. Correll, Rt. 1, Lenoir			10.00	6.75	5.00			25.00		37.25	1545.00
Center Grove	J. P. Lail, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	138.00	51.00	98.85	10.25	164.16	36.41	151.85	29.41		679.93	9654.88
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	25.00	93.41	12.50	38.87	55.63		40.00	25.30	40.76	311.64	6062.24
Conways Chapel	Mrs. D. D. Braswell, Rt. 6, Lenoir	5.50							7.00		12.50	1046.56
Dudley Shoals	Talley S. Reed, Rt. 1, G. Falls, N.C.	725.85	195.34	67.93	31.80	40.00		299.01	44.63	113.34	1517.90	9009.91
East Flat	Dallas Jenkins, Rt. 3, Lenoir, N.C.	40.38					65.73	92.42	107.41	10.50	316.45	3614.65
East Hudson	Mrs. Floyd Davenport, Hudson, N.C.	9.86		9.22	2.50	2.50		20.00	6.00		50.08	8203.79
Edgemont	Archie R. Coffey, Edgemont, N.C.	2.74		15.00	10.00			10.00	5.00		42.74	542.82
Flemings Chapel	D. S. Reichard, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N.C.	471.51	120.00		32.00	126.00	35.25	80.63	59.99	99.00	1024.38	14603.25
Globe	Mrs. R. C. Cook, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	3.50	5.35							67.07	75.99	289.76
Grandin	Hill C. Lackey, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.		69.50	53.81	35.00	50.00	17.10	71.25	32.00	14.00	362.66	3127.83
Grandview Park	Miss Morena Chester, Rt. 6, Lenoir	72.00	42.00	7.13		7.13	17.38	96.00	12.45	230.00	484.09	3181.94
GRANITE FALLS:												
Clover	Talmadge Williams, Rt. 1, G. Falls	653.89	168.49	7.77	88.44	378.21		29.77	46.20	125.52	1499.29	13228.19
Concord	Mrs. Bill Mackie, G. Falls, N.C.	3695.60	440.93	55.00	144.77	918.04	27.90	60.95	37.20	208.00	5588.39	24559.97
G. Falls 1st	Mrs. Bob Annas, G. Falls, N.C.	1925.00	200.00	115.00	186.40	352.00	50.00	540.00	176.20		3544.60	31081.92
Green Rock	Ginelle Conley, Ferguson, N.C.	1.27	1.00					10.00	10.00		22.27	741.58
Green Valley	Ruby L. Coffey, Collettsville, N.C.	4.53	6.21		9.98			37.32	7.24		65.28	2348.46
Harris Chapel	Lewis E. Annis, Rt. 1, Hudson, N.C.	240.00	162.50	93.83	65.31	152.59	30.00	235.75	75.00	316.80	1371.76	10306.59
Hartland	James T. Sanders, Rt. 3, Morganton	87.83	75.00	56.00	47.00	125.00	18.83	117.40	36.55		495.61	8171.63
Hibriten	Beulah Colvard, Rt. 2, Lenoir	11.29	25.00		6.00		14.26	28.00	20.00	110.00	214.55	2975.55
Hudson First	Dryna Correll, Hudson, N.C.	2141.10	413.53	225.49	500.00	1000.70		109.00	95.92	44.00	4529.74	52562.19
Johns River	C. E. Crump, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	18.00									87.00	440.00
Joyceton	Mrs. George Hartzog, Hudson, N.C.	6.53	29.90	12.00	13.00		6.00	6.83	8.90		83.16	9558.92
Kings Creek	J. K. Barlowe, Jr., Kings Creek Station	794.17	207.49	2.00	72.00	250.00		110.60	42.05	169.81	1648.12	14329.28
LENOIR.												
Calvary	Miss Emma Earley, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	680.00	60.00		271.33	134.42		100.00		24.05	1269.80	11887.91
College Ave.	Vaughn Summerlin, Box 201, Lenoir, N.C.	13200.00	800.00	681.84		3540.36	600.00	486.80	711.27	889.37	20909.64	81953.67
Lenoir 1st.	Jack B. Spainhour, 108 S. Prospect, Lenoir	8239.32	1084.07	323.16	1165.16	4163.56	904.07	795.00	247.25	1272.49	28091.33	96933.33
Lower Creek	Ralph Laney, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	10619.37	440.00	170.49	133.28	1429.82		1801.81	245.82	783.37	15623.96	32572.09
Temple Miss.	Bolena Adams, 248 Underdown Ave., Lenoir	22.00	5.00								27.00	1683.43
West Lenoir	Dale Ward, Rt. 6, Lenoir, N. C.	17.49	30.00	5.00	25.00	15.00		80.00	60.00		242.49	5883.87
Long Ford	Mable Hollar, Rt. 9, Lenoir, N.C.	544.00	149.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	100.00	80.00	30.00	150.00	1153.00	7007.88
Lovelady	Mrs. Louis McRary, Rt. 2, Lenoir, N.C.		4.20	8.50	233.66	239.86		29.45	17.32		532.93	10819.23
Maple Grove	Miss Bobbie Jeane Beane, Edgemont, N.C.											
Miller Hill	Miss Davie Mikeal, 210 Overlook Dr., Lenoir	113.35	77.76	11.75	30.45	36.80	16.75	25.00	21.65	11.00	344.51	7094.82
Mt. Grove	Mr. Earl Rader, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	150.00	70.50	130.93	100.00	137.47		339.98	50.00	43.90	1022.76	14208.72
Mt. View	Mrs. Elmer Philyaw, 113 Ervin Ave. Lenoir		3.28		6.00	5.00		15.00	15.00	38.06	82.34	1017.29
Mt. Zion	Miss Arlinda Lail, Rt. 2, G. Falls, N.C.	1800.00	340.00	100.00	113.75	737.62	39.60	120.00	125.00	314.80	3690.77	22668.30
Mulberry	H. I. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	86.00	24.00					53.90	23.00		136.90	736.90
Mulvale	Berma Estes, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	121.75	94.49		52.70	58.00		98.00	18.21	92.40	535.55	6053.88
Nelsons Chapel	R. M. Miller, Rt. 8, Lenoir, N.C.	554.60	64.72	36.00	25.00	80.00		110.94	22.85	36.41	930.52	2744.51
New Hope	Albert Icenhour, Rt. 1, Lenoir, N.C.	10.48		7.35				23.29	6.50	132.00	179.62	1475.40
Oak Grove	Mrs. John E. Bumgarner, G. Falls, N.C.	26.82	19.69			36.61				405.60	488.72	8595.00
Piney Grove	C. Arnold Christenbury, Box 800, Lenoir	13.61	110.00	50.00		25.00		300.00	50.00	67.62	616.23	7304.35
Pisgah	Glen T. Greene, Rt. 7, Lenoir, N.C.	4.12						35.00	35.00	375.00	445.00	4217.38
Pleasant Hill	Howard Hollar, Rt. 4, Lenoir, N.C.	31.31	36.56	6.31	6.31	13.31		44.36	6.31		144.97	4034.10
Pecans Grove	D. F. Smith, G. Falls, N.C.	1393.12	151.00	22.11	[illegible]	100.00		[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]

Pooveys Chapel	D. P. Haas, Sr., 101 Jennings St., Lenoir	8.00	25.00	59.20	57.50	140.00		474.25	79.50	22.30	864.75	8124.48
Rhodhiss	Virginia Jones, Rhodhiss, N.C.	828.00	132.00		5.00	109.00		120.00	151.56		1345.56	9992.32
Rocky Springs	Ralph Kincaid, Collettsville, N.C.	5.66						34.50	20.55		60.65	2940.63
Rufus	W. B. Greene, Rt. 8, Lenoir	6.01	6.69		10.00		4.75	40.00		90.54	157.99	955.79
Setzer Creek	Mrs. T. R. Gentry, Rt. 8	130.25	75.00	15.00	25.00	100.00	12.00	120.00	36.00		523.25	7777.45
Temple Hill	James E. Sweet, Rt. 1, G. Falls	6.00	49.00	32.00	5.00	40.00			10.00		142.00	14779.00
Union	Mrs. R. M. Teague, Rt. 2, Lenoir	426.58	89.08	15.50	44.54	388.61	6.00	500.00	12.00		1482.31	2084.12
Union Grove	Wayne S. Lackey, Rt. 2, G. Falls	438.50	111.80		25.00	140.00		129.71	104.00	39.00	988.01	13236.22
WHITNEL:												
Central	Mrs. Jay F. Alley, 100 Fifth Ave.	1055.60	184.00	253.00	133.50	250.00	13.00	110.00	50.00	43.50	2092.85	14373.62
Whitnel	E. N. Braswell, Rt. 2, Lenoir	480.00	48.00	80.16			100.00	176.91	75.00		960.07	11910.41
Winkler Grove	A. J. Hilderbrand, 309 37th St. Hickory	125.00	125.00	80.00	41.00	25.00	25.00	90.00	35.00	281.75	827.76	21079.57
Worship Point	Mrs. Rolen Daye, Rt. 8, Lenoir	23.21		10.00				10.00	10.00		53.21	2870.93
Yadkin	Mrs. Riley Toddy, Rt. 8, Lenoir	741.73	251.53	76.40	126.50	644.84	36.00	100.00	68.34	305.59	2350.93	26747.46
Yadkin Valley	Arnie R. Woods, Rt. 5, Lenoir	7.88	30.15		6.00	6.00		26.25	15.00	10.30	101.68	1838.08
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Stewart Barlow, Rt. 1, Lenoir	8.74	48.00	10.00	6.00	6.00	9.50	28.00	18.50		134.74	2013.77
Clairview	Earl Duncan, Rt. 2, Lenoir	5.00		6.70					11.75	4.50	27.95	1623.09
Green Vall. Com	Jeanette Haire, 305 Beach St.					10.00			19.00		39.00	1317.00
Livingston Mem.	Mrs. George Auton, Rt. 1, Boomer											
	Totals	63,462.96	7,156.83	3,127.81	4,129.77	16758.68	2210.21	9007.51	3424.69	7068.43	116146.17	727829.83